



PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING AND DECLARATION OF ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION

Public notice is hereby given that an election by voting is to be held to elect six (6) Councillors and one (1) School Trustee, and that a candidate has been declared elected by acclamation to the office of Mayor, for the 2026-2030 term.

DECLARATION OF ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION

At 4 p.m. on Monday, Sept. 21, 2026, Polly Palmer, Chief Election Officer declared the following candidate elected by acclamation:

OFFICE OF MAYOR
JOHNSTON, Stephen

Accordingly, no election by voting will be held for the office of Mayor.

ELECTION BY VOTING

Election by voting will be held on Saturday, Oct. 17, 2026 for the following offices:

Declared as
candidates for
the office of
Councillor:

COUNCILLOR - Six (6) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
BUCKBERRY	Gary	West Kelowna, BC
CHAPMAN	Justin	West Kelowna, BC
DA SILVA	Tasha	West Kelowna, BC
DE JONG	Rick	West Kelowna, BC
DOBBIN	Bradley	West Kelowna, BC
GRANT	Ken	West Kelowna, BC
GROAT	Tom	West Kelowna, BC
LANDRY	Dane	Kelowna, BC
LANGEVIN	Beau	West Kelowna, BC
MCMULLIN	Miranda	West Kelowna, BC
MILLSAP	Garrett	West Kelowna, BC
MOYER	Chris	West Kelowna, BC
ZANON	Carol	West Kelowna, BC

Declared as
candidates for
the office of
School Trustee:

SCHOOL TRUSTEE - One (1) to be elected

Surname	Usual Names	Residential Address
LARIVIERE	Ethel	West Kelowna, BC
ROBSON	Samuel	West Kelowna, BC
THESEN	Kasia	West Kelowna, BC

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:

Saturday, October 17, 2026, between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. at the following locations:

	Location	Address
1.	Glenrosa Elementary School	3430 Webber Road
2.	West Kelowna City Hall	3731 Old Okanagan Highway
3.	Constable Neil Bruce Middle School	2010 Daimler Drive
4.	Hudson Road Elementary School	1221 Hudson Road

ADVANCE VOTING opportunities will be available at:

City of West Kelowna – City Hall

3731 Old Okanagan Highway, West Kelowna on the following dates:

- **Wednesday, Oct. 7, 2026**
- **Tuesday, Oct. 13, 2026**
- **Thursday, Oct. 15, 2026**

Voting hours for all advance voting opportunities are **8 a.m. – 8 p.m.**

SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITIES will be held for qualified electors who are patients or staff of Brookhaven Care Centre and Village at Smith Creek as follows:

- **Brookhaven Care Centre** (1775 Shannon Lake Road) –
Friday, Oct. 16, 2026, 10 a.m. – 12 p.m.
- **Village at Smith Creek** (2425 Orlin Road) –
Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2026, 1:30 – 3:30 p.m.

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 October 17, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a resident of the City of West Kelowna on the day of registration (at time of voting); 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 October 17, 2026;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- be a registered owner of real property in the City of West Kelowna for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting);
- 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, for non-resident property electors:

- 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.

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.

MAIL BALLOT VOTING

REQUESTING A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE:

Before 4:01 p.m. on Oct. 15, 2026, if you wish to vote by mail, you must submit the following information to the City of West Kelowna office by filling out the online application, mail (3731 Old Okanagan Highway, West Kelowna, BC V4T 0G7), telephone (778-797-2250), fax (778-797-1001) or email (elections@westkelownacity.ca):

- (1) Full name,
- (2) Residential address,
- (3) Address of the property in relation to which you are voting (for non-resident property electors),
- (4) Method of delivery of your mail ballot package:
 - pick up at office and, if you wish, name of person you authorize to pick up package for you, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to residential address, OR
 - regular letter mail through Canada Post to an alternate address that you provide when requesting the ballot package, and
- (5) To ensure you receive the correct registration application form in your package, you must indicate whether you are going to be registering as a resident or non-resident property elector.

To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8 p.m. on Saturday, Oct. 17, 2026. Those electors who may require some assistance as a result of physical challenges are invited to contact the Chief Election Officer as soon as possible to facilitate their voting experiences.

Polly Palmer
Chief Election Officer