

MISSION STATEMENT:

“The City of Windsor, with the involvement of its citizens, will deliver effective and responsive municipal services, and will mobilize innovative community partnerships”

MEMORANDUM TO: Financial Institution

SUBJECT: Campaign Accounts

The *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* requires a candidate running in the 2022 Municipal Election for Office to ensure that:

“88.22(1)(a) No contribution of money are accepted or expenses incurred unless one or more campaign accounts are first opened at a financial institution exclusively for the purposes of the election campaign;

88.22(1)(b) all contributions of money are deposited into the campaign accounts;

88.22(1)(c) all funds in the campaign accounts are used exclusively for the purposes of the election campaign;

88.22(1)(d) all payments for expenses are made from the campaign account(s);”

The *Municipal Elections Act, 1996* does not contain any prohibition against a candidate being a signing officer on the campaign account, nor does it require a candidate to have a chief financial officer, as is the case with provincial and federal election candidates.

If you have any questions, please contact the Elections Office at 519-255-6100, ext. 6285.

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