## **Personal Statement of Qualifications**

Jason Page, BA, CD, Captain (Ret'd) 180 Old River Rd, Mallorytown, ON, K0E 1R0

**Professional Summary:** Accomplished and service-driven professional with 19 years of leadership experience in the Canadian Armed Forces, followed by extensive community and humanitarian service. Demonstrated success in command, operations, training, and fiscal oversight, including the management of a \$6 million unit budget. Recognized for integrity, professionalism, and commitment to ethical leadership. Retired at the rank of Captain after a career distinguished by operational excellence and dedication to public service. With a B.A. (Psychology & Visual Arts) - Brock University, Diploma in Human Resource Management - St. Lawrence College, and Certificate in Disaster Management - The Chan School.

**Volunteer work:** as a Volunteer Firefighter (Welland, 2001–2005); three humanitarian deployments to Ukraine (2022–2023) delivering medical aid and TCCC training; long-time volunteer for the Canadian International Air Show (2006–2024); volunteer two years with the Rockport Winter Carnival; Director of Membership for the Rotary Club of Gananoque; and Chair of the 1000 Islands Family Ribfest (2025–2026).

**Awards:** 31 CBG Brigade Commander's Commendation (2006) as the Medical Operations Officer for EXERCISE VIGILANT GUARDIAN. 31 CBG Commendation for Assistance to Police in the arrest of a fleeing suspect (2005), Area Surgeon's Award, Land Forces Central Area for rescue of a soldier in Allegheny Park (1998), Niagara Police Services Board Commendation for Courageous Actions during the rescue of a woman being assaulted (1994).

**Core Competencies:** Operational Planning • Budget & Resource Management • Public Affairs • Ethics Coordinator • Training & Development • Emergency Response • Mentorship

**Leadership**: Battery Commander, Adjutant, Operations and Training Officer, personnel safety, and mission readiness.

**Fiscal & Administrative Oversight**: Managed multimillion-dollar budgets, coordinated logistics, and ensured expenditure compliance within Department of National Defence standards.

**Ethics & Public Affairs**: Served as Army Ethics Coordinator for 31 Service Battalion and 56th Field Regiment; trained in Public Affairs and Expenditure Management.

**Training & Mentorship:** Delivered artillery, medical, and leadership instruction; promoted professional development and teamwork.

**Emergency & Humanitarian Response**: Background in Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC), disaster management, experience in disaster zones, and international volunteer aid.

Form EL18(A)

Declaration of Qualifications - Council

Municipal Elections Act, 1996



## Declaration of Qualifications For the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands Councillor – Ward 3 Vacancy

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## Do solemnly Declare that:

- 1. I am qualified pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996 and the *Municipal Act*, 2001 to hold the office of Councillor, Ward 3.
- 2. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 1, I am at least eighteen years of age, a Canadian citizen, a resident of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands or the owner or tenant of land in the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands or the spouse of such owner or tenant.
- 3. I am not ineligible or disqualified under the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996, the *Municipal Act*, 2001, the *Municipal Conflict of Interest Act*, 1990 or any other Act to hold the above-mentioned office.
- 4. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 3,
  - I am not an employee of the Corporation of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands or local board, or if I am an employee of the Corporation of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands, I am on a unpaid leave of absence as provided for by section 30 of the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996.
  - I am not a judge of any court.
  - I am not a member of the Assembly as provided in the Legislative
     Assembly Act, 1990 or of the Senate or House of Commons of Canada or,
     if I am such as person, I will provide proof of my resignation in a form
     satisfactory to the Clerk of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand
     Islands prior to 2:00 on the last day for applications, February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025. I
     understand that the Clerk of the Township of Leeds and the Thousand

- Islands will reject my application for the above-mentioned office if I fail to provide proof of resignation by this deadline.
- I am not a Crown employee within the meaning of the Public Service of Ontario Act, 1990 or if I am a Crown employee, I have followed and will continue to follow all the relevant provisions of Part III of such Act.
- 5. I am not prohibited from voting at the municipal election under subsection 17(3) of the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996.
- 6. Without limiting the generality of paragraph 1,
  - I am not a person who is serving a sentence of imprisonment in a penal or correctional institution.
  - I am not a person who was convicted of a corrupt practice described in subsection 90(3) of the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996, during an election that occurred less than five years prior to October 24, 2022.
- 7. I am not a candidate who was convicted of a corrupt practice under the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996 or of an offence under the Criminal Code (Canada), in connection with an act or omission with respect to a municipal election if the Voting Day in that election is less than six years prior to October 24, 2022.
- 8. I am not disqualified from holding office by reason of any violations of the election campaign financial requirements or violations for not filing the financial statement pursuant to the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996.

And I make this solemn Declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and known that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath by virtue of the *Canada Evidence Act.* 1985.

Declared before me at the Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands.

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						Signature of Candidate

Signature of Clerk or designate



Form TLTI03

Consent to Release Personal Information

Signature of Clerk or designate

Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act, 1990

Personal information on the Declaration of Qualifications Form (Form EL18A) as well as the one-page personal statement is collected under the authority of the *Municipal Elections Act*, 1996 and will be used to assist the Clerk in the administration of the Councillor – Ward 3 Vacancy.

Questions regarding this collection should be forwarded to the Clerk, 1233 Prince Street, PO Box 280, Lansdowne, Ontario K0E 1L0, by telephone to 61-659-2415 extension 231, or email to <a href="mailto:clerk@townshipleeds.on.ca">clerk@townshipleeds.on.ca</a>.

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Name of Candidate: <u>Jason Page</u>				
Candidate for the office of:				
Councillor Ward 3				
I acknowledge that the Declaration of Qualifications Form (Form EL18A) as well as the one-page personal statement filed by me contains personal information and I am aware that the Clerk will disclose all or part of it to the public.				
This	Signature of Candidate			
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