



Candidate Q and A

If I am running for a Regional Councillor position, can I run in the region that I work in or in the region I live?

Eligibility for Regional Councillor

S.14 (2) and s.8 of Regulation 941 prescribe the eligibility to serve as a Regional Councillor.

8. A person elected or nominated for election as a regional councillor must, at the time of the election or nomination, reside within the Region in which the person is elected or nominated for election. R.R.O. 1990, Reg. 941, s. 8.

If PEO Council will continue hybrid meetings to make it easier for northern Councillors to attend?

Councillors always have the option of attending meetings virtually whether they are hybrid or planned to be in-person.

What travel costs are covered by PEO if you need to travel for Council?

Travel costs for Councillors include meals, hotels, mileage as well as travel by air or train.

What is the difference between Regional and Councillor at Large?

Regional Councillors are elected by voters in their specific region. Councillors-at-Large are elected by all eligible voters.

Do any Councillors have more power than others depending on their title?

All Councillors have an equal vote on Council. The elected Chair does have the responsibility of conducting the Council meetings.