

# District of Lantzville

Incorporated June, 2003

# 2015 By-election

### **NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING**

**PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY** given to the electors of the District of Lantzville that an election by voting is necessary to elect four Councillors, and that the persons nominated as candidates and for whom votes will be received are:

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Surname	Usual Name	Residential Address or Jurisdiction
BIELEWSKI	Jennifer	Lantzville
COLCLOUGH	Bob	Lantzville
DONALD	Mike	6317 Brannen Lake Road, Nanaimo
ENGLISH	John	Lantzville
FINNEGAN	Richard	Nanaimo
GESELBRACHT	Will Wyn	Lantzville
GRIFFEY	<b>Warren Gordon</b>	6995 Lancewood Avenue, Lantzville
MOODY	Joan	7313 Millard Drive, Lantzville
NEARY	Dot	6683 Harwood Drive, Lantzville
PARKHURST	Doug	6826 Harwood Drive, Lantzville
POPPERL	Peter	Lantzville
SWAIN	Mark	6961 Seaside Terrace, Lantzville

#### **VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS**

**GENERAL VOTING** will be open to qualified electors of the District of Lantzville on:

Saturday, August 8, 2015, between the hours of 8:00 am and 8:00 pm

at Costin Hall, 7232 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC

ADVANCE VOTING will be open to qualified electors of the District of Lantzville on:

Wednesday, July 29, 2015 and Wednesday, August 5, 2015, between the hours of 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at the District Office, 7192 Lantzville Road – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Lantzville, BC

Any elector who wishes to vote before August 8, 2015 is eligible to vote at Advance Voting opportunities. All Advance Voting ballots are counted immediately after voting closes August 8, 2015.

**VOTING BY MAIL** is available for qualified electors of the District of Lantzville if you:

- Have a physical disability, illness or injury that affects your ability to vote at another voting opportunity; OR
- Expect to be absent from the District of Lantzville on General Voting Day and at the times of all Advance Voting opportunities. Apply at the District Office to vote by mail. It is your responsibility to ensure that your completed ballot is delivered to the Chief Election Officer no later than 8:00 pm on General Voting Day, Saturday, August 8, 2015, to be counted.

## **ELECTOR REGISTRATION**

**If you are not on the List of Registered Electors,** you may register at the time of voting by completing the required application form available at the voting place. To register you must meet the following qualifications:

- 18 years of age or older
- Canadian citizen (landed immigrants and corporations are not eligible)
- resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately preceding voting day
- resident (Resident Elector) OR registered owner of real property (Non-resident Property Elector) in the District of Lantzville for at least 30 days immediately preceding voting day, and
- not otherwise disqualified by law from voting.

**To register, resident electors** must produce **two pieces of identification** (at least one must have your signature) to prove who you are and where you live. Picture identification is not necessary.

Local Government Elections Regulation 380/93 defines acceptable identification, including:

BC Driver's Licence - ICBC Vehicle Insurance Documents - BC Identification Card - Social Insurance Card - Financial Institution Credit or Debit Card - Citizenship Card - Property Tax Notice - Utility Bill for electricity, natural gas, water, telephone or cable - BC CareCard or Gold CareCard - Ministry of SD &ES Continued Assistance SDES8

If you do not have ID showing where you live, you must provide at least two pieces of identification that prove who you are (at least one of them must have your signature on it) AND make a solemn declaration as to your place of residence.

**To register, non-resident property electors** must produce **two pieces of identification** (at least one must have your signature) to prove identity, and must also bring evidence that you are entitled to register in relation to the property, including:

- proof of ownership of the property (i.e., recent copy of the Land Title Search Certificate, available from the Government Agent or agencies with BC Online or the Certificate of Indefeasible Title); and
- written consent (form available from District Office) signed by a majority of all the owners, if there are multiple owners of the property, stating that you are the one owner who is designated as the *Non-resident Property Elector* for that property.

You may only register as a *Non-resident Property Elector* in relation to one piece of property regardless of how many properties you own in Lantzville. If you own property with a corporation, none of the owners of the property are eligible to vote. In accordance with the *Local Government Act*, the only persons who are registered owners, either as joint tenants or tenants-incommon, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust.

## **VOTERS LIST**

Until the close of general voting on August 8, 2015, a copy of the List of Registered Electors will, upon signature, be available for public inspection at the District Office during regular office hours, 8:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday through Friday, except statutory holidays.

Omitting Personal Information from the List – Electors may request that their address and other information be omitted from or obscured on, the List of Registered Electors to protect their privacy or security. Contact the District Office for more details. For more information, visit <a href="www.lantzville.ca">www.lantzville.ca</a>, call 250.390.4006 (or 250.619.6006 on Voting Days), write: <a href="trudy@lantzville.ca">trudy@lantzville.ca</a>, or visit the District Office, 7192 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC.