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## Nomination of a Candidate

**Please note:** It is your responsibility to ensure that this nomination form is received by the Returning Officer or appointed Electoral Officer before the close of nominations at 12 noon on Thursday 20 January 2022. Late nominations cannot be accepted.

CANDIDATE DETAILS (PLEASE PRINT)		
Name of municipal area		Candidate for the office(s) of <input type="checkbox"/> Councillor <input type="checkbox"/> Mayor
Gender <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Given names	Family name
Home address (as enrolled) ..... ..... ..... Postcode .....		Postal address (only if different from Home) ..... ..... ..... Postcode .....
Contact details tick (✓) to show your consent to the public release of contact details	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	Mobile ..... Other ..... Email .....
Form of given name(s) to appear on ballot papers (Do <b>NOT</b> include your surname here)		
Matchcode (this must correspond with the Matchcode you use when you submit your candidate statement on-line. For your security, do <b>NOT</b> use a password you link to other accounts or sensitive data)		<input type="text"/>
<b>Candidate's Declaration</b> I am eligible and wish to nominate as a candidate for election as a councillor and/or mayor in the municipal area shown above. I wish my given name(s) to appear on the ballot paper in the form shown above. The information I have given on this form is true and correct.		Signature of candidate  Date

This notice of nomination **must** be signed by at least two electors who are enrolled for the municipal area.

ELECTORS (PLEASE PRINT)			Office Use Only
Given names	Family name	Home address (as enrolled)	
Signature			
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# Lodging your nomination form

It is your responsibility to ensure that this nomination form is received by the Returning Officer or appointed Electoral Officer at your local council before the close of nominations at **12 noon on Thursday 20 January 2022**.

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Nominations can be emailed to the Returning Officer at [nominations@tec.tas.gov.au](mailto:nominations@tec.tas.gov.au), posted to PO Box 1005 Moonah, 7009 or faxed to 6208 8791.

## Candidate statements

You can only complete your candidate statement online at [www.tec.tas.gov.au/statements](http://www.tec.tas.gov.au/statements).

If you have a disability which prevents you from entering your candidate statement on-line, please call the TEC on 1800 801 701 to discuss alternative arrangements.

The following are the approved requirements for candidate statements:

- Statements will accompany the ballot papers sent to each elector and will be published on the TEC's website
- There will be one statement per candidate, even if the candidate is contesting two elections
- Statements are limited to 600 characters, including spaces, punctuation and carriage returns.
- The heading above your statement will include your ballot paper name and the position(s) you are contesting.
- Statements are limited to two paragraphs
- Statements may not include lists or dot points: use semi-colons within paragraphs if necessary
- Statements may be amended or rejected at the Electoral Commissioner's discretion
- You may not mention another candidate by name without his or her written consent
- You may not refer to the office of Justice of the Peace
- You may not refer to giving gifts, donations or prizes
- You are responsible for the accuracy of your statement
- Statements are not compulsory for a valid nomination
- Statements must be submitted before the close of nominations at 12 noon on Thursday 20 January 2022

## Candidate photographs

You are invited to submit a digital photograph for publication with your candidate statement.

The following are the approved requirements for photographs:

- They should be passport style, that is, head and shoulders on a neutral background. However, you may smile and/or wear glasses, as you wish
- They should be recent
- Photographs will be published in black and white at a resolution of 300 dpi
- Photographs may be adjusted or rejected at the Electoral Commissioner's discretion

## Candidate web links

You are invited to submit a web link with your candidate statement, as an opportunity to present more detailed policy and personal information to interested voters. The link could be your own website or a Facebook page or other online presence. Web links will be published on the TEC's website, at the Electoral Commissioner's discretion, and you are responsible for the content on the linked pages.

## Candidate information booklet

This booklet is available on the TEC website, from your Returning Officer or Electoral Officer, or by calling 1800 801 701.

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### Personal Information Protection Statement (required by the *Personal Information Protection Act 2004*).

1. Personal information will be collected from you for the purpose of your nomination for local government elections and will be used by the Tasmanian Electoral Commission (TEC) for assessing and managing the nomination, and may be used for other purposes permitted by the *Local Government Act 1993* and regulations made by or under that Act.
2. Failure to provide this information may result in your nomination not being able to be accepted and processed.
3. Your personal information will be used for the primary purpose for which it is collected and may be disclosed to contractors and agents of the TEC.
4. Your basic personal information may be disclosed to other public sector bodies where necessary for the efficient storage and use of the information.
5. Personal information will be managed in accordance with the *Personal Information Protection Act 2004* and may be accessed by the individual to whom it relates on request to the TEC. You may be charged a fee for this service.