

Nomination Paper Municipal and Rural Community Elections

(Municipal Elections Act, SNB, 1979, c. M-21.01, s. 17 and 18)



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(2015-06-01)

Part A : Receipt of Nomination Paper (for use by Municipal Returning Officer only)

Notes: Under section 17 of the *Municipal Elections Act*:

- The municipal returning officer shall not receive or act on a nomination paper unless the written consent of the candidate appears thereon, and the municipal returning officer is satisfied that at least ten of the nominators are entitled to vote at the election.
- The municipal returning officer, upon a satisfactory review of a completed nomination paper, shall give to the person filing the nomination paper a copy of this page, which shall be *prima facie* evidence that the candidate has been duly and regularly nominated.

The candidate's nomination paper has been accepted.

_____ (Municipal Returning Officer)

_____ (Date)

Part B : Identification of Candidate and Contact Information

Notes: Please print or type all information (except signatures).

- A candidate may complete this nomination paper or the candidate may have an agent complete Parts B, D, and E.
- A completed nomination paper may be faxed to the Municipal Returning Officer, but the original must also be sent.
- After a nomination paper is accepted, it is considered a public document and may be made available for inspection.
- The candidate's name, sex, and civic address are published in the Municipal Electoral Officer's official report following the election.

The persons named in Part E, being entitled to vote for this candidate at this election, hereby nominate:

Candidate's name as it is to appear on ballot			Occupation		
<i>First Name</i>	<i>Second Name or Initial</i>	<i>Surname</i>			
Sex M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/>	E-mail address		Telephone number		
<input type="checkbox"/> as a candidate for the office of Mayor.		or		Incumbent: <input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> as a candidate for the office of Councillor.		<input type="checkbox"/> at large, or		or New : <input type="checkbox"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> for ward: _____					
Civic address of candidate			Candidate's address for service <i>(if different)</i>		
<i>Number</i>	<i>Street</i>	<i>Unit</i>	<i>Number</i>	<i>Street</i>	<i>Unit</i>
<i>Municipality</i>		<i>Postal Code</i>	<i>Municipality</i>		<i>Postal Code</i>

in the pending municipal election to be held in _____
(Municipality, Rural community, or Regional municipality)

on the _____ day of _____, 20____.

Optional contact information to be made available on the Elections NB website:

Notes: After a nomination paper is accepted, the candidate's name, sex, address for service, and optional telephone, e-mail, and website address will be made available on the Elections NB website during the election period.

E-mail address	Telephone number
Website address <i>(URL, website, Facebook, etc.)</i>	

Part C : Consent of Candidate to be Nominated

Notes: Under section 18 of the *Municipal Elections Act*:

- A person is not qualified to be a candidate for the office of mayor or councillor of a municipality unless the person has been resident in the municipality for at least six months immediately before the election.
- In a municipality that is divided into wards for election purposes, a person is not qualified to be nominated as a candidate for councillor for a ward unless the person is a resident of that ward when he or she is nominated.
- A person's residence is defined under section 14.

I, _____, consent to this nomination. I certify that that my name,
(Name)

civic address, occupation, and address for service of any legal documents on me under the *Municipal Elections Act* is as stated in Part B above. I certify that:

- I am a Canadian citizen, will be eighteen years of age or more as of the day of the election, and will have been ordinarily resident in the municipality, rural community, or regional municipality of _____ for at least six months immediately before the election;
(Municipality, Rural community, or Regional municipality)
- I expect to be ordinarily resident in the above municipality, rural community, or regional municipality on election day;
- If I am a candidate for a councillor in a ward, that I am a resident of that ward when nominated; and
- I am not an officer or full time employee of the municipality, rural community, or regional municipality, and am not on a leave of absence from such office or employment.

(To be signed by the Candidate in the presence of a Witness to the candidate's signature.)

Signed at _____ on _____ in the County of _____
and Province of New Brunswick in the presence of

(Witness to the candidate's signature)

(Candidate)

Part D : Witness to Nominators' Signatures

I, _____, certify that:
(Name)

- I saw the electors below in Part E sign their names as nominators of the named candidate;
- to the best of my knowledge each nominator is qualified to vote for this candidate at the election.

Made at _____)

_____)

_____)

in the County of _____)

_____)

and Province of New Brunswick, _____)

_____)

this _____ day of _____, 20 _____ . _____)

(Witness to nominators' signatures)

Part E : Signature of Nominating Electors

Notes:

- The *Municipal Elections Act* requires the signatures of **at least 10** electors who are qualified to vote for the nominated candidate in the municipality, rural community, or regional municipality, and ward if applicable, where the candidate is nominated.
- The candidate, or a family member of a candidate, or any other person may collect and be the witness to the nominator signatures.
- The person collecting nominator signatures must be present and witness the elector signing this form. A person **cannot** be his or her own witness.
- If more than one person collects nominator signatures for the same candidate, each person must complete a separate Part D and Part E as the witness to the signatures. Attach additional pages as required.

Name of witness to the nominator signatures below :

<i>(Please PRINT clearly)</i>				
No.	Name of nominator	Civic address of nominator	Signature of nominator	Signature of witness to nominator signature
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