

Poll Watcher Application – October 3, 2023, Election

Pursuant to Palmer Municipal Code, 18.30.170, each candidate or organized group that sponsors or opposes an issue, may designate **one person at a time** to be a poll watcher or observer in the city.

A person requesting to be a poll watcher shall request authorization in application form from the clerk at least **24 hours** before election day and **must** be received by the clerk’s office no later than **8 am, the day before election day**. If approved, the clerk will provide the requester an authorization letter.

Upon entering the precinct, the poll watcher **must** present the authorization letter to the election official. The poll watcher will be provided an area to view all actions of the election board. Without the proper authorization, the poll watcher must leave the polling place.

Persons observing may:

- 1. Observe the conduct of the election; and**
- 2. Check the polling booths after each voter to make sure campaign materials have not been left in the booth.**

Persons observing may not:

- 1. Have any duties in the conduct of the election;**
- 2. Touch any of the election materials;**
- 3. Interfere or disturb the orderly conduct of the election;**
- 4. Speak to or interfere with the Election workers in any way; and**
- 5. Be closer than 15 feet from the election worker table and ballot box.**

If you create a public disturbance or fail to adhere to the rules, you may be removed from the polling place.

Full Legal Name of Poll Watcher: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email: _____

Name of Candidate or Organized Group Represented: _____

Date of Election: **October 3, 2023**

Polling Location to Observe: 25-320, Borough Chambers
 25-325, School District Administration Building

Signature: _____ Date: _____