# **Election Resources**

Resource links including the Voter's
Guide to Local Elections in BC 2022 and
others are available on the
City of Courtenay website at
www.courtenay.ca/elections

**Elections BC** is responsible for advertising rules, campaign financing and disclosure rules, and registration of elector organizations.

Visit the Ministry of Municipal Affairs for general information about election administration, legislation, and processes. Relevant election legislation includes Part 3 of the Local Government Act, the Local Elections Campaign Financing Act, the Local Government Elections Regulation, and the School Act.

City of Courtenay Election Bylaw No. 3073 establishes procedures for the 2022 Local Government Election, which includes the use of Automated Voting Machines and regulations for election signs.

Council appoints a Chief Election Officer to ensure the process is run in accordance with the **Local Government Act.** 

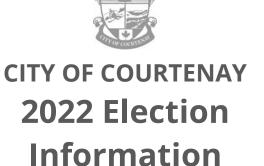
### **Mail Ballot Voting**

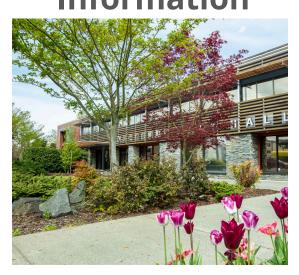
- All eligible electors for the City of Courtenay may apply to vote by mail.
- Electors wishing to vote by mail must meet the qualifications to vote and submit a mail ballot application form.
- Mail ballot applications will be available online by September.
- If you have applied for a mail ballot, the City of Courtenay can send you a mail ballot package or have one available for pickup at Municipal Hall, as soon as the ballots are available in late September.
- To be counted for the election, your mail ballot must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8 p.m. on October 15, 2022.

### Accessibility

For voters with accessibility needs, we have services available to help you vote.

- All advance and general voting places are wheelchair accessible.
- All eligible voters are able to vote by mail ballot (see mail ballot voting).
- Assistance is available to voters unable to mark a ballot because of a physical disability or difficulty with reading or writing.
- Voters needing assistance to mark a ballot may bring a friend who will be required to sign a declaration, or ask an election official for assistance.
- ASL translation will be available at the Florence Filberg Centre on general voting day.





On Saturday, October 15, 2022, eligible voters in Courtenay will cast ballots to elect:

- 1 Mayor
- 6 Councillors
- 2 School District Trustees for Courtenay (School District No. 71)

# **West Courtenay**



# **East Courtenay**



#### MAIL BALLOT VOTING

Applications available online by September, 2022.

#### **ADVANCE VOTING DAYS**

1) Wednesday October 5, 2022 8 am to 8 pm

> Native Sons Hall, 360 Cliffe Avenue

2) Wednesday October 12, 2022 8 am to 8 pm

Florence Filberg Centre, 411 Anderton Ave

#### **GENERAL VOTING DAY**

Saturday, October 15, 2022 8 am to 8 pm

- Florence Filberg Centre,
   411 Anderton Ave
- Queneesh Elementary School, 2345 Mission Road

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