Form EL 18(A)

DECLARATION OF QUALIFICATIONS
FOR THE TOWNSHIP OF MALAHIDE 2022 MUNICIPAL ELECTION
MUNICIPAL CANDIDATES

I, _____, a nominated candidate for the office of:

☐ Mayor

☐ Deputy Mayor

☐ Councillor, Ward _____

Do Solemnly Declare That:

1. I am qualified pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* and the *Municipal Act, 2001* to be elected to and to hold office of:

   ☐ Mayor

   ☐ Deputy Mayor

   ☐ Councillor, Ward _____

2. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 1, I am at least eighteen years of age, am a Canadian citizen, a resident of the Township of Malahide or the owner or tenant of land in the Township of Malahide or the spouse or same sex partner of such owner or tenant.

3. I am not ineligible or disqualified under the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996,* the *Municipal Act, 2001*, the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act* or any other *Act* to be elected to or hold the above-mentioned office.

4. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 3,

   - I am not an employee of the Township of Malahide, or if I am an employee of the Township of Malahide, I am on an unpaid leave of absence as provided for by section 30 of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.
   - I am not a judge of any court. Township of Malahide
   - I am not a member of the Assembly as provided in the *Legislative Assembly Act* or of the Senate or House of Commons of Canada, if I am such a person, I will provide proof of my resignation in a form satisfactory to the Clerk of the Township of Malahide prior to 2:00 p.m. on nomination day, August 19, 2022. I understand that the Clerk of the Township of Malahide will reject my nomination for the above-mentioned office if I fail to provide proof of resignation by this deadline.

   - I am not a member of the Executive Council of Ontario or a federal Minister of the Crown.

- I am not a Crown employee within the meaning of the *Public Service Act*, or if I am a Crown employee, I have followed and will continue to follow all the relevant provisions of Part III of such *Act*.

5. I am not prohibited from voting at the municipal election under subsection 17(3) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.

6. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 5,

   - I am not a person who is serving a sentence of imprisonment in a penal or correctional institution.

   - I am not a person who was convicted of a corrupt practice described in subsection 90(3) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, during an election that occurred less than four years prior to Monday, October 24, 2022.

7. I am not a candidate who was convicted of a corrupt practice under the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* or of an offence under the *Criminal Code* (Canada), in connection with an act or omission with respect to a municipal election if the Voting Day in that election is less than six years prior to Monday, October 24, 2022.

8. I am not disqualified from being elected to or holding office by reason of any violations of the election campaign financial requirements or violations for not filing the financial statement pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*.

AND I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the *Canada Evidence Act*.

Declared before me at the Township of Malahide

This _____ day of _____, 2022 _____
(Signature of candidate)

_____
(Signature of Clerk or designate)

Personal information on this form is collected under the authority of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* and will be used for the nomination process for office in the municipal election and will be available for public inspection in the office of the Clerk, (name of municipality) until the next municipal election. Questions about this collection of personal information should be directed to (insert municipal information).