

#### **VOTING DAY REGISTRATION**

## **ELECTOR REGISTRATION**

There is no need to pre-register to vote as the registration of all electors for this election will take place at the time of voting. In order to register at the time of voting, you will be required to complete the application form available at the voting place and to make a declaration that you meet the requirements to be registered as set out below:

### **RESIDENT ELECTORS:**

To register as a resident elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a resident of the trustee or electoral area on the day of registration; and,
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

### NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

To register as a non-resident property elector you must:

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- be a registered owner of real property in the trustee electoral area for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
  - 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.
  - If more than one person is registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector; and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

**To register, resident electors** must produce **2 pieces of identification** (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

**To register, non-resident property electors** must produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, proof that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, written consent from the other property owners.

Chief Election Officer

# **Accepted Identification Documents**

You must produce at least two (2) documents that provide evidence of your identity and place of residence, at least one (1) of which must contain your signature. The following classes of documents will be accepted:

- a) British Columbia Driver's Licence;
- b) British Columbia Identification Card;
- c) Owner's Certificate of Insurance and Vehicle Licence issued by ICBC;
- d) British Columbia Care Card or British Columbia Gold Care Card;
- e) Ministry of Social Development and Economic Security Request for Continued Assistance Form SDES8, (now "Monthly Form EA181);
- f) Social Insurance Number Card;
- g) Citizenship Card;
- h) Real Property Tax Notice;
- i) Credit card or Debit Card;
- j) Utility Bill, (such as electricity, natural gas, water, telephone or cable services); or,
- k) Certificate of Indian Status Card.

An election official may also accept other forms of documents that provide evidence satisfactory to the election official (e.g., a valid, current passport).