

NOTES

1. If the election is in respect of a subdivision of a local government area (ward or community board), the nominators must be electors of that subdivision. If under any enactment a candidate is not qualified for election unless he/she is an elector of the subdivision, the nominee must also be an elector of that subdivision.
2. A nominator in the case of a candidate for city, district and regional council or a community board may be a residential or ratepayer elector.
3. A candidate may not nominate themselves for office.
4. Where no affiliation is claimed, or an affiliation is disallowed by the Electoral Officer under Section 57 of the Act, nothing will be shown in the public notice against the candidate's name, whether or not any other candidates have claimed an affiliation.
5. Under Section 121 of the Local Electoral Act 2001, any person is liable to a fine of \$2,000 who:
 - (a) consents to being nominated as a candidate when knowing themselves to be ineligible for election (for further information about candidates' qualifications please see the Candidate Information Pack available with this nomination paper); or
 - (b) nominates any person as a candidate whom he/she knows to be ineligible for election; or
 - (c) not being the candidate signs any nomination paper knowing that they are not qualified to vote at the election.
6. A candidate may under Section 56 of the Local Electoral Act be nominated under a name which the candidate is commonly known provided that the name will not:
 - cause offence to a reasonable person
 - be unreasonably long
 - include an official rank or title
 - cause confusion or mislead electors
7. A candidate may, in accordance with Section 61 of the Local Electoral Act 2001 and Clauses 26 to 29 of the Local Electoral Regulations 2001, provide a candidate profile statement including a recent passport size photograph for despatch to electors with the voting documents. The candidate profile statement and photo MUST accompany the nomination. For further information about candidate profile statements, please refer to the Candidate Information Pack available with this nomination paper.
8. Nominations of candidates must be in the hands of the Electoral Officer, Invercargill City Council, 101 Esk Street, Invercargill or Bluff Service Centre, 94-98 Gore Street, Bluff no later than **12 noon on Friday, 12 August 2016.**
9. Each nomination must be accompanied by the required deposit of \$200 (GST inclusive).
10. Evidence of New Zealand citizenship may be requested by the Electoral Officer at the time of candidate nomination. Acceptable evidence includes a New Zealand Passport, New Zealand Birth Certificate, or New Zealand Citizenship documentation, e.g. Certificate of Citizenship or Determination of Citizenship.

C For the **Electoral Officer** to complete

Received at the hour of _____ am/pm on the _____ day of _____ 2016.

Signature _____ Receipt No. _____

(The receipt given in respect of this nomination paper does not constitute an acknowledgement that this nomination paper is in order.)