



Bulletin for Candidates

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This bulletin includes information, updates and reminders for candidates in the 2026 municipal election following the close of the nomination period. For more information visit the Toronto Elections office at City Hall, email us at candidateinfo@toronto.ca, or call 416-395-0025.

Voters' List

The voters' lists will be available to candidates on the following days:

- Preliminary voters' list on September 1
- Interim list of changes on September 23
- List of voters who voted during Advance Vote – after each day of Advance Vote
- List of voters who voted by mail on October 15

You will receive an email on September 1 with your user ID and temporary password for CandidateAccess, which is where you can access the voters' list. Please note that this is a separate portal from [MyCampaign](#), and your user ID and password will be different.

Once you log into CandidateAccess, go to “Documents” to download your copy of the voters' list, interim list of changes, and the list(s) of who voted by mail and during Advance Vote.

Per the [Municipal Elections Act, 1996](#), the voters' list can only be used for election purposes relating to this election. It cannot be used for commercial purposes, copied or distributed for any other purpose, including through the use of artificial intelligence tools. It is the responsibility of the candidate to take precautions to protect the confidentiality of the personal information contained in the voters' list.

Ward Maps and Voting Places

Beginning September 1, you can access ward maps and the list of voting places through [MyCampaign](#). The list of voting places includes the advance vote locations, which are labelled as subdivisions 98 and 99.

Printed copies of the ward maps will also be available from the Toronto Elections office at City Hall. Each candidate is entitled to one copy.

Vote Counting Equipment – Logic and Accuracy Testing

Toronto Elections thoroughly tests the functionality and accuracy of each piece of vote counting equipment (i.e. tabulator) to be used in the election. As a candidate, you can book an appointment to view the tabulator logic and accuracy testing process at 89 Northline Road.

Appointments are available from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. on September 14, 15, 16, 17, 18. To book an appointment, please email candidateinfo@toronto.ca. Walk-ins will not be accommodated.

Final Spending Limits

You will receive an email on September 25 with your final general spending limit, self-contribution limit (for Mayor and Councillor candidates), and the final spending limit for parties and other expressions of appreciation after the close of voting. You can also access these final certificates through [MyCampaign](#).

Election Signs

Election signs and campaign office signs cannot be displayed until October 1. More information on election sign rules and requirements can be found on the [Election Signs website](#) and in the [Election Sign Placement Guidelines](#) document.

If you have questions about election sign rules, call 416-392-3082 or email ElectionSigns@toronto.ca. If you wish to report improper election signs, call 311.

Adding Public Contact Information

If you have not already done so, you can submit contact information in MyCampaign that will be displayed on the [List of Candidates](#) webpage. This is a great way to make your information available to the public, media and community groups should they wish to contact you about your campaign.

Donation Platform Processing Fees

If your payment processor charges you processing fees on contributions received, these count as campaign expenses and should not be deducted from a contributor's contribution.

You and your contributors should be aware of prompts by some donation platforms that suggest to contributors that they increase their contribution amount to compensate for processing fees charged to a candidate. If a contributor agrees to these prompts, both you and the contributor should ensure that the newly increased contribution amount does not now exceed any contribution limits.

Use of City Resources during an Election Period

All candidates should familiarise themselves with the [Use of City Resources during an Election Period Policy](#). This policy sets out provisions for the use of City facilities, resources and infrastructure during the election period to preserve public trust and integrity in election processes.

Questions About City Programs and Services

If you have questions about specific City of Toronto services, statistics, or programs that relate to other City divisions, you should contact candidaterequests@toronto.ca. All answers will be posted on the [You Asked Us](#) webpage without revealing the source of the request so that all candidates have equal access to this information. This page is updated as information becomes available.

Questions about the election, rules, and anything else related to your campaign should still be emailed to candidateinfo@toronto.ca. Staff do not provide interpretation of legislation or campaign advice.