## **Bonaparte First Nation**



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## PRELIMINARY LIST OF NOMINATED CANDIDATES

**TAKE NOTICE THAT** the Bonaparte First Nation has called an Election to be held on May 3, 2025, in accordance with the *Bonaparte First Nation Election Code* for the purpose of electing one (1) Chief that will serve a 4-year term, two (2) Councillors that will serve a 4-year term and two (2) Councillors that will serve a 2-year term, to the Office of Chief and Council.

## THIS LIST IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND WILL BE FINALIZED ON THURSDAY MARCH 27, 2025

NOMINEES FOR THE OFFICE OF CHIEF (one (1) to be elected)				
FRANK ANTOINE	VERNA BILLY MINNABARRIET	ERNEST BRIAN HARRIS	GILBERT BASIL	
	DIANE R. SANDY		KAREN WARREN	
RYAN DAY	KARA MORGAN	MARILYN PORTER	KAREN MORGAN	
(DECLINED)	SHIRLEY MORGAN	(DECLINED)	NELSON ANTOINE	

NOMINEES FOR THE OFFICE OF COUNCILLOR (four (4) to be elected)				
TERRI-ANN ALLAN	JENNY ALLEN	VERNA BILLY	BONNIE M. VANHATTEN	
	KALA MORGAN	MINNABARRIET	DANIEL KENNEDY	
JENNY LEE ALLEN	SHEILA OLSON	MATILDA MORGAN	GERALD ETIENNE SR.	
	KAREN WARREN		MARYLOU MORGAN	
NEAL ANTOINE	ARCHIE ANTOINE	RANDOLPH PORTER	ROCHELLE PORTER	
	JULIE C. ANTOINE		JOEL ISNARDY	
TAMMY BROWN	KAREN MORGAN	RAYNE PORTER	PERCY CASPER	
	STORMY MINNABARRIET		DEBRA ARNOTT	
ELAINE HERBERT	ROBERTA MOSES	ROCHELLE PORTER	LEO PORTER	
	TRACEY HERBERT		JAMIE PORTER	
JOEL ISNARDY	MICHELLE H. ANTOINE	KEITH ZABATEL	RAMONA PIERRO	
	CHESTER ANTOINE		ROSALIE ZABATEL	

**NOTE** that a nominee must meet the eligibility requirements provided for in Part 7, section 69 of the *Bonaparte First Nation Election Code* that include that a Candidate must: **a)** complete a Candidate Acceptance Form; **b)** Complete a Oath of Office; **c)** Complete an Oath of Confidentiality **d)** not owe a debt of more than \$5000 to the Band; **e)** paid the Candidate Fee of \$250; **f)** provide a biography and platform to the Electoral Officer; **g)** provide a Criminal Record Check that is not older than 3 months by Election day.

**FURTHER TAKE NOTE** that the Electoral Officer will make best efforts to contact each of the nominees to inform them of the requirements to stand as a Candidate and to provide a Candidate Package. All nominees may obtain a Candidate Package at the Bonaparte First Nation Administration Office or by email request to the Electoral Officer, Nicole Hajash at <a href="mailto:nicole@chlaw.ca">nicole@chlaw.ca</a>. It is the responsibility of each nominee who wishes to stand as a Candidate to meet the eligibility requirements and to submit all required documentation to the Electoral Officer no later than **5:00pm on Wednesday, March 26, 2025**.

DATED THIS 20<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2025

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