



CANDIDATE INFORMATION

2025 City of Hamilton Ward 8 By-Election

As you prepare to be a candidate in the 2025 City of Hamilton Ward 8 By-Election, you should be aware that it is the responsibility of each candidate, through their own determination or with the assistance of a lawyer and/or a financial professional, to ensure that the legal and financial requirements related to your candidacy have been met.

It is critical that each candidate read and is familiar with the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, which is available electronically through <https://www.ontario.ca/laws>.

The Ministry of Municipal Affairs has prepared a candidates' guide which can be found at www.ontario.ca. The guide is a valuable resource to candidates and helps to provide guidance on more challenging aspects of the *Act* for candidates.

Key Dates to be aware of during the 2025 City of Hamilton Ward 8 By-Election:

Description	Date
Nomination period begins	June 19, 2025
Nomination Day (last day to file a nomination)	August 8, 2025 by 2:00pm
Final day for withdrawal of candidacy	August 8, 2025 by 2:00pm
Acclamations	August 11, 2025 immediately after 4:00pm
Advanced Voting Day	September 20, 2025
Advanced Voting Day	September 21, 2025
Voting Day	September 22, 2025
Deadline for filing financial statement and auditor's report	Thursday November 6, 2025 by 2:00pm
Term of Office ends	November 14, 2026

Offices

The following office will be contested for the 2025 City of Hamilton Ward 8 By-Election:

Councillor:

Ward 8

One (1) to be elected

General Election Inquiries:

For further information please visit the City's Municipal Election website at www.hamilton.ca/elections, or contact Elections Staff at elections@hamilton.ca.