



DISTRICT OF METCHOSIN

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2026 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Nominations for the Offices of:

- MAYOR (1)
- COUNCILLOR (4)

will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person, as follows:

By hand, mail or other delivery service: DISTRICT OF METCHOSIN Municipal Hall 4450 Happy Valley Road Victoria, BC V9C 3Z3	From: 9:00 am Tuesday, September 1, 2026 To: 4:00 pm Friday, September 11, 2026
By fax to: 250-478-6298 By email to: thansen@metchosin.ca	From: 9:00 am Tuesday, September 1, 2026 To: 4:00 pm Friday, September 11, 2026

Interested persons can obtain information on the requirements and procedures for making nominations at the District of Metchosin Municipal Hall or on the municipal website at www.metchosin.ca

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

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

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (October 17, 2026);
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed (March 10, 2026); and
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election in British Columbia or being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

CAMPAIGN PERIOD EXPENSE LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 general local election, the following expense limits for candidates during the campaign period apply:

- Office of Mayor \$12,323.78
- Office of Councillor \$6,161.89

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 general local elections, the following third party advertising limits apply:

- Third party advertising limit \$924.28
- Cumulative third party advertising limit \$184,856.70

For further information on the **nomination process**, please contact:

Kerry Fedosenko, Chief Election Officer – 250-507-7791
Tina Hansen, Deputy Chief Election Officer – 250-474-3167

For further information on **campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits**, please contact Elections BC:

Toll-free phone: 1-800-661-8683
Email: electionsbc@elections.bc.ca
Website: www.elections.bc.ca

Date: August 5, 2026