

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the electors of the Village of Harrison Hot Springs that a by-election by voting is to be held to elect one (1) Mayor and one (1) Councillor, and that the following persons are candidates for the office of:

**MAYOR – One (1) to be elected**

Surname	Usual Name	Municipality of Residency
ALLEN	John	Harrison Hot Springs, BC
DYKSTRA	Greg	Harrison Hot Springs, BC
TALEN	Fred	Harrison Hot Springs, BC

**COUNCILLOR – One (1) to be elected**

Surname	Usual Name	Municipality of Residency
OMELUS	Teresa	Harrison Hot Springs, BC
SCHWEINBENZ	Mark	Harrison Hot Springs, BC
WEBSTER	Gary	Harrison Hot Springs, BC
WOOD	Ed	Harrison Hot Springs, BC

**VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS**

**ADVANCE VOTING DAY** will be held on:

**Wednesday, September 11, 2024 between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at:**  
Memorial Hall, 290 Esplanade Avenue, Harrison Hot Springs, BC

**GENERAL VOTING DAY** will be held on:

**Saturday, September 21, 2024, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm at:**  
Memorial Hall, 290 Esplanade Avenue, Harrison Hot Springs, BC

**ELECTOR REGISTRATION**

There is no need to pre-register to vote as the registration of all electors for this by-election will take place at the time of voting. You will be required to make a declaration that you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day - September 21, 2024;
- a Canadian citizen;
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration;
- a resident on the day of registration **OR** for non-resident property electors be a registered owner of real property in the Village of Harrison Hot Springs for at least 30 days immediately before 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.

**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.

**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 a majority of the registered owners stating that the elector is an owner of the property, and is designated as the Non-Resident (Property) Elector for that property.

**TYPES OF DOCUMENTS THAT WILL BE ACCEPTED AS IDENTIFICATION**

- (a) a British Columbia Driver's Licence;
- (b) a BC identification card within the meaning of the Identification Card Regulation;
  - (b.1) a photo BC services card within the meaning of the Identification Card Regulation;
  - (b.2) a non-photo BC services card within the meaning of the Identification Card Regulation;
- (c) an Owner's Certificate of Insurance and Vehicle Licence issued by the ICBC;
- (d) a British Columbia CareCard or British Columbia Gold CareCard;
- (e) a Ministry of Social Development and Economic Security Request for Continued Assistance Form SDES8;
- (f) a Social Insurance Number card or confirmation of Social Insurance Number letter issued by the government of Canada;
- (g) a Citizenship Card issued by Citizenship and Immigration Canada;
- (h) a real property tax notice;
- (i) a credit card or debit card issued by a savings institution as defined in section 29 of the *Interpretation Act*, or
- (j) a utility bill issued for the supply of electricity, natural gas, water, telephone services or coaxial cable services.

**MAIL BALLOT VOTING**

**REQUESTING A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE:**

If you wish to vote by mail and in order to obtain a mail ballot, you must submit an application form with the information as listed below by 4:00 pm on Friday, September 13, 2024. The application form is available at the Village Office, 495 Hot Springs Road, Harrison Hot Springs, BC, or may be downloaded on the Village website at [harrisonhotsprings.ca](http://harrisonhotsprings.ca).

You will be required to provide the following information:

- (1) Full name,
- (2) Residential address,
- (3) Address of the property in relation to which you are voting (non-resident property electors),
- (4) Requested method of delivery of your mail ballot package:
  - pick up at Village Office, 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 in your package, you must indicate whether you are going to be registering as a resident or non-resident property elector.

The Village will send out mail ballot packages commencing on or about Tuesday, September 3, 2024. To be counted, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8:00 pm on Saturday, September 21, 2024 on General Voting Day.

For further information, please contact:

Kelly Ridley, Chief Election Officer 604-302-6673

Amanda Graham or Tyson Koch, Deputy Chief Election Officers 604-796-2171