



KITIMAT
A Marvel of Nature and Industry

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

An election by voting is to be held to elect six Councillors, and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

COUNCILLOR – Six (6) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
BOSENCE	Chelsea	Kitimat, BC
EMPINADO	Edwin	Kitimat, BC
FELDHOFF	Mario	104 Wakita Avenue, Kitimat, BC
LEIBEL	Gerry	Kitimat, BC
MARLEAU	Terry	35 Wohler Street, Kitimat, BC
MARTINS	Michelle	Kitimat, BC
PATRONG	Colton	Kitimat, BC
PITZEL	Graham	52 Elderberry Street, Kitimat, BC
RATTEE	Claire	Kitimat, BC

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:

Saturday, OCTOBER 15, 2022, between

8:00 am and 8:00 pm

at the following locations:

Location

Riverlodge Recreation Centre

Mount Elizabeth Middle Secondary School

Address

654 Columbia Avenue, Kitimat, BC

1491 Kingfisher Avenue, Kitimat, BC

ADVANCE VOTING will be held as follows:

Wednesday, October 5, 2022

- and -

Wednesday, October 12, 2022

**Between 8:00 am to 8:00 pm
George Thom Room, Tamitik
400 City Centre, Kitimat, BC**

A SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITY will be held and restricted to qualified electors that are admitted to, residing, visiting, or working at the following locations:

Delta King Place 701 Mountainview Square Kitimat, BC	Kitimat General Hospital & Health Centre 920 Lahakas Blvd. S., Kitimat, BC	Mountainview Lodge 920 Lahakas Blvd. S. Kitimat, BC
Thursday, October 13, 2022	Thursday, October 13, 2022	Thursday, October 13, 2022
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	11:45 a.m. – 1:45 p.m.	11:45 a.m. – 1:45 p.m.

ELECTOR REGISTRATION

If you are not on the list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the application form available at the voting place and making a declaration that you meet the requirements to be registered as set out below:

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

To register as a resident elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day (October 15, 2022);
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a resident of the [municipality or electoral area] on the day of registration (at time of voting);
and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

To register as a non-resident property elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day (October 15, 2022);
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a registered owner of real property in the municipality for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

In addition, for non-resident property electors:

- 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.
 - If more than one person is 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.
- In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

To register, resident electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

To register, non-resident property electors must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, **proof** that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, **written consent** from the other property owners.

MAIL BALLOT VOTING

REQUESTING A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE:

Before 4:00 p.m. on Thursday October 13, 2022, if you wish to vote by mail, you must submit the following information to the District of Kitimat Municipal office by mail at 270 City Centre, Kitimat, BC V8C 2H7, by telephone at 250.632.8900, by fax at 250.632.4995 or email via election@kitimat.ca

- (1) Full name,
- (2) Residential address,
- (3) Address of the property in relation to which you are voting (for non-resident property electors),
- (4) Method of delivery of your mail ballot package:
 - pick up at office and, if you wish, name of person you authorize to pick up package for you, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to residential address, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to an alternate address that you provide when requesting the ballot package, and
- (5) If you are not on the list of electors, to ensure you receive the correct registration application form in your package, you must indicate whether you are going to be registering as a resident or non-resident property elector.

Note: It is the responsibility of the voter to ensure they contact the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer in sufficient time to receive a mail ballot package and return the ballots.

The District of Kitimat will send out mail ballot packages commencing on or about September 26, 2022. To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8 pm on Saturday, October 15, 2022 of General Voting Day.

Chief Election Officer

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION, the following persons may be contacted:

Kiona Enders, Chief Election Officer at 250.632.8900 ext. 2263

Tracy Tavares, Deputy Chief Election Officer at 250.632.8920

election@kitimat.ca