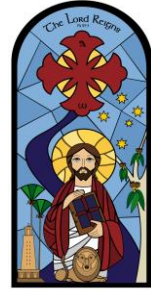




**Coptic Orthodox Church  
Diocese of Sydney and Affiliated Regions  
Parish Council Elections  
(2022)**



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**NOMINATION FORM**

**Personal Information**

Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**Experience**

Current Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Relevant skills &  
experience  
(including previous  
Parish councils): \_\_\_\_\_

**CONDITIONS FOR NOMINATION FOR PARISH COUNCIL**

In accordance with Rule 3(7) of the Constitution, any member of the Parish who wishes to be elected to the Parish Council must satisfy the following conditions on appointment and throughout the term:

- A Coptic Orthodox Christian over eighteen (18) years old;
- Adheres to the Coptic Orthodox Church faith, doctrine and practices;
- A regular attendee of the Parish services;
- An active participant in the sacraments of the Church, including confession and the sacrament of the Eucharist;
- Have served only one term (3 years) on the Parish Council in the last 6 years or has not served on the Parish Council for at least 3 years;

*As this is the first Parish Council election, anyone currently serving on the Board of Deacons or a parish council will be deemed to have served one term (regardless of their actual length of service) and may be elected to Parish Council for one further term.*

- Is not currently serving on another Parish Council; and
- Is not prevented from serving under Rule 3(34)(E) or(G) or Rule 3(35)(A) or (B) of the Constitution.

**I hereby declare that I have read the Conditions set out above and I confirm that I satisfy all the Conditions.**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parish Member Recommendations**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

**Parish Priest Recommendation**

*This must be signed by a Priest serving at the same Parish as the nominee*

Priest Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_