

## **Scrutineer Appointment Notice**

- A Scrutineer must show this form to an on-site election official and take a declaration of secrecy.
  The scrutineer is to keep this appointment form with them at all times.
- This form can be used: in the voting place; during mail-in ballot feeding; during the production of advance vote and mail-in ballot results on election night and during a recount.

Candidate			
Last Name	First Name		
Check this box if Last Name and First Name do not apply to you because you have either a registered Birth Certificate or Change of Name Certificate bearing a Single Name.			
Single Name (only applicable if the criteria described above is met)			
Election	Office		Ward
2024 Councillor Ward 15 By-Election			
I appoint the following individual as a scrutineer to represent me in the above noted election.			
Signature of Candidate		Date (yyyy-mm-dd)	
Scrutineer			
Last Name or Single Name Legally registered single name		First Name	

## **Rights and Restrictions**

## Scrutineers and candidates can:

- Enter the designated voting place 15 minutes before it opens and inspect the vote tabulator stand, the ballots and all other election documents but not so as to delay the process
- Object to an elector voting in the voting place (objection to be decided by the election official)
- Sign the statement of the results of the election where applicable
- Place their seal on the ballot box after the close of voting each day during the advance vote and on election day in the voting place

## Scrutineers and candidates cannot:

- Attempt, directly or indirectly, to interfere with how an elector votes or with an elector who is marking a ballot in the voting place
- Display a candidate's election material (including buttons, ribbons, pins, etc.) in the voting place
- Compromise the secrecy of voting
- Obtain or attempt to obtain, in the voting place, any information about how an elector intended to vote or has voted
- Communicate any information obtained in the voting place about how an elector intends to vote or has voted
- Speak to or provide assistance to any electors in the voting place
- Act as an interpreter (an elector must make their own arrangements)
- Use a cell phone in the designated place

Election officials have the right to remove from the designated place any individual who is causing a disturbance. Candidates and scrutineers forfeit their right to be present if they disrupt the designated place or interfere with the process.