

All Candidates Meeting – Meeting Format

*Ontario 2018 Provincial Election – Kanata Carleton
Riding – May 24 7PM, Hall A, Kanata Recreation
Complex*

Hosted by:

- the Kanata Beaverbrook Community Association
- the Canadian Federation of University Women (Kanata)

Format

The intent of the meeting is for the public to get to know the candidates, who they are, their “public” experience, their party platform and how they will represent the riding.

Candidates will be provided with 2 minute opening remarks, 6 questions – which all Candidates will be asked to answer (2 minutes each) and 2 minute closing remarks.

Time keepers will track each speaker and issue a warning 30 seconds before the end of the allotted speaking time and “times up” at the end.

Candidate speaking order will be rotated with each of the opening/closing remarks and questions to provide balance.

Candidates can comment on other candidates remarks or rebut remarks from other candidates, but **this is not a debate**, primarily due to the large number of candidates (6) and limited time available. Excessive interrupts will be shut down.

Questions

The event is being promoted, asking for questions to be submitted by email info@kanatabeaverbrook.ca prior to the event.

Questions can also be submitted (1 per person) at the welcome desk in Hall A prior to the event.

A question selection group will pick 6 questions from those submitted by email to the Candidates 3 days before the meeting.

The first 3 questions posed to Candidates in the meeting will be from the 6 submitted by email, with up to 3 questions selected from the “at the door” provided questions for the last 3 questions.

The revised list of questions (and order) will be provided at the end of the opening remarks

Speaking Order

Candidate	Opening Statement	Questions						Closing Statement
		One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	
A	1	6	5	4	3	2	1	6
B	2	1	6	5	4	3	2	5
C	3	2	1	6	5	4	3	4
D	4	3	2	1	6	5	4	3
E	5	4	3	2	1	6	5	2
F	6	5	4	3	2	1	6	1

Candidates will be seated at a long table at the front of the meeting room, so order A.... F is from left to right as facing the table from the meeting hall.

Posters and Party Materials

Tables can be made available to each Party/Candidate at the back of the hall where they can place posters and hand out materials.

Post Meeting

The Hall is rented to 10 PM so that voters will be invited to talk with Candidates after the formal meeting closes @ 9:15.