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CONSENT OF THE CANDIDATE

I, _____, hereby consent to this
name
 nomination as a candidate for _____ at the October 15, 2026
position

CAFN Election and by signing I swear that I meet all the requirements set out in the *CAFN Election Rules and Regulations* for this position (noted on next page).

- ☐ I am a CAFN enrolled Citizen;
- ☐ I meet the age requirement for the position as of the date of election;
- ☐ I have NOT been convicted of a *Criminal Code* offence related to fraud or breach of public trust; and
- ☐ I have NOT been removed from the First Nations Council in the past ten (10) years preceding the date of election.

Date _____
Signature of Candidate

This Nomination Form must be submitted and received by the Chief Returning Officer (CRO) no later than **4:30 pm** on **September 3, 2026**.

The Form may be:

- a) sent by registered mail so that it is received by the CRO no later than 4:30 pm on September 3, 2026 → PO Box 5360, Haines Junction, YT, Y0B 1L0
- b) hand delivered in person to the CRO (call (867)_____ for Haines Junction Location); or
- c) emailed to CAFNelectionboard@gmail.com.

Following submission, please contact the CRO by phone at (867)_____, to notify that the submission has been made.

Date Received _____
Chief Returning Officer



CAFN Election Rules and Regulations

Eligible Candidates

11. (1) To be eligible for nomination as a candidate for election, a citizen:
- (a) must be of the age required for that position as of the date of election;
 - (b) cannot have been convicted of a *Criminal Code* offence related to fraud or breach of public trust; and
 - (c) must have not been removed from the First Nations Council in the past ten (10) years preceding the date of election.
- (2) The age requirements for positions on the First Nations Council are:
- (a) for the position of Chief, candidates must be thirty (30) years of age or older on polling day;
 - (b) for the positions of Councillor, candidates must be twenty-four (24) years of age or older on polling day;
 - (c) for the position of Elder Councillor, candidates must be sixty (60) years of age or older on polling day; and
 - (d) for the position of Youth Councillor, candidates must have reached sixteen (16) years of age and have not passed twenty-five (25) years of age before the polling day.

Eligibility of CAFN Employees for Election

12. (1) A citizen who is an employee of the First Nations Government may put their name forward for election.
- (2) Upon the acceptance of their nomination forms, an employee of the First Nations Government must immediately take a leave of absence as an employee until the completion of the election.
- (3) An employee who is elected as a member of the First Nations Council shall resign their position as an employee or take a leave of absence without pay from the date of election for one term of office. The Human Resources Manual policy will apply.

Eligibility of Elected and Senior Officials of other Governments

13. (1) A citizen who is an elected official or senior official of another government may put their name forward for election.
- (2) Upon the acceptance of their nomination forms, an elected official or senior official of another government must immediately take a leave of absence from their position.
- (3) An elected official or senior official of another government who is declared elected shall resign their position as an elected official or senior official of another government prior to taking office.

CAFN Constitution – the term is 4 years