



## District of Lantzville 2022 General Local Election Key Dates

| DATE                      | EVENT  | LEGISLATION   |
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| Saturday, January 1, 2022 | <b>Election Period</b> starts (ends September 16 <sup>th</sup> ). See <a href="http://elections.bc.ca">elections.bc.ca</a> for recording, reporting and disclosure requirements for candidates, elector organizations and third-party advertisers during the Election Period   | LECFA 10(1)(a)(i)   |
| Tuesday, March 8          | Last day to move to BC and be eligible as candidate to submit nomination documents before Nomination Period closes (September 9 <sup>th</sup> )  | LGA 81(1)(c)  |
| Thursday, April 14        | Last day to move to BC and be eligible to register and vote on General Voting Day (GVD) Saturday, October 15, 2022   | LGA 65(1)(c) & 66(1)(d)   |
| Monday, July 18           | <b>Pre-campaign Period</b> starts (ends Friday, September 16, 2022)<br>Election advertising rules come into force and continue through GVD.  | LECFA 10  |
| Friday, July 29           | Candidate nomination and endorsement packages ready for pick-up at Municipal Hall  |   |
| August & September        | Registered electors may apply to Chief Election Officer (CEO) to omit or obscure their personal information on the list of registered electors   | LGA 77(6)(b) & 78   |
| Tuesday, August 23        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last day to withdraw consent for Non-resident Property Elector to be effective for 2022 election</li> <li>• Advance registration of electors at Municipal Hall closes at 4:00 pm after which registration is only permitted at the time of voting</li> </ul>  | LGA 66(7) & (8)<br><br>LGA 71(4)  |
| Wednesday, August 24      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provincial Voter's List becomes Register of Resident Electors</li> </ul>  | LGA 76 & EB   |
| Tuesday, August 30        | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Nomination Period starts at 9:00 am</b> (ends 4:00 pm September 9<sup>th</sup>)</li> <li>• Nomination and endorsement papers available for public inspection from time of delivery until November 18, 2022 (if official results declared October 19<sup>th</sup>) and candidate nomination may be challenged through Provincial Court until 4:00 pm on September 13<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• List of Electors available for public inspection period begins (no copying)</li> <li>• Period for objections to elector registration begins</li> </ul> | LGA 84(1)<br>LGA 89(7)<br><br>LGA 91<br><br>LGA 77(3) & (10)<br>LGA 79(2)               |
| Thursday, September 1     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Information Session</b> for potential candidates at <b>6:00 pm</b> at Municipal Hall Council Chamber, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 7192 Lantzville Road</li> </ul>  |   |
| Friday, September 9       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Nomination period ends at 4:00 pm</b></li> <li>• <b>CEO declares candidates</b> at 4:01 pm OR, if fewer candidates than positions, may extend the period to September 12<sup>th</sup> at 4:00 pm</li> <li>• Period to object to elector registration ends at 4:00 pm</li> </ul>  | LGA 84(1) & 89(5)<br>LGA 97(1) & (2)<br><br>LGA 79(2)                                   |
| Tuesday, September 13     | Period to challenge a candidate nomination through the Provincial Court ends at 4:00 pm  | LGA 91  |
| Wednesday, September 14   | Last day to buy property in the District of Lantzville and be eligible to register and vote on GVD October 15, 2022 ( <i>subject to other qualifications</i> )   | LGA 66(1)(e)  |
| Friday, September 16      | Finalization of Candidates Deadline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 4:00 pm deadline for a Provincial Court decision on challenge to nomination</li> <li>• 4:00 pm deadline for withdrawal of a candidate (unless candidate writes to CEO &amp; receives Ministerial approval of later date) and for withdrawal of elector organization endorsement</li> <li>• 4:00 pm deadline for delivery to CEO of originals of faxed or emailed nomination documents</li> <li>• Pre-campaign Period ends &amp; Election Period ends (12:00 Midnight)</li> </ul>                                  | LGA 91(9)<br><br>LGA 101(1) & (2)<br>LGA 95<br><br>LGA 89(5)<br><br>LECFA 10(1) & (1.1) |
| Saturday, September 17    | <b>Campaign Period</b> starts (ends at the close of voting GVD). Expense limits apply to candidates, elector organizations and third-party advertisers   | LECFA 10(2)   |
| Monday, September 19      | CEO declares Election by Voting or Candidates Elected by Acclamation at 4:00 pm  | LGA 98(2) & (3)   |

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| By end of September       | Mail Ballot Packages sent to electors eligible for, and registered in advance to Vote by Mail. ( <i>Date subject to receipt of ballots from printer</i> ).  | LGA 110 & EB   |
| Wednesday, October 5      | <b>ADVANCE VOTING DAY 8:00 am – 8:00 pm at Costin Hall, 7232 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC</b> (No campaigning or signs within 100 m)<br><i>All electors are eligible to vote at Advance Voting – Ballots counted Oct 15<sup>th</sup></i>   | LGA 107(1) & 163(4)  |
| Wednesday, October 12     | <b>ADVANCE VOTING DAY 8:00 am – 8:00 pm at Costin Hall, 7232 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC</b> (No campaigning or signs within 100 m)<br><i>All electors are eligible to vote at Advance Voting – Ballots counted Oct 15<sup>th</sup></i>   | LGA 107(1), 163(4) & EB  |
| Saturday, October 15      | <b>GENERAL VOTING DAY 8:00 am – 8:00 pm at Costin Hall, 7232 Lantzville Road, Lantzville, BC</b> (No campaigning or signs within 100 m) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Period for inspection of List of Electors ends at 8:00 pm (no copying)</li> <li>• Campaign Period ends at 8:00 pm</li> <li>• Deadline to deliver Mail Ballots to CEO at 8:00 pm after which all ballots (Advance, General Voting Day and Mail Ballots) are counted</li> <li>• CEO may release Preliminary Results. See CivicInfo BC (<a href="http://bc.localelections.ca">http://bc.localelections.ca</a>), <a href="http://www.lantzville.ca">www.lantzville.ca</a> and bulletin board.</li> </ul> | LGA 52<br><br>LGA 77 (3) & (10)<br>LECFA 10(2)<br>LGA 110(9)<br><br>LGA 144(1) |
| Monday, October 17        | Determination of Official Election Results starts at 10:00 am (Candidates entitled to be present) Council Chamber, Municipal Hall   | LGA 145 & CEO  |
| Wednesday, October 19     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last day for CEO to declare Official Election Results - before 4:00 pm</li> <li>• After Official Results declared, period to apply for Judicial Recount and 30-day period for inspection (no copying) of Voting Day materials begins</li> </ul>  | LGA 146(1)<br>LGA 148(3)<br>LGA 160(3) & (7)                                   |
| Saturday, October 22      | Deadline to remove election sign, posters or handbills from public or private property  | EB   |
| Monday, October 24        | Last day for application to Provincial Court for Judicial Recount   | LGA 148(3)   |
| Friday, October 28        | Deadline for Provincial Court completing Judicial Recount   | LGA 149(1)   |
| Wednesday, November 2     | <b>Oath of office for Council-elect and 2022-2026 term begins at public Inaugural Council Meeting, 6:00 pm at Costin Hall, 7232 Lantzville Road</b>   | LGA 147, EB, CC 120 & 124(2)(g)  |
| November & December       | Various dates for Council orientation (including a regional workshop), Council and Special Council Financial Plan meetings  |  |
| Friday, November 18       | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Last day for application to the Supreme Court to invalidate election or determine the right of a candidate to take office, if declared Oct 19<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• Last day to inspect Voting Day materials listed in LGA 160(3) and nomination documents, if declared October 19<sup>th</sup></li> <li>• Last day for CEO to report to Council, if declared October 19<sup>th</sup></li> </ul>   | LGA 153(3)<br><br>LGA 160(3) & (7) & 89(7)<br>LGA 158(1)                       |
| Friday, January 13, 2023  | Deadline for all candidates (whether elected or not), elector organizations and third-party sponsors to file Campaign Financing Disclosure Statements with Elections BC (without penalty)   | LECFA 47 (1), 56 & 90  |
| Monday, February 13, 2023 | Deadline for all candidates (whether elected or not), elector organizations and third-party sponsors to file <b>late</b> Campaign Financing Disclosure Statement with Elections BC (with \$500 penalty)   | LECFA 47(2) & 56   |

Key: CEO Chief Election Officer    CC *Community Charter*    EB *Elections and Assent Voting Bylaw No.160, 2018*  
 GVD General Voting Day    LGA *Local Government Act*    LECFA *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*

### INFORMATION REGARDING ALL-CANDIDATES MEETINGS

The District of Lantzville has no involvement in organizing all-candidates meetings; however, associations, organizations, and groups that will be holding public all-candidates meetings can provide the meeting information to the District for posting for the benefit of electors.

**ELECTION QUESTIONS?** Visit [www.lantzville.ca](http://www.lantzville.ca), email [vote@lantzville.ca](mailto:vote@lantzville.ca), or call 250.933.8082 or 250.933.8081.

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