

# Polling Station Activities

Provincial Elections

(2024-03-28)



# Scrutineers

- **A candidate's agent may appoint a person (not necessarily an elector) to be a scrutineer:**
  - for the purpose of observing voting procedures and/or the counting of the ballots.
- **Scrutineers are not paid by the province and are not “election officers”.**
  - [www.electionsnb.ca](http://www.electionsnb.ca)
  - Resources → Forms →
    - P 04 201, *Appointment of Candidate's Representative*
    - P 04 305, *Information for Scrutineers*

# Candidates and Scrutineers at Polling Stations

- **Candidates may visit any polling station for their election.**
  - May enter the polling station.
  - May not campaign or obstruct voting inside.
  - May greet electors at entrance.
- **One scrutineer per polling division for each candidate, per polling station.**



# Media at the Polling Station

- **May record a candidate of a recognized party who is voting provided:**
  - Returning Officer signs P 02 151/152 permission form;
  - The candidate has agreed;
  - No interviews are conducted in the polling station; and
  - The media representatives leave the polling station as soon as the candidate has cast their ballot.



# Questions ?