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**NIAGARA COMPLIANCE AUDIT  
 COMMITTEE DECISION  
 DATE OF MEETING: 00/00/0000**

July 12, 2011  
 #6-11

**MUNICIPAL ELECTION COMPLIANCE AUDIT  
 MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS ACT, 1996**

**Part 1: Request Information**

Application Submitted by: Richard L. Berry  
 (First and Last Name)

Candidate Named in Application: Tim Whitfield

Date Application Request Received: June 21, 2011

**Part 2: Decision**

Compliance Audit Granted      Yes       No

If yes, name of Auditor appointed to perform the audit:  
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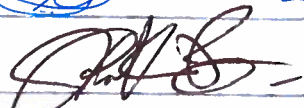

*Note: In accordance with the Municipal Elections Act, the Compliance Audit Committee must choose an auditor licensed under the Public Accounting Act, 2004.*

**Part 3: Reason(s) for denial or approval of request**

Exhibits / rationale for decision attached      Yes       No

Per Resolution No. 5 attached hereto.

**Part 4: Committee Members**

	PRINT NAME	SIGNATURE
1.	David Barrett	
2.	John Bice	
3.	Allan Andrews	



# Compliance Audit Committee Meeting

Resolution No. 15

Date: Tuesday, July 12, 2011

Moved by: \_\_\_\_\_

Seconded by: \_\_\_\_\_

**THAT:** Having reviewed the written materials filed by the Applicant and the Candidate, and having heard the oral submissions by both parties, pursuant to Section 81(5) of the *Municipal Elections Act, 1996*, as amended, the Compliance Audit Committee hereby rejects the compliance audit application filed by Richard L. Berry for an audit of the election campaign finances of Tim Whitfield, candidate in the October 25, 2010 municipal election since the Committee is not satisfied that reasonable grounds have been demonstrated that the Candidate may have contravened the provisions of the said *Act* relating to election campaign finances.

Carried (X)      Lost ( )

Signed by Committee Chair: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed by Clerk: \_\_\_\_\_