

## **KÖHI MĀORI CONSTITUENCY**BAY OF PLENTY REGIONAL COUNCIL **2019** NOMINATION PAPER Nominations must be in the hands of the Electoral Officer/Official before 12 noon, Friday 16 August 2019

A: CANDIDATE to fill out after reading important information on reverse										
I (candidate's full name),										
accept the nomination and confirm that I have read and understand the <b>Eligibility and Candidacy</b> notes on the reverse of this form and declare I am qualified to be a candidate by:  • being a NZ citizen <b>and</b> a NZ parliamentary elector, and I am not;  • concerned or interested in contracts over \$25,000 with the Council or I have obtained prior approval from the office of The Controller and Auditor-General, and;  • I am not disqualified under section 58 of the Local Electoral Act 2001.										
Address (as listed on										
the parliamentary roll):										
Email (EO's preferred firs	t point of contact):									
Mobile phone:				Home phone:						
	<u> </u>			publicly available for electio						
Please advise the Electoral Officer at the time of lodging your nomination if there are contact details that you would not like to be published.  Note: Section 55(5) of the Local Electoral Act 2001 requires that this nomination form be available for public inspection at the Bay of Plenty Regional Council offices at 5 Quay Street, Whakatane or 87 1st Avenue, Tauranga. Please note that candidate and nominator details provided on this and any profile statements and photos will be made publicly available after the close of nominations. These details will be available through online channels and electronic applications.										
I submit with this nomina (please tick appropriate c			Evidence of NZ citizenship	Evidence of deposit (\$200)	Photo	Profile statement				
I understand that, in not providing a profile or photo, the words "Profile/Photo not supplied" will appear below my name in the profile booklet that will be sent out with the voting paper. All nomination documents must be submitted at the same time.										
My principal place of residence (tick ONE circle):  is <b>WITHIN</b> the Kōhi Māori Constituency area is <b>NOT WITHIN</b> the Kōhi Māori Constituence area										
I am also standing for the following elections:										
I wish my name to be shown o	I wish my name to be shown on the voting document as:									
I wish to use the following affiliation (To be left blank if the candidate does not wish to use any party/group affiliation. A candidate with no affiliation may request that 'independent' be shown):										
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Signature:					Date:					
B: NOMINATORS to fill	l out									
We, the undersigned elec	tors of the <b>Kōhi Mā</b>	ori Constituen	<b>cy</b> hereby nomina	te (candidate's full name):						
with his/her consent, as a candidate for the <b>Kōhi Māori Constituency</b> of <b>Bay of Plenty Regional Council</b> , the election for which is to be held on Saturday 12 October 2019.										
Full name of First Nomin	ator:									
Address:										
Mobile phone:				Home phone:						
Signature of <b>First Nomin</b>	ator:				Date:					
Full name of <b>Second Nominator</b> :										
Address:					_					
Mobile phone:				Home phone:						
Signature of <b>Second Non</b>	ninator:				Date:					

## **ELIGIBILITY & CANDIDACY NOTES**

- 1 Candidates do not need to live within the Köhi Māori Constituency, but must be a New Zealand citizen and enrolled as a parliamentary elector.
- 2 Both nominators must be enrolled as electors in the Kōhi Māori Constituency area.
- 3 No person can be elected to a local authority if he/she is concerned or interested in contracts over \$25,000 with that local authority. This restriction is waived if prior approval from the Office of Controller and Auditor-General is obtained.
- 4 A candidate may stand for either the regional council or city/district council/community board in the regional council's district but not both [section 58 LEA].
- 5 A candidate may not stand for more than one constituency of the same local authority [section 57A LEA].
- 6 A candidate cannot nominate themselves for office.
- A candidate may under section 56 of the Local Electoral Act 2001 (LEA) 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 or resemble an official rank or title; cause confusion or mislead electors [section 56 LEA].
- 8 Where no affiliation is claimed, or an affiliation is disallowed by the Electoral Officer under section 57 of the LEA, nothing will be shown in the public notice or the voting paper against the candidate's name. A candidate with no affiliation may request that 'Independent' be shown.
- 9 Under section 121 of the LEA, any person is liable to a fine of up to \$2,000 who:
  - (a) Knowing themselves to be ineligible for election, consents to being nominated for election; 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.
- 10 Each nomination must be accompanied by the required deposit of \$200.00 (inclusive of GST) or proof of an electronic deposit.
- 11 Evidence of NZ citizenship may be requested at time of candidate nomination. Acceptable evidence includes NZ Passport, NZ Birth Certificate, NZ Citizenship documentation.
- 12 Nominations of candidates must be in the hands of the Electoral Officer or Electoral Official before 12 noon on the 16 August 2019.
- 13 An employee of a regional council may stand for election as a councillor of that local authority, but if elected, must resign as an employee of the local authority before taking office.
- 14 Previous restrictions on Police employees wanting to stand for election to a local authority have now been removed and there are now no restrictions applying to Police employees wishing to stand in local authority elections.

## **RETURN, PAYMENT AND REFUND DETAILS**

Scan and email to:	tone.nerdrumsmith@boprc.govt.nz																							
or, <b>post</b> to:	The Electoral Officer, Bay of Plenty Regional Council, PO Box 364, Whakatāne 3158																							
or, <b>deliver</b> to:	Bay of Plenty Regional Council office, 5 Quay Street, Whakatāne or to Bay of Plenty Regional Council Office, 87 1st Avenue, Tauranga.																							
Payments can be made by <b>cash</b> or <b>eftpos</b> directly at the the above BOPRC offices if you are returning this form by hand, or by <b>online banking</b> using the details provided below:										the														
Account name:			The Bay of Plenty Regional Council							Bank:								ANZ						
Account number:			06 0489 0094734 00							Particulars/Reference:							(your surname)							
Code:	BOPRC																							
Refunds of nomination deposits (where eligible) will be made by online deposit into a bank account. Please list below the bank account to use for your refund.																								
Account name:																								
Account number:			-				-								-									

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All nomination documents must be submitted at the same time. For assistance phone the tollfree helpline: 0800 666 048

ELECTORAL OFFICIAL to fill out										
Received at the hour of:	on the	day of	20							
Candidate Roll #:										
First Nominator Roll #:		Second Nominator Roll #:								
	Nomination paper	Deposit/proof of deposit	Place of residence							
Nomination documents approved:	Photo	Profile statement	Standing for other elections							
	Proof of NZ citizenship									
Signature of <b>Electoral Official</b> :		Date:								