

ULKATCHO FIRST NATION
CHIEF AND COUNCIL ELECTIONS 2025

NOMINEE INSTRUCTIONS

Congratulations on being nominated for the position of Chief or Councillor for the Ulkatcho First Nation.

In order to qualify as a Candidate and have your name appear on the ballot you MUST:

1. **Before 5:00pm Wednesday March 19, 2025**, complete and provide the Electoral Officer (Marcus Hadley) or Deputy Electoral Officer (Liz Anderson) your **Acceptance of Nomination** form.
2. **At 5:00pm Wednesday March 19, 2025**, participate in the **Candidates' Public Forum** being held at the UFN Community Hall. *Note that you must sign in (in person or online) for the Forum BEFORE the 5:00pm start or you will not be permitted to participate in the Forum and so will be disqualified as a Candidate.*
3. **Before 5:00pm Monday March 24, 2025**, acquire from the RCMP and provide the Electoral Officer or Deputy Electoral Officer an up-to-date **Criminal Record Check**.

FAILURE TO MEET ANY OF THESE CRITERIA WILL RESULT IN YOU NOT QUALIFYING AS A CANDIDATE IN THIS ELECTION.

Once you are a Candidate you MAY:

1. **Appoint one (1) Scrutineer** by indicating the name of the scrutineer on your Acceptance of Nomination form.
2. Before close of Polls at 8:00pm on Tuesday April 29, 2025, **withdraw your candidacy** by completing and providing to the Electoral Officer or Deputy Electoral Officer the Withdrawal of Candidacy form.

Given under my hand this 18th day of March 2025.



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ACCEPTANCE OF NOMINATION FORM

I, _____, being a member of the Ulkatcho First Nation, band number _____, having been nominated as a candidate for the position of _____, at the Ulkatcho First Nation nomination meeting held at _____, on _____, 20____, and being qualified to hold such office under the Ulkatcho First Nation Electoral Code, formally accept my nomination.

I do solemnly declare that I:

1. am a member of Ulkatcho First Nation
2. am at least eighteen (18) years of age or older on Election Day;
3. am not an undischarged bankrupt person; and
4. have not been convicted of an indictable offence in the last five (5) years for which a pardon has not been entered, except in the pursuit or defence of Aboriginal rights and title.

In accepting this nomination, I agree to abide by the Oath of Office, Contract between Elected Officials and Community, and the Policies and Regulations of Ulkatcho First Nation.

I wish to appoint _____ as my scrutineer.

DATED THIS _____ day of _____, 20_____.

Signature of Nominee

Signature of Electoral Officer or Deputy Electoral Officer

Date and time received: _____