



CITY OF NELSON

2022 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS

NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Public Notice is given to the electors of the City of Nelson and School District No. 8, Electoral Area 1 that nominations for the offices of:

One Position for MAYOR

Six Positions for COUNCILLOR

Two Positions for SCHOOL TRUSTEE

will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person, as follows:

By hand, mail or other delivery service: Chief Elections Officer, City Hall, 2nd Floor, 310 Ward Street, Nelson BC	From 8:30 am on Tuesday August 30th, 2022 To 4:00 pm on Friday September 9th, 2022 Excluding statutory holidays and weekends
By email to: elections@nelson.ca	From 8:30 am on Tuesday August 30th, 2022 To 4:00 pm on Friday September 9th, 2022 Excluding statutory holidays and weekends
Originals of emailed nomination documents must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 4:00 pm on Friday September 16th, 2022	

Candidates must be nominated in writing by two duly qualified electors of the City of Nelson or for School Trustee of Electoral Area 1 of School District No. 8. The nomination documents shall be subscribed to by the Candidate. At the time of filing the nomination documents, the Candidate shall also file with the Chief Election Officer a written disclosure as required under the Financial Disclosure Act.

Nomination forms containing all the relevant forms are available from the Chief Elections Officer, City of Nelson

2nd Floor, 310 Ward Street, Nelson BC during regular office hours (8:30 am to 4:30 pm) Monday to Friday excluding statutory holidays until the close of the nomination period: 4:00 pm on Friday September 9th, 2022

QUALIFICATIONS FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a member of local government if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 15th, 2022;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed; and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

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

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 15th, 2022;
- 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 office as a trustee, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

CAMPAIGN PERIOD EXPENSE LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2022 general local election, the following expense limits for candidates during the campaign period apply:

Mayor \$12,671.64

Councillor \$6,335.82

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2022 general local elections, the following third party advertising limits apply:

Mayor and Council \$809.84

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

Toll-free phone: 1-855-952-0280

Email: lec@elections.bc.ca

Website: www.elections.bc.ca/lec

For further information on the **nomination process**, please contact:

Sarah Winton, Chief Election Officer 250.352.8120

Sonya Martineau, Deputy Chief Election Officer 250.352.8234