

DECLARATION OF QUALIFICATIONS YORK  
REGION SCHOOL BOARD BY-ELECTION

I \_\_\_\_\_, a nominated candidate for the office of York Region District School Board Trustee (Wards 1, 2 and 4).

**Do Solemnly Declare That:**

1. I am qualified pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* and the *Education Act* to be elected to and to hold the office of Trustee for the above noted School Board.
2. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 1, I am a resident within the area of jurisdiction of the School Board, a Canadian citizen and at least eighteen years of age.
3. I am qualified to be a member of the School Board in accordance with the *Education Act* and to vote for members of the School Board to which I am seeking office, (a supporter of that School Board)
4. I am not ineligible or disqualified under the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, the *Education Act*, the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* or any other Act to be elected to or hold the above-mentioned office.
5. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 4,
  - a) I am not an employee of a district school board or school authority or if I am an employee of a district school board or school authority, I am on an unpaid leave of absence as provided for by section 219 of the *Education Act* and section 30 of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.
  - b) I am not a Clerk or Treasurer or Deputy-Clerk or Deputy Treasurer of any municipality within the area of jurisdiction of the School Board or if I am such a person, I am on an unpaid leave of absence as provided for by section 219 of the *Education Act* and section 30 of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.
  - c) I am not a member of the Assembly as provided in the *Legislative Assembly Act* or of the Senate or House of Commons of Canada or, if I am such a person, I will provide proof of my resignation in a form satisfactory to the Clerk of the City of Richmond Hill prior to 2:00 p.m. on Nomination Day, May 31, 2024. I understand that the Clerk of the City of Richmond Hill will reject my nomination for the above-mentioned office if I fail to provide proof of resignation by this deadline.
  - d) I am not a member of the Executive Council of Ontario or a federal Minister of the Crown.
6. I am not prohibited from voting at the municipal elections under subsection 17(3) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.
7. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 6,
  - a) I am not a person who is serving a sentence of imprisonment in a penal or correctional institution.
  - b) I am not a person who was convicted of a corrupt practice described in subsection 90 of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, from voting in a municipal election.
8. I am not a candidate who was convicted of a corrupt practice under the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* or of an offence under the *Criminal Code (Canada)*, in connection with an Act or omission with respect to a municipal election if the voting day in that election is less than six years prior to Monday, July 15, 2024.
9. I am not disqualified from being elected to or holding office by reason of any violations of the election campaign financial requirements or violations for not filing the financial statement pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.

**AND** I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of s.12 of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.

Declared before me at the City of Richmond Hill

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2024

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature of Clerk or designate or  
Commissioner for Taking Affidavits)

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(Signature of candidate)

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