



Local Government Election 2026

Public Notice is hereby given as follows: Voters List & Elector Registration

Are you eligible to vote in the October 17 Local Government Election and Assent Voting? Is your name on the current list of electors?

The City of Penticton will be using the most recent Provincial Voters List for its list of electors. The Province will have the most up to date information as of August 2026. If you are not sure if you are on the Provincial Voters list, you can call 1-800-661-8683 or go to <https://elections.bc.ca/voting/register-to-vote/>. After September 1, 2026 the City will have a Voters List available for viewing at City Hall, 171 Main Street or telephone: (250) 490-2400. The office is open from 9 am to 4 pm Monday to Friday (excluding holidays).

What if I am not on the Voters List? Or do not know if I am on the Voters List?

You can still vote if you are qualified (see qualifications below). On any of the voting days we can provide same day registration. You will be required to provide information to the Election Official to fill out a new voter registration form, and two pieces of ID will be required. Between the two pieces of ID you will need to have both your name and address, and one piece will need to have your signature.

Elector Qualifications

Resident Electors:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration; and
- a resident of the City of Penticton on the day of registration; and
- not disqualified by any enactment from voting in an election or otherwise disqualified by law.

Non-Resident Property Electors:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration; and
- a registered owner of real property in Penticton for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration; and
- The only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust; and
- not entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not disqualified by any enactment from voting in an election or otherwise disqualified by law; and
- if there is more than one registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.

List of Registered Electors

Beginning September 1, 2026 until the close of general voting for the election on October 17, 2026, a copy of the list of registered electors will be available for public inspection at City Hall during normal business hours, or at the polling stations October 7, 10, 14 and 17, 8 am to 8 pm. Before inspecting the list, a person must sign a statement that they will not inspect the list or use the information included in the list except for the purposes of Part 3—Electors and Elections of the *Local Government Act*. An elector may request that their address or other information about them be omitted from or obscured on the list of electors. The elector must contact the Chief Election Officer or Deputy to make this request.

Objection to Registration of an Elector

An objection to the registration of a person whose name appears on the list of registered electors may be made in accordance with the *Local Government Act* until 4:00 pm on September 11, 2026. An objection must be in writing and may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of the City of Penticton and can only be made on the basis that the person whose name appears on the list has died or is not qualified to be registered as an elector in the City of Penticton.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on these matters, the following persons may be contacted:

Angie Collison, Chief Election Officer 250-490-2410, Deputy Chief Election Officers Paula McKinnon 250-490-2405 or Hayley Anderson 250-490-2429

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