



District of Lantzville  
2022 General Local Election  
**Information for Residents of Nanoose First Nation Reserve**

The following information is provided to assist Canadian citizens, over the age of 18, and residents of BC for more than 6 months who are residents of the Nanoose First Nation Reserve, in determining their eligibility to vote, or to run as candidates in the upcoming **General Local Election on October 15, 2022**. Nomination Period is 9:00 am August 30<sup>th</sup> to 4:00 pm September 9<sup>th</sup>. The official declaration of an election being held takes place on **Monday, September 19, 2022**.

**Snaw-naw-as, Nanoose First Nation Reserve**

The District of Lantzville's boundaries are defined by Letters Patent. The Nanoose Indian Reserve, although adjacent to the District of Lantzville, is not within the District of Lantzville's boundaries which means that residents who live in this area are not eligible to vote in the District of Lantzville's election for Mayor and Councillors as Resident Electors. The exception would be if a person owned land within the District of Lantzville and qualified to register as a Non-resident Property Elector.

Note: Resident Elector eligibility to vote in a School Trustee election is based on the location of the elector's residence (or based on the location of the property owned by a Non-resident Property Elector if in a different School District than their residence) and not on the location of the school that students in the household may attend.

They can, however, if eligible, vote for Area Director and School Trustee in the Regional District jurisdiction in which they reside. Residents on the Nanoose Indian Reserve, if eligible, could vote in the Regional District of Nanaimo election for director to represent Electoral Area E – Nanoose Bay and for school trustee for School District #69 (if an election is declared in that area).

Residents of the Nanoose Indian Reserve may also be eligible to run as candidates in the District of Lantzville General Local Election for Mayor or Councillor, as residency in, or ownership of land in, the District of Lantzville is not a requirement (subject to meeting other qualifications).

**Where can I find more information?**

Election information for eligible voters and candidates is available on the [District of Lantzville website](#).

**Please contact the following for more information, or if you have any questions regarding the upcoming election:**

District of Lantzville                      Trudy Coates, Chief Election Officer (250.933.8082)  
Nelda Richardson, Deputy Chief Election Officer (250.933.8081)  
Or email [vote@lantzville.ca](mailto:vote@lantzville.ca)

Regional District of Nanaimo          Jacquie Hill, Chief Election Officer (250.390.4111)  
Or email [vote@rdn.bc.ca](mailto:vote@rdn.bc.ca)

Ministry of Municipal Affairs, questions about municipal and regional district elections  
250.387.4020  
[LGovernance@gov.bc.ca](mailto:LGovernance@gov.bc.ca)  
[Brochure Voters Guide for Electors Living on Reserve](#)

Elections BC, questions about election advertising, third party sponsors and campaign financing disclosure  
1.800.661.8683  
[electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca](mailto:electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca)

Ministry of Education and Childcare Education Policy Branch, questions about school trustee elections  
250.387.8037  
[EDUC.Governance.Legislation@gov.bc.ca](mailto:EDUC.Governance.Legislation@gov.bc.ca)