

Local Government Election List of Registered Electors Election October 17, 2026

Are you eligible to vote in the 2026 Election?

List of Registered Electors

Beginning September 1, 2026 until October 17, 2026, a copy of the list of registered electors will be available for public inspection, at Castlegar City Hall. A person must sign a statement that they will not inspect the list or use the information included in the list except for the purposes of Part 3 of the *Local Government Act*. An elector can request that their address or other information be omitted or obscured on the list of electors.

In accordance with the *Local Government Act* and the City Election and Assent Voting Bylaw 1381, the City will use the Provincial voters list as the register of resident electors for the 2026 Election.

If you're not on the list of registered electors and you meet the qualifications as a resident elector or a non-resident property elector, you may register on voting day by producing two pieces of acceptable identification, one of which must have your signature and one that must provide proof of residency or property ownership.

Objection to Registration of an Elector

An objection to the registration of a person on the list of registered electors may be made in accordance with the *Local Government Act* until 4 p.m. September 11, 2026. Objections must be in writing and may only be made by a person entitled to be registered as an elector of Castlegar, and can only be made if a person who appears on the list of electors has died or if the elector listed is not qualified to be registered as an elector.

All Electors Must Be

- ▶ A 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; and
- ▶ Not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election in British Columbia, from being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.
- ▶ A Resident of the City of Castlegar or School Trustee Electoral Area 2 **OR**
- ▶ A Non-Resident Property Elector. These electors must also be:
 - ▷ Registered owner of real property in the City of Castlegar or School Trustee Electoral Area 2 for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
 - ▷ Only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint or tenants in common, or individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust;
 - ▷ If there is more than one registered owner, only one of individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector; and
 - ▷ Not entitled to register as a resident elector

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