

VOTE



CANDIDATE NEWSLETTER

Vote in the 2022 Town of Newmarket Municipal Election
Online, Anytime
October 15 to 24, 2022

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Welcome to the 6th Candidate Newsletter for the 2022 Town of Newmarket Municipal Election.

This Newsletter provides candidates with upcoming important dates, election events and other important information.



All issues are posted in the Resources section at newmarketvotes.ca and are available on the Candidate Portal.

Voters can still get on the Voters' List

Candidates and their teams are encouraged to remind voters who haven't received their voting PIN that they still can still get themselves on the Municipal Voters List **up until October 24** by:

- Using the easy [online tool](#) until **6 PM on October 24**
- Attending in person at any [Voter Assistance Centre](#) 10 AM to 8 PM daily until October 24:
 - **Magna Centre (800 Mulock Drive) – Gymnasium**
 - **Ray Twinney Recreation Complex (100 Eagle Street West) – Lounge 2**
- Attending in person at the **Municipal Offices (395 Mulock Drive) Customer Service Department** on Monday, October 24 during regular business hours: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM

In all cases, to be added to the List, voters must provide [acceptable identification](#) that shows their name and Newmarket address.

Election Sign Reminders

As we enter the home stretch, here are a few reminders about election signs:

When placing election signs around Town, please ensure you meet the setbacks. Even if you are meeting the setbacks, ensure that you are not blocking vehicular vision. Signs may still be removed if they act as a visual impairment, and as a safety concern for both drivers and pedestrians.

While the vast majority of residents, candidates and their representatives are respectful of election signs placed in compliance with Newmarket and York Region by-laws, there have been reports of signs being stolen or damaged. It's worth noting that stealing election signs is illegal and could result in charges of theft.

And finally, please remember that election signs must be removed from public and private property no later than Thursday, October 27 at 8 PM.

[Election Complaint forms](#) are available to anyone who wishes to register a complaint about election signs, or to report any contravention of election rules.

Dates to Remember for Financial Reporting

Usually, campaigns must end on December 31. However, since December 31, 2022 is a Saturday, the deadline moves to January 3, 2023. Your campaign must end on January 3, 2023 unless you have a deficit and inform the clerk in writing that you are going to extend your campaign. Once your campaign has ended, you should close your campaign bank account and prepare your campaign financial statement.

Financial statements must be filed with the clerk by 2 p.m. on Friday, March 31, 2023.

Release of Unofficial Election Results

The election period will close at 8 PM on Monday, October 24, 2022. The election team will post the results on the [Results Page](#) on newmarketvotes.ca as soon as possible after 8 PM. Unofficial results can only be posted after:

- All voters who started voting before 8 pm complete their process; and
- The online and paper ballot results are compiled

Note: Results for the York Catholic District School Board Trustee race are based on combined votes cast in the Towns of Newmarket, Georgina and East Gwillimbury. This means that the timing for the results of this race are dependent on when Newmarket receives results from Georgina and East Gwillimbury.

The unofficial results posted on newmarketvotes.ca will be displayed simultaneously in the Town of Newmarket Council Chambers for everyone present

to see.

Official results will be posted and released to the media when they are certified by the Town Clerk as soon as possible on October 25, 2022.

Make sure you visit our website newmarketvotes.ca for all your 2022 Newmarket Municipal Election answers to your questions. If you can't find the information you are looking for, give us a call at 905-953-5152 or email elections@newmarket.ca

