



Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District/ School District No. 70 (Alberni)

Information - General Local Election 2018

The following information is provided to qualified electors of the **Tseshaht First Nation** regarding voting in the upcoming local government election on **October 20, 2018**.

Qualified Electors of the **Tseshaht First Nation** can vote for the following:

IR#1 Tsahaheh

- **Director – Electoral Area “D” (Sproat Lake)**
- **Trustee – Electoral Area #2 (Alberni Valley/Bamfield)**

IR#2 Alberni (Pollys Point)

- **Director – Electoral Area “F” (Cherry Creek)**
- **Trustee – Electoral Area #2 (Alberni Valley/Bamfield)**

Am I Eligible to Vote?

To be eligible to vote as a resident or non-resident elector, you will be required to make a declaration that you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general 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 the regional district electoral area or trustee electoral area 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.

Who is running for office and where do I vote?

The attached **Notice of Election by Voting** provides details regarding the upcoming election including; candidates running for Electoral Area Director and School District Trustees, voting dates, locations, elector eligibility, elector registration and identification required to vote.



Where can I find more information?

Further information on the upcoming election is available on the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District website at www.acrd.bc.ca or contact Wendy Thomson, Chief Election Officer at (250) 720-2706; email wthomson@acrd.bc.ca



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NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

ALBERNI-CLAYOQUOT REGIONAL DISTRICT:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the electors of Electoral Areas “B” (Beaufort), “D” (Sproat Lake), “E” (Beaver Creek), “F” (Cherry Creek) that an election by voting is necessary to elect one (1) Director from each electoral area for a four year term commencing November 2018, 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
SHANNON	Tanya	8740 Beaver Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC
ADAMS	John	5205 Batty Road, Port Alberni, BC
MCGILL	Ted	7020 Debeaux Road, Port Alberni, BC

DIRECTOR – ELECTORAL AREA “D” (Sproat Lake) – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address
COTE	Penny	10684 Taylor Arm Drive, Port Alberni, BC
ANDERSON	Don	9624 Stirling Arm Crescent, Port Alberni, BC

DIRECTOR – ELECTORAL AREA “E” (Beaver Creek) – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address
MCNABB	John	5635 Mersey Road, Port Alberni, BC
STOCKER	Celia	5610 Chapman Road, Port Alberni, BC

DIRECTOR – ELECTORAL AREA “F” (Cherry Creek) – One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address
DELUCA	Darren	2593 Old Nanaimo Hwy, Port Alberni, BC
BODNAR	Dianne	6810 Cherry Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC

SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 70 (ALBERNI):

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the electors of Electoral Areas “A” (Bamfield), “B” (Beaufort), “D” (Sproat Lake), “E” (Beaver Creek), “F” (Cherry Creek) and Maa-nulth First Nations: Huu-ay-aht First Nation and Uchucklesaht Tribe Government that an election by voting is necessary to elect six (6) Trustees from Area #2 (Alberni Valley & Bamfield) for a four-year term commencing November 2018, and that the persons nominated as candidates and for whom votes will be received are:

SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA #2 (Alberni Valley & Bamfield) – Six (6) to be elected

Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address
RANSOM	Larry	6157 Stuart Avenue, Port Alberni, BC
CRAIG	Pam	6211 Smith Road, Port Alberni, BC
BENNIE	John	6110 Westporte Boulevard, Port Alberni, BC
MAGNUSSEN	Karrine	4072 Steede Avenue, Port Alberni, BC
BRAY	Cherilyn	4810 David Street, Port Alberni, BC
STANDLEY	Rebecca	3808 Exton Street, Port Alberni, BC

WASHINGTON	Christine	3968 Shaughnessy Street, Port Alberni, BC
WATTS	Connie	5239 Hector Road, Port Alberni, BC
BROOK	James	4491 North Park Drive, Port Alberni, BC
JONES	Jane	5235 Hector Road, Port Alberni, BC
BUCHANAN	Rosemarie	5281 Wilkinson Road, Port Alberni, BC

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING will be open to qualified electors of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District and School District No. 70 (Alberni) on:

Saturday, October 20, 2018
between the hours of 8:00 am and 8:00 pm
at the following locations:

Location	Address	Area (s)
Bamfield Fire Hall	352 Pachena Road, Bamfield, BC	Bamfield, Huu-ay-aht, Uchucklesaht
Harold Bishop Fire Hall	7667 Pacific Rim Highway, Port Alberni, BC	Sproat Lake, Long Beach
Beaver Creek Fire Hall	6038 Beaver Creek Road, Port Alberni, BC	Beaver Creek, Beaufort,
Cherry Creek Community Hall	3720 Moore Road, Port Alberni, BC	Cherry Creek

Qualified electors should vote at the voting place within the area in which they reside or qualify as a non-resident property elector.

ADVANCE VOTING OPPORTUNITIES will be open to qualified electors of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District and School District No. 70 (Alberni) as follows:

Wednesday, October 10, 2018
 - and -
Tuesday, October 16, 2018
8:00 am to 8:00 pm
Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Office
3008 Fifth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC

A SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITY will be provided on **Thursday, October 11th, 2018** to qualified electors who are patients or residents of the following care facilities:

Rainbow Gardens/Tsawaayuus	9:00 am to 10:00 am
6151 Russell Place, Port Alberni, BC	
Echo Village	10:30 am to 12:00 pm
4200 - 10th Avenue, Port Alberni, BC	
Fir Park Village	1:15 pm to 2:30 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 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 general 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 the regional district electoral area or trustee electoral area 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 ACRD website at 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 general voting day and at the times of all advance voting opportunities.
- Reside in Electoral Areas: “A” (Bamfield), “B” (Beaufort), “C” (Long Beach), “D” (Sproat Lake), “E” (Beaver Creek), “F” (Cherry Creek) or Maa-nulth First Nations: Huu-ay-aht First Nation, Toquaht Nation, Uchucklesaht Tribe Government or Yuułu?if?atḥ Government 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 **October 19, 2018** you must submit an **Application to Vote by Mail** which can be downloaded off the ACRD website www.acrd.bc.ca to the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Office either by mail (3008 Fifth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC V9Y 2E3), fax (250-723-1327) or email wthomson@acrd.bc.ca.

The Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District will send out mail ballot packages commencing on or about October 1, 2018. If your application is received after October 12th and time does not permit mailing, you should arrange to pick up a package from the ACRD Office, 3008 Fifth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC. To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8 pm on Saturday, October 20, 2018.

For further information on the 2018 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