

Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District NOTICE OF BY-ELECTION BY VOTING

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the electors of Electoral Areas "B" (Beaufort) and "F" (Cherry Creek) that a by-election by voting is necessary to elect one Director for each electoral area, and that the persons nominated as candidates and for whom votes will be received are:

DIRECTOR – ELECTORAL AREA "B" (Beaufort) – One (1) to be elected			
Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address	
McGill	Ted	7020 Debeaux Road, Port Alberni, BC	
Shannon	Tanya	8740 Beaver Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC	

DIRECTOR - ELECTORAL AREA "F" (Cherry Creek) - One (1) to be elected			
Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address	
Bodnar	Dianne	6810 Cherry Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC	
Brevick	Aaron	2840 Highmoor Road, Port Alberni, BC	

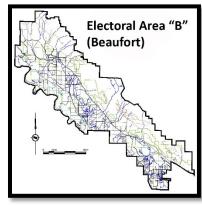
VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

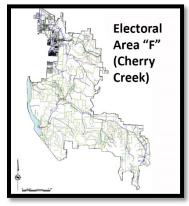
GENERAL VOTING will be open to qualified electors of Electoral Areas "B" (Beaufort) and "F" (Cherry Creek) on:

Saturday, April 6, 2019 between the hours of 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at the following locations:

Location	Address	Electoral Area
Beaver Creek Hall	8505 Beaver Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC	Beaufort
Cherry Creek Community Hall	3720 Moore Road, Port Alberni, BC	Cherry Creek

Qualified electors are only entitled to vote within the electoral area in which they reside or qualify as a non-resident property elector. The boundaries of Beaufort and Cherry Creek electoral areas are defined on the maps below. Visit www.acrd.bc.ca for more detailed maps. If you need assistance determining your electoral area, please contact the Regional District at (250) 720-2700.





ADVANCE VOTING will be available to qualified electors as follows:

Wednesday, March 27, 2019
- and –
Tuesday, April 2, 2019
8:00 am to 8:00 pm
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District
Emergency Operations Centre Office
3003 Fourth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC

A SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITY will be provided on Thursday, March 28, 2019 to qualified electors who are patients or residents of the following care facilities:

Echo Village 10:30 am to 11:30 am

4200 - 10th Avenue, Port Alberni, BC

Fir Park Village 1:15 pm to 2:15 pm

4411 Wallace Street, Port Alberni, BC

West Coast General Hospital 3:00 pm to 4:00 pm

3949 Port Alberni Highway, Port Alberni, BC

ELECTOR REGISTRATION

There is no need to pre-register to vote as the registration of all electors for this by-election will take place at the time of voting. You will be required to make a declaration that you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on voting day
- Canadian citizen
- resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately preceding the day of registration
- resident of OR registered owner of real property in electoral area "B" (Beaufort) or "F" (Cherry Creek) for at least 30 days immediately preceding the day of registration, and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or otherwise disqualified by law.

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.

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 majority of the property owners. Written consent forms are available on the Regional District website www.acrd.bc.ca.

MAIL BALLOT VOTING

Qualified electors may vote by mail if they:

- have a physical disability, illness or injury that affects their ability to vote at another voting opportunity, OR
- expect to be absent from the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District on voting day and at the times of all advance voting opportunities.
- Reside in Electoral Areas: "B" (Beaufort) or "F" (Cherry Creek) that are remote from the voting
 places at which they are entitled to vote where their only access to their residence is by boat or
 aircraft, or their travel time by road from their residence to the nearest voting place at which the
 person is entitled to vote is greater than thirty (30) minutes.

REQUESTING A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE:

Before **4 pm** on **April 5, 2019** you must submit an **Application to Vote by Mail** to the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Office either by mail (3008 Fifth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC V9Y 2E3), fax (250-723-1327) or email (wtw.mtw.acrd.bc.ca). **Application to Vote by Mail** forms are available on the Regional District website wtw.acrd.bc.ca.

The Regional District will send out mail ballot packages commencing on or about March 15, 2019. If your application is received after April 1st and time does not permit mailing, you should arrange to pick up a package from the ACRD Office. To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8 pm on Saturday, April 6, 2019.

For further information on the 2019 By-Election visit the Regional District website at www.acrd.bc.ca or contact the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer at (250) 720-7200 during regular office hours, Monday to Friday, 8:00 am to 4:30 pm.

Wendy Thomson Chief Election Officer