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Dear

Re: **Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury  
Municipal Election 2006 - Confirmation of Canadian Citizenship**

In preparation of the 2006 Municipal Election scheduled for Monday, November 13, 2006, there appears to be discrepancies associated with some of your personal information. In order to assure the accuracy of the data and maintain the integrity of the Voter's List, we need to ensure you are an eligible voter.

Please review carefully the attached information page and make any amendments or corrections to the respective sections.

If you are a Canadian Citizen, please make the corrections to the information page and return it to our office with proof of Citizenship by supplying a photocopy of your Birth Certificate, Canadian Passport or Canadian Citizenship card. If you are not a Canadian Citizen, please confirm this on the attached information page and return it to our office. Information pages must be dated, signed and returned either by regular first class mail to the Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury, P.O. Box 160, Bradford, ON L3Z 2A8, or in person to the Administration Centre at 3541 Line 11, Bradford, by **August 15, 2006**.

If we do not receive a completed form by August 15, 2006, and you are eligible to vote, you will be required to provide election staff with acceptable identification before you will be permitted to vote. As well, you will be required to take an oral oath confirming that you are a Canadian Citizen, at least 18 years of age, and are an owner or spouse of an owner of land or tenant or reside in the municipality. Proof of identification including Citizenship will be required at the voting place.

A Birth Certificate, Notice of Birth, Canadian Citizenship Card or Canadian Passport are acceptable identification for confirming Citizenship. Secondary identification may include Baptismal Certificate, Marriage Certificate, Driver's Licence, Certificate of Indian Status, Senior's Card, Military Card, College/University Student Card and FireArms Licence. Permanent Residency Cards are not issued to Canadian Citizens.

Should you have any questions or require further explanation, please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned for more information.

Yours truly,

Patricia R. Nash  
Deputy Clerk

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PAGE FOR ELIGIBILITY AND QUALIFICATION  
INFORMATION

Subsection 17(2) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996, as amended provides Qualification of Electors as follows:

*"A person is entitled to be an elector at an election held in a local municipality if, on voting day, he or she,*

*\* resides in the local municipality or is the owner or tenant of land there, or the spouse or same-sex partner of such owner or tenant;*

*\* is a **Canadian Citizen**;*

*\* is at least 18 years old; and*

*\* is not prohibited from voting under subsection (3) or otherwise by law."*

Subsection 17(3) of the Municipal Elections Act, 1996, as amended provides for persons **prohibited** from voting as follows:

*"A person serving a sentence of imprisonment in a penal or correctional institution;*

*\* A corporation;*

*\* A person acting as executor or trustee or in any other representative capacity, except as a voting proxy in accordance with Section 44;*

*\* A person who was convicted of the corrupt practice described in subsection 90 (3), if voting day in the current election is less than five years after voting day in the election in respect of which he or she was convicted.*