

Elector Registration



What if I am not on the list of electors?

If you are not on the list of electors, you may register at the time of voting by completing the required application form available at the voting place.

Who can register?

Anyone Meeting The Following Qualifications May Register To Vote:

- ◉ 18 years of age or older on general voting day
- ◉ Canadian citizen
- ◉ resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration
- ◉ resident of OR registered owner of real property in the City of Nanaimo for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration, and
- ◉ not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in the assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

What should I bring to register?

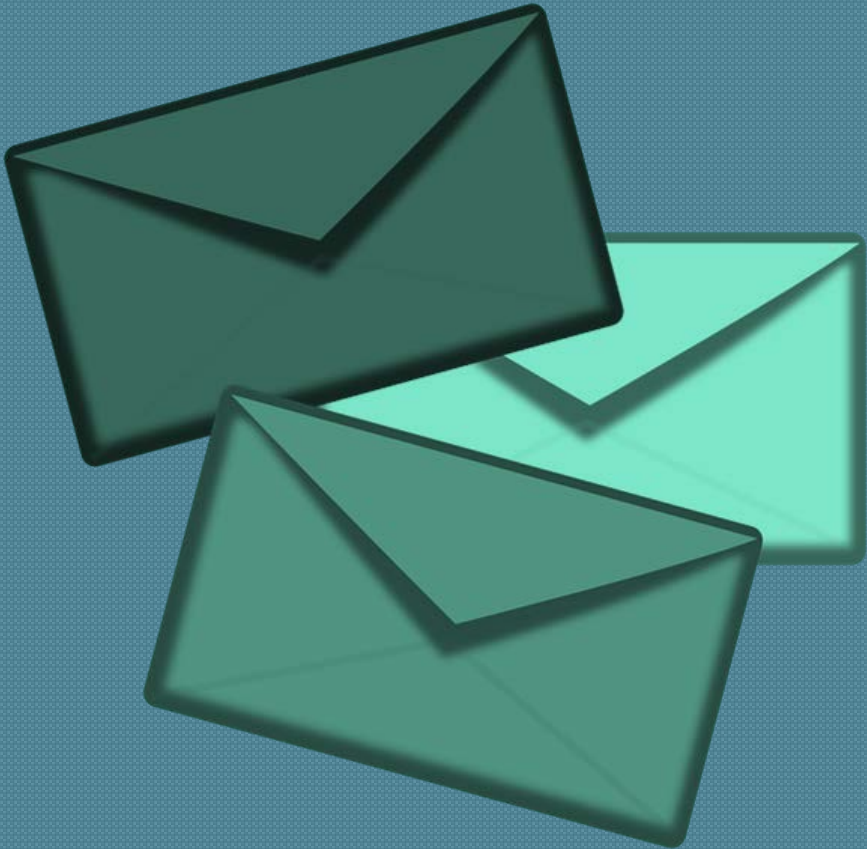
In order to register, resident electors must produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

What if I own property in Nanaimo but do not live there?

In order 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, written consent from the majority of property owners.

- * Note: Non-resident property electors no longer need a Property Elector Certificate to vote.

Mail Ballot Voting



Who is permitted to vote by mail?

Qualified electors may vote by mail if they:

- have a physical disability, illness or injury that affects their ability to vote at another voting opportunity; and/or,
- expect to be away from the voting jurisdiction on Non-Election Assent voting day (March 11, 2017) and at the times of all advance voting opportunities (March 1 and 8, 2017).

In addition to the above requirements, a person must meet all voting requirements for voting in a local election as a resident elector or as a non-resident property elector as of the date the mail ballot is completed and posted.