

2026 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTION NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Public notice is hereby given to the electors of the Regional District of Fraser-Fort George that a General Local Election will be held on Saturday, October 17 2026, to elect four (4) Commissioners for the Bear Lake Local Community.

Nominations will be received by the Chief Election Officer or Deputy Chief Election Officer, as follows:

By hand, mail or other delivery service Regional District of Fraser-Fort George Office 155 George Street, Prince George, BC V2L 1P8	From: 9:00 a.m. on Tuesday, September 1, 2026 To: 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 11, 2026
By fax to: 250-563-7520	
By email to: election@rdffg.bc.ca	

Information on the requirements and procedures for making nominations including nomination forms are available online at www.rdffg.ca/Election or may be obtained in person from July 27, 2026, to the close of the nomination period, at the following locations:

Regional District Office , 155 George Street, Prince George, BC Office Hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., excluding statutory holidays.
Bear Lake Local Community Commission Office , 353 Grizzly Avenue, Bear Lake, BC Office Hours: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m., excluding statutory holidays.

THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF NOMINATIONS IS 4:00 P.M. FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as Commissioner if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian Citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day Saturday, October 17, 2026;
- resident of British Columbia for at least six (6) months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed; and
- not disqualified by 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:

Local Community Commissioner \$6,161.89

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING EXPENSE LIMITS

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

Local Community Commissioner \$ 924.28

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on the **nomination process**, please contact:

Maureen Connelly, Chief Election Officer (250) 960-4444
Dayna Hegel, Deputy Chief Election Officer (250) 960-4415
Aileen Singh, Deputy Chief Election Officer (250) 960-4416
Email: election@rdffg.bc.ca

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION on the **campaign period expense limits and third party advertising expense limits**, please contact Elections BC:

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