

2021 School Trustee By-Election Saturday, May 29, 2021



NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Public Notice is given to the electors of the District of North Vancouver that nominations for the office of:

School Trustee one to be elected

for the remainder of the four-year term ending in November 2022, will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person, as follows:

When: 9am on April 13, 2021 to 4pm on April 23, 2021 (excluding statutory holidays and weekends)

Where: Clerk's Office, District of North Vancouver
355 West Queens Road, North Vancouver, BC V7N 4N5

How: By appointment only by contacting the Chief Election Officer at gordonja@dnv.org or 604-990-2207

Nomination forms are now available for pick-up at the District of North Vancouver Clerk's Office during regular office hours (8am - 4:30pm) by appointment only by contacting the Chief Election Officer at gordonja@dnv.org or 604-990-2207.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a trustee if they meet the following requirements:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed; and,
- not disqualified under the *School Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

CAMPAIGN PERIOD EXPENSE LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2021 trustee by-election, the following expense limit for candidates applies during the campaign period: **School Trustee:** \$27,326.52

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2021 trustee by-election, the following third party advertising limit applies during the campaign period: **School Trustee:** \$1,366.33

LIST OF REGISTERED ELECTORS

Beginning April 13, 2021 until the close of general voting for the by-election on May 29, 2021, a copy of the list of registered electors will, upon signature, be available, by appointment only, for public inspection at the District of North Vancouver Clerk's Office during regular office hours 8am - 4:30pm, Monday to Friday (excluding statutory holidays and weekends). Contact the Chief Election Officer at gordonja@dnv.org or 604-990-2207 to make an appointment.

REQUEST TO OMIT OR OBSCURE PERSONAL INFORMATION

An elector may request that their address or other information about them be omitted from, or obscured on, the list of electors. Upon request, the Chief Election Officer will amend the list, which is available to the public and candidates, by omitting or obscuring the elector's information.

OBJECTION TO REGISTRATION OF AN ELECTOR

An objection to the registration of a person whose name appears on the list of registered electors may be made in accordance with the *Local Government Act* until 4 pm on April 23, 2021. An objection must be in writing and may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of the District of North Vancouver and 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 District of North Vancouver.

ADVANCE ELECTOR REGISTRATION

Are you eligible to vote in the May by-election for School Trustee? Is your name on the current list of electors?

If you are not sure you can find out by calling 604-990-2211 or make an appointment to visit the District of North Vancouver Municipal Hall, 355 West Queens Road, North Vancouver, BC. between the hours of 8am to 4:30pm, Monday to Friday (excluding statutory holidays and weekends). Contact the Chief Election Officer at gordonja@dnv.org or 604-990-2207 to make an appointment.

Advance elector registrations will be accepted at the District of North Vancouver's Clerk's Office, by appointment, until April 6, 2021. Contact the Chief Election Officer at gordonja@dnv.org or 604-990-2207 to make an appointment. Elector registrations will not be accepted during the period April 7, 2021 to May 30, 2021, but will be accepted on voting days.

ELECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the by-election; and
- a Canadian citizen; and,
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration; and,
- a resident of the District of North Vancouver for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration; and,
- not disqualified under the *School Act* or any other enactment from voting in a trustee election and not otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

- not entitled to register as a resident elector; and,
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the by-election; and,
- a Canadian citizen; and,
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration; and,
- a registered owner of real property in the District of North Vancouver for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration; and,
- 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; and,
- not disqualified under the *School Act* or any other enactment from voting in a trustee 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.

MAIL BALLOT VOTING

Mail ballot voting will be available to voters. In order to receive a mail ballot package you must first complete a Mail Ballot Application available online at **DNV.org/byelection** or in person, by appointment only, at the District Hall. If you are not able to pick up a mail ballot package, please have your application to the Chief Election Officer by May 6, 2021 to allow sufficient time for a package to be mailed.

Mail ballot packages will be sent out on or about May 7, 2021. To be counted, mail ballots must be received by the Chief Election Officer **no later than 8 pm on Saturday, May 29, 2021.**

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information on the by-election process, please visit **DNV.org/byelection** or contact:

- James Gordon, Chief Election Officer: 604-990-2207
- Genevieve Lanz, Deputy Chief Election Officer: 604-990-2212

For further information on campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits, please contact Elections BC:

- Toll-free phone: 1-800-661-8683
- Email: electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca

Website: www.elections.bc.ca