

Local Government Election

THE DISTRICT OF WEST VANCOUVER & WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOLS (SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 45)

Public Notice: *List of Registered Electors*

The District of West Vancouver uses the Province of British Columbia Voters List as the List of Registered Electors (the List). If your name is not on the current List, and you are an eligible elector, you may register and vote at one of the advance voting opportunities or on general voting day (October 20, 2018) by completing an *Application for Registration* form and providing two pieces of appropriate identification. Registration in advance of the election is not required.

Beginning September 4, 2018, until the close of general voting for the election on October 20, 2018, a copy of the List will be available for public inspection at Municipal Hall, Legislative Services, during regular office hours (8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays). Before inspecting the List, a person must sign a statement that they will not inspect the List or use the information included in the List except for election purposes (*Local Government Act*, Part 3 – Electors and Elections).

REQUEST TO OMIT PERSONAL INFORMATION

An elector may request that their address or other information about them be omitted from, or obscured on, the List in order to protect their privacy or security. Written requests must be received by 4:30 p.m. August 28, 2018, by the Chief Election Officer at Municipal Hall, 750 17th Street, West Vancouver, BC V7V 3T3.

OBJECTION TO REGISTRATION OF AN ELECTOR

An objection to the registration of a person whose name appears on the List may be made in accordance with the *Local Government Act* until 4 p.m. on September 14, 2018. An objection must be made in writing and may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of the District of West Vancouver and can only be made on the basis that a person whose name appears on the List has died or that a person whose name appears on the List is not qualified to be registered as an elector of the District of West Vancouver.

ELECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

Resident Electors:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least six months immediately before the day of registration; and
- a resident of the District of West Vancouver for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration; and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election and not otherwise disqualified by law.

Non-Resident Property Electors:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least six months immediately before the day of registration; and
- a registered owner of real property in the District of West Vancouver for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration; and
- not entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election and not otherwise disqualified by law; and
- if there is more than one registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.

The requirements for electors voting for School Trustees are the same as those for resident and non-resident property electors above, except that the elector must be a resident or the registered owner of real property in School District No. 45 (Bowen Island Municipality, Village of Lions Bay, and Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A) for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration.

School District No. 45 electors in Bowen Island Municipality, Village of Lions Bay and Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A

Bowen Island Municipality and the Village of Lions Bay are included within the boundaries of School District No. 45. Bowen Island Municipality and the Village of Lions Bay have adopted the Provincial Voters List as their List of Registered Electors. Objections to the List should be made to the Chief Election Officers of those municipalities. Registration for eligible School District No. 45 electors who reside or own property on Bowen Island and in Lions Bay and who may not be on the List will be possible at the voting opportunities in each municipality. The List will, upon signature, be available for public inspection at each municipality's municipal halls. For more information contact Bowen Island Municipality at 604-947-4255, and Village of Lions Bay at 604-921-9333.

Part of Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A is included within the boundaries of School District No. 45. Metro Vancouver is the local government for Electoral Area A. Electoral Area A includes those areas of Howe Sound that are not within a municipal corporation: lands along Howe Sound located between the District of West Vancouver and the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District, including the communities of Montizambert Wynd, Ocean Point and Strachan Point; Bowyer and Passage Islands and the Grebe Islets. Bowyer and Passage Islands and the Grebe Islets are also part of the Gambier Island Local Trust Area. Electors who reside or own property within Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A areas that are part of School District No. 45 will be required to register in accordance with Metro Vancouver procedures on voting day. For more information contact the Chief Election Officer for Metro Vancouver Electoral Area A at 604-432-6338, and the Chief Election Officer for Gambier Island Local Trust Area at 604-885-6825.

ELECTION INFORMATION MEETING

An information meeting will be held for prospective candidates and any interested persons as follows:

September 5, 2018, at 6 p.m.

District of West Vancouver, Municipal Hall, Raven Room
750 17th Street, West Vancouver, BC

MORE INFORMATION

Visit election.westvancouver.ca or contact the election office.

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