



Notice of Advance Voter Registration, Inspection of List of Registered Electors, Request to Omit or Obscure, Objection to Registration of an Elector

Are you eligible to vote in the October 15, 2022, election for the City of Duncan Mayor and Council?

Is your information on the Provincial list of voters current?

If you own property in Duncan, but live in another jurisdiction, is your name on the current list of non-resident property electors?

The Provincial list of voters shall become the City of Duncan's register of resident electors on the 52nd day prior (August 24) to general voting day. If you are qualified to vote, but your name is not on the current Provincial list of voters, you may update your personal information with Elections BC (www.elections.bc.ca or 1-800-661-8683) by August 15, 2022, so that you may be registered as a resident elector. If you are qualified to vote, but you have not registered, you may register at the voting place immediately before you vote. If you are not sure if you are registered or if you have questions about voter eligibility, please contact the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer (contact information below).

ADVANCE NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTOR REGISTRATION

If you meet the requirements for a non-resident property elector (listed below), you can register at the Duncan City Hall until the close of advance registration for non-resident property electors at 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, August 23, 2022, or you can register at the voting place at the time of voting. Advance non-resident property elector registrations will not be accepted during the period of August 24, 2022, to October 16, 2022.

ELECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

You are eligible to vote as a resident elector if you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election;
- a Canadian citizen;
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- a resident of the City of Duncan; and
- not disqualified under the Local Government Act or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

If you own property in the City of Duncan but live in another jurisdiction, you may be eligible to vote as a non-resident property elector if you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election;
- a Canadian citizen;
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- a registered owner of real property in the City of Duncan for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
- the only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust;
- not entitled to register as a resident elector;
- not disqualified under the Local Government Act or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting 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. August 23, 2022, is the last day to withdraw consent for the 2022 election.

VOTING DAY REGISTRATION

To register at the voting place, you must bring two pieces of identification that provide evidence of your identity and place of residence (i.e., Driver's Licence, BC Identification Card, Social Insurance Number Card, credit card, phone bill, hydro bill, or property tax notice). One piece of identification must contain your signature. Non-resident property electors must also provide proof of property ownership (i.e., bill of sale or property tax notice).

LIST OF REGISTERED ELECTORS

Beginning August 30, 2022, until the close of general voting for the election on October 15, 2022, a copy of the list of registered electors will be available for public inspection at Duncan City Hall, 200 Craig Street, Duncan, BC, during regular office hours of 8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Monday to Friday (excluding statutory holidays). You will only be permitted to inspect the list if you sign a statement prior to inspection agreeing to only inspect the list or use the information for the purposes of the Local Government Act - Part 3 - Electors and Elections.

REQUEST TO OMIT OR OBSCURE

You may request that your address or other information be omitted from or obscured on the list of registered electors. Please contact the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer to make this request.

OBJECTION TO REGISTRATION OF AN ELECTOR

You may object to the registration of a person whose name appears on the list of registered electors in accordance with the Local Government Act until 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 9, 2022. An objection must be in writing and may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of the City of Duncan. The objection can only be made on the basis that a person whose name appears on the list of electors has died or that a person whose name appears on the list of electors is not qualified to be registered as an elector of the City of Duncan.

For more information, visit www.duncan.ca or contact the Chief Election Officer, Paige MacWilliam, or Deputy Chief Election Officer, Allison Boyd:

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