

VILLAGE OF TAHSIS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

ADVANCE ELECTOR REGISTRATION

The close of advance registration for Elector is at August 23, 2022.

Are you eligible to vote in the 2022 General elections for Councillor or Mayor?

Is your name on the current list of electors?

If you are not sure you can find out by calling or visiting the Village of Tahsis, 977 S. Maquinna Drive, Tahsis (250-934-6344). The office is open from 9am to 4 pm Monday to Friday (excluding holidays).

Advance elector registrations will be accepted at the Village of Tahsis Municipal Hall until August 23, 2022 which is 53 days before general voting day. Elector registrations will not be accepted during the period August 24 to October 14, 2022 but will be accepted on voting days.

ELECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election or assent voting; 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 Tahsis 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.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day for the election or assent voting; 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 Tahsis 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 entitled to register as a resident elector; 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; 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.**

LIST OF REGISTERED ELECTORS

Beginning August 30th, which is 46th day before general voting day until the close of general voting for the election on October 15, 2022, general voting day, a copy of the list of registered electors will be available for public inspection, at the Village of Tahsis Municipal Hall in Tahsis during regular office hours, Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays.

Before inspecting the list, a person must sign a statement that they will not inspect the list, make copies, or use the information included in the list except for the purposes of Part 3 – Electors and Elections of the *Local Government Act*.

REQUEST TO OMIT OR OBSCURE

An elector may request that their address or other personal information about them be omitted from or obscured on the list of electors. The elector must contact the Chief Election Officer or the Deputy Election Officer to make this request.

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 4:00 pm on September 9, 2022 which is 36th day before general voting day. An objection must be in writing and an objection may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of the Village of Tahsis and only on the basis that a person whose name appears on the list of electors has died or is not qualified to register as an elector of the Tahsis

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on these matters, the following persons may be contacted:

Janet StDenis, Chief Election Officer at 250-934-6344
Lauren Roth, Deputy Chief Election Officer at 250-934-6344
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