

**THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH
2017 MUNICIPAL BY-ELECTION**

NOTICE OF NOMINATION PERIOD

Public Notice is hereby given to the electors of the District of Saanich that a by-election will be held on **Saturday, September 23, 2017**. Nominations for the office of:

Councillor (*one to be elected*)

for a term ending in the Fall of 2018 will be received by the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer as follows:

WHEN Tuesday, August 8, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. to Friday, August 18, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. (excluding statutory holidays and weekends)

WHERE Legislative Services Division
Saanich Municipal Hall
770 Vernon Avenue
Victoria, BC

HOW Nomination documents may be delivered by hand, by mail or by other delivery service, by fax 250-475-5440 or email elections@saanich.ca, with originals to follow. **The deadline for receiving nomination documents is Friday, August 18, 2017 at 4:00 p.m. with the deadline for receiving originals of nomination documents being Friday, August 25, 2017 at 4:30 p.m.**

Nomination documents are available at the District of Saanich, Legislative Services Division during regular office hours (8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, excluding statutory holidays) throughout the **Nomination Period (August 8, 2017 at 9:00 a.m. to August 18, 2017 at 4:00 p.m.)** and are also posted on www.saanich.ca/elections.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a member of the local government if they meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (Saturday, September 23, 2017)
- Canadian citizen
- Resident of British Columbia for at least six months immediately preceding the day nomination papers are filed
- Not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Information is available on the District of Saanich website at www.saanich.ca/elections. You may also obtain information by contacting the Legislative Services Division at 250-475-1775 or by email at elections@saanich.ca. If you wish to visit us in person, the Legislative Services Division is located on the 2nd floor of the Saanich Municipal Hall, 770 Vernon Avenue.

Angila Bains,
Chief Election Officer