



**Form EL12(A)**  
**Township of Tiny**  
**Appointment of Scrutineer by Candidate**  
**Municipal Elections Act, 1996, s.16(1)**

I, \_\_\_\_\_

a candidate for the office of \_\_\_\_\_

do hereby appoint \_\_\_\_\_ to attend at the Township of Tiny Council Chambers (Tabulation Centre) to represent me on the dates and times for the Opening of the Ballot Packages/Scanning of the Voter Declaration Forms and/or the Ballot Tabulation process.

Signature of Candidate	Date

**Conduct of Scrutineers**

- 1) Only one scrutineer per candidate are allowed at any given time within the Council Chambers.
- 2) Scrutineers arriving at the Voting Place, must show this form and personal identification to the Clerk/Returning Officer or Deputy Returning Officer and take an oath of secrecy.
- 3) Candidates arriving to the Voting Place, must show this form and personal identification to the Clerk/Returning Officer or Deputy Returning Officer and take an oath of secrecy. A candidate who enters a Voting Place is considered to be a scrutineer.
- 4) The Clerk is responsible for the conduct of the Voting Place and no candidate or scrutineer has the right to interfere with the election staff in the discharge of their duties.
- 5) No campaign material or literature of any nature whatsoever shall be displayed within the Voting Place. The boundaries of the Voting Place include the property and the parking lot. Candidates, supporters and scrutineers are NOT permitted to wear campaign material, distribute campaign material, or park a vehicle displaying campaign material in the parking lot of the Voting Place. Anyone breaking these rules will be asked to remove the campaign material immediately.
- 6) Anyone who is creating a disturbance at a Voting Place will be asked to leave.
- 7) Scrutineers/candidates shall not have access to the active Voters' List, showing who has voted during the processing of ballots or on Election Day because an electronic Voters' List is used.
- 8) During the tabulating of the ballots, scrutineers may examine the ballots but shall not handle them. The final decision as to whether a ballot should be counted is the sole responsibility of the Clerk. Scrutineers/candidates shall not, in any way, impede the progress of the counting of the ballots.
- 9) Scrutineers/candidates wishing to observe the transmission of the election results must be at the Tabulation Centre prior to the closing at 8:00 p.m. No one will be admitted to the Voting Place after 8:00 p.m.