

**MARITIME CONFERENCE  
NOMINATION BIOGRAPHICAL SHEET**

**FORM ES15**

**NAME OF NOMINEE:** MATTHEW FILLIER

**FOR OFFICE OF:** PRESIDENT-DESIGNATE

**ADDRESS:** 1880 WAVERLEY ROAD WAVERLEY NS B2R 1Y5

**PRESBYTERY:** HALIFAX

**PROFESSION:** ORDAINED MINISTER

**EDUCATION:**

DOUBLE MAJOR SOCIAL CULTURAL ANTHROPOLOGY/RELIGIOUS STUDIES B.A. (MUN 2004)  
RELIGIOUS STUDIES MEDAL FOR ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE (2004), DEAN'S LIST (2003-2004)  
MASTERS OF DIVINITY (ATLANTIC SCHOOL OF THEOLOGY 2008)  
PRIZES FOR OLD TESTAMENT, NEW TESTAMENT, SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY, AND ALUMNI  
AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE IN COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP (2008), GRADUATE PROJECT "CRAFTING  
CHRISTIANITY: THE EMERGING IDENTITY OF THE SHARED CHURCH" (2008)

**SERVICE IN THE CHURCH:**

- (1) LOCAL CHURCH(S):** SFE PLACEMENT (BETHANY UNITED CHURCH HALIFAX PRESBYTERY 2005-2006), PULPIT SUPPLY & ADMINISTRATOR (FORT MASSEY UNITED CHURCH HALIFAX PRESBYTERY 2007-08), INTERN MINISTER & UNIVERSITY CHAPLAIN (TRINITY UNITED CHURCH, LIVELY ON & HUNTINGTON UNIVERSITY 2007-08), MINISTER OF WORD SACRAMENT AND PASTORAL CARE (LOUISBOURG PASTORAL CHARGE, SYDNEY PRESBYTERY, 2008-2012), MINISTER OF WORD SACRAMENT AND PASTORAL CARE (WAVERLEY PASTORAL CHARGE, HALIFAX PRESBYTERY, 2012-PRESENT)
- (2) PRESBYTERY(S):** MEMBER OF SYDNEY PRESBYTERY CLG COMMITTEE (2008-2012), MEMBER OF SYDNEY PRESBYTERY AD-HOC COMMITTEE ON DESIGNATED LAY MINISTRY (2011-2012), MEMBER OF HALIFAX PASTORAL RELATIONS COMMITTEE (2013-PRESENT), ALTERNATE DELEGATE FOR 42<sup>ND</sup> GENERAL COUNCIL
- (3) CONFERENCE(S):** PAST MEMBER AND CO-CHAIR OF OUTDOOR RECREATIONAL MINISTRIES UNIT (2004-2009), MEMBER/CHAPLAIN OF CAMPING CONNECTIONS PEI PLANNING TEAM (2008-2011), CONFERENCE WORSHIP PLANNING TEAM (2011-2013), GUEST PANEL SPEAKER YOUTH FORUM (2011), FACILITATOR CAMP STUFF (2005-09), LOCAL PLANNING TEAM FOR BUILDING CAMPAIGN (SYDNEY PRESBYTERY 2012-2013)

**SPECIAL COMMUNITY SERVICES:** CHRISTIAN DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR ARTHUR KIDSTON MEMORIAL CAMP (2003-2005), PINE HILL REPRESENTATIVE TO THE AST BOARD OF GOVERNORS AND CURRENT CHAIR OF PINE HILL BOARD (SECOND TERM 2008 PRESENT), PAST CHAIR SYDNEY REGIONAL HOSPITAL CPE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (2009-2011), CHAIR OF FACILITIES RENEWAL COMMITTEE (AST PRESENT), HONORARY DEGREES COMMITTEE (2012-PRESENT) PROTESTANT CHAPLAIN ROYAL CANADIAN LEGION (BRANCH 62 & 90, 2009 – PRESENT), CHAIR LEADER FOR CANADIAN PARAPLEGIC ASSOCIATION NS (2013), GUEST PREACHER AITKEN MEMORIAL WORKSHOP (AST, 2013)

**OTHER INFORMATION WHICH YOU FEEL IS RELEVANT TO THE CONFERENCE:**

FRIENDS, THANK YOU FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF THE NOMINATION.

**DATE:** MAY 16<sup>TH</sup> 2014