

# INUVIK DISTRICT EDUCATION AUTHORITY

## NOMINATION PACKAGE

September 7, 2021

Attached is the information you require to be nominated in the upcoming District Education Authority Election. This information includes a **nomination form which must be completed in the presence of a Notary Public, a Commissioner for Oaths for the Northwest Territories, or the Returning or Deputy Returning Officer**). This package contains information outlining eligibility requirements and a contact information sheet. Please review these documents carefully.

Copies of the *Local Authorities Elections Act* are available at:

<https://www.justice.gov.nt.ca/en/legislation/#gn-filebrowse-0:/l/local-authorities-elections/>

or at the Town Office.

**It is also important to provide your contact information as this information is often requested by the media.** Please note that all nomination forms are public documents and can be viewed by any eligible voter.

Candidates must be nominated by **two (2) eligible voters**. Please check at the Town Office to ensure that your nominators are eligible to nominate you.

The completed nomination form must be returned directly to me or the Deputy Returning Officer prior to the close of nominations on **September 20, 2021 at 3:00 p.m.**

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at 777-8610.

Thank you.



Chidi Amobi  
Returning Officer

**NOMINATION PAPER – DISTRICT EDUCATION AUTHORITY MEMBER**

**THIS FORM IS TO BE COMPLETED BEFORE A NOTARY PUBLIC, A COMMISSIONER FOR OATHS FOR THE NORTHWEST TERRITORIES OR THE RETURNING OR DEPUTY RETURNING OFFICER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(name and municipal address of nominator)

and I, \_\_\_\_\_  
(name and municipal address of nominator)

nominate \_\_\_\_\_  
(full name of candidate and municipal address)

as a candidate at the election about to be held for DISTRICT EDUCATION AUTHORITY MEMBER in the Town of Inuvik.

We each declare that to the best of our knowledge, information and belief, the candidate:

- (a) is a Canadian Citizen; and
- (b) has attained 18 years of age; and
- (c) has, for at least 12 consecutive months immediately preceding the day nominations close, been ordinarily resident in Inuvik, NT or an area that has, during the 12 months preceding the day nominations close, become a part of Inuvik, NT as a result of a variance of the boundaries of the electoral district; and
- (d) is ordinarily resident in Inuvik, NT; and
- (e) is not disqualified by subsection 18(2) or (3) or section 19 or 20 of *Local Authorities Elections Act*.

DECLARED BEFORE ME  
at the Town of Inuvik, in the Northwest Territories  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, A.D. 2021

\_\_\_\_\_  
A Notary Public/Commissioner for Oaths in and  
for the Northwest Territories.  
My Appointment Expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Nominator

DECLARED BEFORE ME  
at the Town of Inuvik, in the Northwest Territories  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, A.D. 2021

\_\_\_\_\_  
A Notary Public/Commissioner for Oaths in and  
for the Northwest Territories.  
My Appointment Expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Nominator

**CONSENT AND DECLARATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ consent to the above nomination and declare that I am  
(name of candidate)  
eligible to be a candidate for DISTRICT EDUCATION AUTHORITY MEMBER and am not subject to any of the disqualifications set out in subsections 18, 19 or 20 of the *Local Authorities Elections Act*.

DECLARED BEFORE ME  
at the Town of Inuvik, in the Northwest Territories  
this \_\_\_\_\_ day of September, A.D. 2021

\_\_\_\_\_  
A Notary Public/Commissioner for Oaths in and  
for the Northwest Territories.  
My Appointment Expires:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Candidate  
Address of Candidate: \_\_\_\_\_  
Candidate E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone (work): \_\_\_\_\_  
Telephone (home or other): \_\_\_\_\_

## **CANDIDATE ELIGIBILITY**

A person is eligible to be a Candidate if they:

- (a) Are a Canadian citizen;
- (b) Have reached the age of 18 years;
- (c) Have been a resident of the electoral district (ward) at least 12 consecutive months before the close of nominations; and
- (d) Have not been disqualified by other eligibility sections in the *Local Authorities Elections Act*.

A person is **NOT** eligible to be a Candidate if they are:

### **Professional Conflicts - Section 18(2)**

- (a) a judge, territorial judge, youth justice court judge or justice of the peace<sup>1</sup>;
- (b) a member of the Legislative Assembly;
- (c) a full-time permanent employee of the District Education Authority in receipt of a salary;
- (d) an election officer;
- (e) a member of the school staff, as defined in the *Education Act*, in a school in the area within the jurisdiction of the District Education Authority;
- (f) a person hired for the delivery of adult education programs; or
- (g) an employee of the District Education Authority.

### **Criminal Convictions and Election Offences – Section 18(3)**

- (a) Any person who has been convicted of a major election offence under the *Local Authorities Elections Act* within the past three years immediately preceding election day;
- (b) Any person who has been convicted of an indictable offence punishable by imprisonment for five or more years within three years immediately preceding election day, or if his or her imprisonment as a result of such a conviction terminates within three years immediately preceding election day.

**N.B. It is the responsibility of each candidate to verify their eligibility to be nominated.  
Please consult the *Local Authorities Elections Act* for all eligibility requirements.**

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<sup>1</sup> A Justice of the Peace must obtain a leave of absence until the election results are declared. If elected, the position of Justice of the Peace is declared “vacant” by the Department of Justice.



**TOWN OF INUVIK**

**MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2021**

**CANDIDATE CONTACT INFORMATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Candidate for: **DISTRICT EDUCATION AUTHORITY MEMBER**

Day Time Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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**THIS INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED TO THE MEDIA, ORGANIZERS OF PUBLIC FORUMS AND THE PUBLIC.**