



# District of Lantzville 2022 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTION

## NOTICE OF NOMINATION PERIOD

Public Notice is given to the electors of the District of Lantzville that nominations for the offices of:

**Mayor – one (1) to be elected**

**Councillor – four (4) to be elected**

All four (4) year terms commencing November 2022 for the District of Lantzville Council will be received by the Chief Election Officer (CEO):

<b>By hand, mail or other delivery service:</b> <b>District of Lantzville Municipal Hall</b> <b>PO Box 100, 7192 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC V0R 2H0</b>	From 9:00 am Tuesday, August 30, 2022 To 4:00 pm Friday, September 9, 2022 Excluding statutory holidays and weekends
<b>By fax to: 250.390.5188</b>  <b>By email to: <a href="mailto:vote@lantzville.ca">vote@lantzville.ca</a></b>	From 9:00 am Tuesday, August 30, 2022 To 4:00 pm Friday, September 9, 2022 Originals of faxed or emailed nomination documents must be received by the Chief Election Officer by 4:00 pm Friday, September 16, 2022

Nomination packages, including fillable Nomination forms, are available at [lantzville.ca](http://lantzville.ca) and at the District of Lantzville Municipal Hall during regular office hours from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays.

Candidates should call 250.933.8082 or 250.933.8081 to make an appointment with the CEO to submit your nomination papers.

### QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a member of the District of Lantzville Council if they meet the following criteria:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (Oct 15 2022);
- Canadian citizen;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed; &
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election in BC or from being nominated for, being elected to, or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

### CAMPAIGN PERIOD CANDIDATE & THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING EXPENSE LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2022 general local election, the following expense limits apply in the District of Lantzville election area during the campaign period September 17, 2022 to October 15, 2022 for:

Applies To	Mayor	Councillor
Candidates	\$10,797.83	\$5,398.92
Third Party Advertising Sponsors	\$809.84	\$809.84

For further information on campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits, contact Elections BC: 1.800.661.8683 Email: [Electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca](mailto:Electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca) Website: [elections.bc.ca](http://elections.bc.ca)

### ADVANCE ELECTOR REGISTRATION

**Are you on the Voters List?** Voters listed on the Elections BC Voters List as Lantzville residents do not need to re-register. Visit [elections.bc.ca](http://elections.bc.ca) to check or update your registration, or to register as a new voter in BC. Visit the District of Lantzville Municipal Hall at 7192 Lantzville Road during regular office hours, 8:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays, to register as a Non-resident Property Elector. Advance elector registrations will be accepted at the District of Lantzville Municipal Hall until 4:00 pm, Tuesday, August 23, 2022. With the exception of new registrations in conjunction with voting, elector registrations will not be accepted during the period of August 24, 2022 to October 16, 2022. Electors wishing to register for the first time must produce two pieces of identification that provide evidence of the applicant's identity and place of residence, one of which must include the applicant's signature or alternately, provide two pieces of identification verifying identity in addition to making a solemn declaration as to the applicant's place of residence. Visit [lantzville.ca](http://lantzville.ca) for a complete list of acceptable identification. Additional documentation (evidence of ownership) is required to register as a Non-resident Property Elector.

### OBJECTION TO REGISTRATION OF AN ELECTOR

Any objection to the registration of a person whose name appears on the list of registered electors must be made in writing by a person eligible to be registered as an elector, and submitted to the CEO before 4:00 pm on Friday, September 9, 2022. Objections can only be made on the basis that the person whose name appears on the list of electors has died or is not qualified to be registered as an elector of the District of Lantzville.

### ELECTOR QUALIFICATIONS

**Are you eligible to vote in the District of Lantzville election?**

#### RESIDENT ELECTORS:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (Oct 15 2022);
- Canadian citizen;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- resident of the District of Lantzville; &
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or be otherwise disqualified by law.

#### NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

- not entitled to register as a resident elector of the District of Lantzville;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (Oct 15 2022);
- Canadian citizen;
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- a registered owner of real property in the District of Lantzville for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
- not holding the property in trust for a corporation or any other trust; &
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or be otherwise disqualified by law.

**If there is more than one registered owner of the property, you must be the owner who has the written consent of the majority of owners to register as the non-resident property elector (only one permitted per property).** Note: Registration and Consent forms are available at the Municipal Hall. A Non-resident Property Elector may only vote once in the District of Lantzville, regardless of the number of properties that they may own. **Non-resident property owners are strongly encouraged to register in advance due to the specific information required for a complete registration. Please contact the CEO for detailed information.**

### LIST OF REGISTERED VOTERS

Beginning Tuesday, August 30, 2022 until the close of general voting for the election on Saturday, October 15, 2022, a copy of the list of registered electors will be available for public inspection during regular office hours at the District of Lantzville Municipal Hall, 7192 Lantzville Road from 8:30 am to 4:00 pm, Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays. Before inspecting the list, a person must sign a statement that they will not inspect the list or use the information except for the purposes of Part 3 – Electors and Elections of the *Local Government Act*. An elector may request the CEO to omit from or obscure on the list of electors, their address or other information of the elector. Submit your written request to the CEO before August 23, 2022.

**For more information, visit [lantzville.ca](http://lantzville.ca) or contact:**

Trudy Coates, Chief Election Officer (250.933.8082)

Nelda Richardson, Deputy Chief Election Officer (250.933.8081)

Email: [vote@lantzville.ca](mailto:vote@lantzville.ca)