



# Village Update

2026 MUNICIPAL ELECTION  
EDITION



September 21, 2026

## UPDATES FROM MUNICIPALITY



Notice No. 10-1

### PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS: NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

An election by voting is to be held to elect a Mayor, four Councillors, and five School Trustees, and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

#### MAYOR – One (1) to be elected

| Surname    | Usual Names | Residential Address |
|------------|-------------|---------------------|
| BROUGHTON  | Michael     | Lions Bay, BC       |
| MCLAUGHLIN | Ronald      | Lions Bay, BC       |

#### COUNCILLOR – Four (4) to be elected

| Surname  | Usual Names | Residential Address |
|----------|-------------|---------------------|
| ABBOTT   | Neville     | Lions Bay, BC       |
| BALAC    | Eric        | Lions Bay, BC       |
| CUNLIFFE | Jaime       | Lions Bay, BC       |
| LEESON   | Carmon      | Lions Bay, BC       |
| MONFARED | Ehsan       | Lions Bay, BC       |
| NOLIN    | Leslie      | Lions Bay, BC       |
| SOLHEIM  | Adam        | Lions Bay, BC       |
| STEVENS  | Chris       | Lions Bay, BC       |

#### SCHOOL TRUSTEE FOR WEST VANCOUVER SCHOOL DISTRICT– Five (5) to be elected

| Surname    | Usual Names | Residential Address |
|------------|-------------|---------------------|
| CALIMENTE  | John        | West Vancouver, BC  |
| DONAHUE    | Sheelah     | West Vancouver, BC  |
| LOAT       | Richard     | BC                  |
| NURPEISSOV | Roman       | BC                  |
| O'FLYNN    | John        | BC                  |
| STRAITH    | Karen       | West Vancouver, BC  |
| ZHU        | Felicia     | West Vancouver, BC  |

#### VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

ADVANCE VOTING DAY will be:

Wednesday, October 7, 2026, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm  
at Broughton Hall at 400 Centre Road.

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:

Saturday, October 17, 2026, between 8:00 am and 8:00 pm  
at Broughton Hall at 400 Centre Road.

## REGISTRATION TO VOTE

If you are not on the current list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the application form available at the voting place and making 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;
- be a resident of the Village of Lions Bay on 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.

### 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;
- be a registered owner of real property in the Village of Lions Bay for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration;
- 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.

In addition, in order to register at time of voting:

**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

Before 4:00 pm on October 12, 2026, if you wish to vote by mail, you must submit the following information to the Village office by mail (400 Centre Road, Lions Bay, BC ), telephone (604-937-4100), fax (604-939-5034) or email ([elections@lionsbay.ca](mailto:elections@lionsbay.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 the Village Hall; OR
  - pick up at the Village Hall by a person authorized by you (identification required), 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) If you are not on the list of electors, 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 pm on Saturday, October 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.

#### CONTACT INFORMATION

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