

Appointment of scrutineer

Personal information collection notice – please see page 2 for further information.

The completed form will be kept by the election official. Please make copies of this form if you intend to scrutineer at multiple locations as election officials may collect this form.

- A candidate for Mayor or Councillor in a council area cannot act as a scrutineer in that council area, but may act as a scrutineer in a different council area.
- For candidates included in a group, an appointment may be made by any or all of them.
- Photocopies of this form with the “Appointment of scrutineer” section completed will be accepted, but the declaration must be made before an election official on each occasion and at the location you intend to scrutineer.

I appoint the following scrutineer:

<input type="text"/>		DD / MM / YYYY
SCRUTINEER NAME		ELECTION DATE
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
COUNCIL AREA	WARD (IF APPLICABLE)	
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>	
CANDIDATE NAME	GROUP NAME (IF APPLICABLE)	
<input type="text"/>	DD / MM / YYYY	
CANDIDATE SIGNATURE	DATE	

Declaration of scrutineer (must be completed in front of election official)

I

SCRUTINEER'S NAME

<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
EMAIL	PHONE

do hereby solemnly declare that I will:

- inform myself of my obligations and the relevant offence provisions under the *Local Government (General) Regulation 2021*
- inform myself of the NSW Electoral Commission’s (NSWEC) Scrutineer Policy available at elections.nsw.gov.au
- carry out my duties and functions in accordance with the *Local Government (General) Regulation 2021* and the Scrutineer Policy
- at all times while performing scrutineering functions, wear the scrutineer identification supplied to me by the NSWEC
- present this form to an election official on request.

I will not:

- either directly or indirectly, divulge or communicate any information with respect to the vote of an elector acquired by me in the performance of my duties or functions in a manner that is likely to enable the identification of an elector
- interfere with, influence or attempt to influence an elector or an election official
- ignore lawful directions of election officials, or hinder or obstruct an election official in the performance of their duties
- communicate with any person in a polling place or pre-poll voting office except in performance of my duties or functions
- use any device to film or record election processes
- attempt to act as a scrutineer in a council area for which I am a candidate for Mayor or Councillor.

and I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true, and by virtue of the provisions of the *Oaths Act 1900*.

Declared before me at:

<input type="text"/>	DD / MM / YYYY	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
LOCATION	DATE	SCRUTINEER'S SIGNATURE	ELECTION OFFICIAL SIGNATURE
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Note: Part 4 of the *Oaths Act 1900* applies to this declaration as if it were made under that Act.

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The information collected on this form will be used by the NSW Electoral Commission for the purpose of administering elections, including its regulatory and enforcement functions. We may contact you with information or surveys about the election. The information you provide is held by us and accessible by relevant staff and our contractors. It may also be disclosed to other persons or entities if required or authorised by law. If this form is not completed as indicated, you cannot act as a scrutineer. You can find additional information concerning access to and correction of your personal information in our Privacy Management Plan published on our website.