



NOTICE OF
ELECTION

2011

LOCAL
ELECTIONS

INFORMATION FOR REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO ELECTORAL AREA VOTING

*On Saturday November 19,
resident and non-resident
property electors will vote in
local government elections.*

*Voters in Electoral Areas A, B,
E, F and G will be voting for
Regional District Directors.*

*Voters in Electoral Area B
will also be voting for Islands
Trust Trustees.*

Qualifications for Voting

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

If you live in one of the RDN's Electoral Areas you may be eligible to vote in the November 19, 2011 election. In order to qualify to vote you must meet the following criteria:

- must be 18 or older on general voting day;
- must be a Canadian citizen;
- must be a resident of BC (as per s.52 of the Local Government Act) for at least six months prior to Election Day; (May 17, 2011)
- must be a resident of the voting area jurisdiction (as per s.52 of the Local Government Act) for at least 30 days prior to Election Day; (October 19, 2011)
- must not be disqualified from voting by the Local Government Act or any other enactment, or otherwise be disqualified by law.

Persons qualifying as "Resident Electors" who will be applying to register at the time of voting must provide at least two documents verifying the applicant's identity, with at least one containing the applicant's signature, such as a Drivers License.

NON RESIDENT ELECTORS:

If you own property in Electoral Areas A, B, C, E, F, G, or H but reside elsewhere, you may be eligible to vote as a non-resident property elector. In order to qualify to vote as a non-resident property elector you must meet the following criteria:

- must be 18 or older on general voting day;
- must be a Canadian citizen;
- must be a resident of BC (as per s.52 of the Local Government Act) for at least six months immediately before registration day; (May 17, 2011)
- must not be entitled to register as a resident elector;
- must have been a registered owner of real property in the Electoral Area for at least 30 days immediately before registration day; (October 19, 2011)
- must not be disqualified by the Local Government Act or any other enactment from voting in an election or be otherwise disqualified by law.

A person may register as a non-resident property elector in relation to only one parcel of real property within Electoral Areas A, B, C, E, F, G or H. If more than one individual is the registered owner of the real property, only one of those individuals may register and the person registering must do so with the written consent of the number of those individuals who, together with the person registering, are a majority of registered owners.

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AND RESIDENCY
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Persons qualifying as "Non-Resident Property Electors" who will be applying to register at the time of voting must complete an application form, must provide at least two documents that provide evidence of the applicant's identity and must provide a copy of land title registration or tax notice which provides proof of ownership. At least one of the documents must contain the applicant's signature, such as a Driver's License.



This flyer is intended for residents and property owners in the RDN Electoral Areas. Canada Post policy on splitting postal routes may result in some municipal area residents and property owners receiving this document.

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ADVANCE VOTING OPPORTUNITIES

November 9 & 16, 2011 – 8:00 am TO 8:00 pm

Advance voting opportunities shall be open to qualified electors at the following locations between the hours of 8:00am and 8:00pm on Wednesday, November 9, 2011, and Wednesday, November 16, 2011. Ballots will be available for the positions of Electoral Area Director for Areas A, B, E, F and G, and for positions of Islands Trust Trustees in Area B.

Wednesday, November 9, 2011 – 8:00 am to 8:00 pm

Voting Place	Ballots
GABRIOLA ISLAND ELEMENTARY SCHOOL LIBRARY 680 North Road, Gabriola Island	Director, B Islands Trust Trustees, School Board Trustees
RDN ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 6300 Hammond Bay Road, Nanaimo	Director, A, B, E, F and G Islands Trust Trustees, School Board Trustees
OCEANSIDE PLACE 830 W Island Highway, Parksville	Director E, F and G School Board Trustees
QUALICUM BEACH CIVIC CENTRE 747 Jones Street, Qualicum Beach	Director E, F and G School Board Trustees

Wednesday, November 16, 2011 – 8:00 am to 8:00 pm

Voting Place	Ballots
RDN ADMINISTRATION OFFICE 6300 Hammond Bay Road, Nanaimo	Director, A, B, E, F and G Islands Trust Trustees, School Board Trustees
OCEANSIDE PLACE 830 W Island Highway, Parksville	Director, E, F and G School Board Trustees

QUALIFICATIONS TO VOTE AT AN ADVANCE POLL

All qualified electors are now permitted to vote at either an advance voting opportunity or on general election day. The requirement that advance voting be open only to voters who would be absent from the Regional District of Nanaimo on general voting day has been removed from the Local Government Act. Further information may be obtained by contacting Maureen Pearse, Chief Election Officer, or Linda Burgoyne, Deputy Chief Election Officer, at **250-390-4111**, or Toll Free at **1-877-607-4111**.

Election information is also available at www.rdn.bc.ca.

CANDIDATES FOR ELECTORAL AREA DIRECTORS AND ISLANDS TRUST TRUSTEES

ELECTORAL AREA A

Baltzer, Geoff	2044 Furn Road, Nanaimo
Bonkowski, Andrea	1333 Scotchtown Road, Nanaimo
Gourlay, Laurie	2689 Cedar Road, Nanaimo
McPherson, Alec	2768 Nicola Road, Nanaimo

ELECTORAL AREA B

Alexander, Jordy	1230 McGillvary Avenue, Gabriola Island
Houle, Howard	1070 North Road, Gabriola Island
Moeller, Eric	940 Horseshoe Road, Gabriola Island

ELECTORAL AREA E

Dawson, Ken	2346 Eaglesfield Place, Nanoose Bay
Holme, George	2965 Dolphin Drive, Nanoose Bay
Rogers, Bob	1578 Arbutus Lane, Nanoose Bay

ELECTORAL AREA F

de Candole, Richard	710 Stevens Road, Qualicum Beach
Donald, Skye	1489 Grafton Avenue, Errington
Fell, Julian	1555 Wells Place, Errington
Salter, Leanne	1317 Kopernick Road, Errington

ELECTORAL AREA G

Pope, Lance	585 Columbia Drive, Parksville
Round, Duane	543 Wain Road, Parksville
Stanhope, Joe	1025 W. Island Highway, Parksville

THE FOLLOWING CANDIDATES HAVE BEEN ELECTED BY ACCLAMATION

ELECTORAL AREA C

Young, Maureen	2335 Godfrey Road, Nanaimo
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ELECTORAL AREA H

Veenhof, Bill	4737 Maple Guard Drive, Bowser
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ISLANDS TRUST CANDIDATES (two to be elected)



Malcolmson, Sheila	901 Berry Point Road, Gabriola Island
Mooney, Maggie	1225 Fleet Street, Gabriola Island
Rudischer, Gisele	960 Canso Drive, Gabriola Island

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Proof of Identity and Residency is Required to Vote

Voters who are not on the voters list and are registering on the day of voting are required to present two pieces of identification providing evidence of identity and place of residence. At least one piece of identification presented must have a signature.

EXAMPLES OF ACCEPTABLE IDENTIFICATION

FOR IDENTITY:

- Driver's Licence
- B.C. ID Card
- Owner's Certificate of Insurance and Vehicle Registration
- Social Insurance Card
- Credit Card/Debit Card
- Passport/Citizenship Card
- B.C. Care Card/ B.C. Gold Care Card
- Old Age Pension I.D. Card
- Continued Assistance Form SDE58



FOR RESIDENCY:

- Driver's Licence
- B.C. ID Card
- Owner's Certificate of Insurance and Vehicle Registration
- Utility Bill or other similar
- Credit Card Statement
- Real Property Tax Notice or B.C. Assessment Notice



Voting Places

**OPEN 8 AM TO 8 PM
SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19**

ELECTORAL AREA A

North Cedar 2215 Gould Road
Intermediate School

Cranberry Fire 1555 Morden Road
Department Hall

ELECTORAL AREA B

Gabriola Island 680 North Road
Elementary School

ELECTORAL AREA C

Extension Hall 2120 Ryder Street
Pleasant Valley 6300 Doumont Road
Social Centre

ELECTORAL AREA E

Nanoose Place 2925 Northwest Bay Road

ELECTORAL AREA F

Bradley Centre 975 Shearme Road

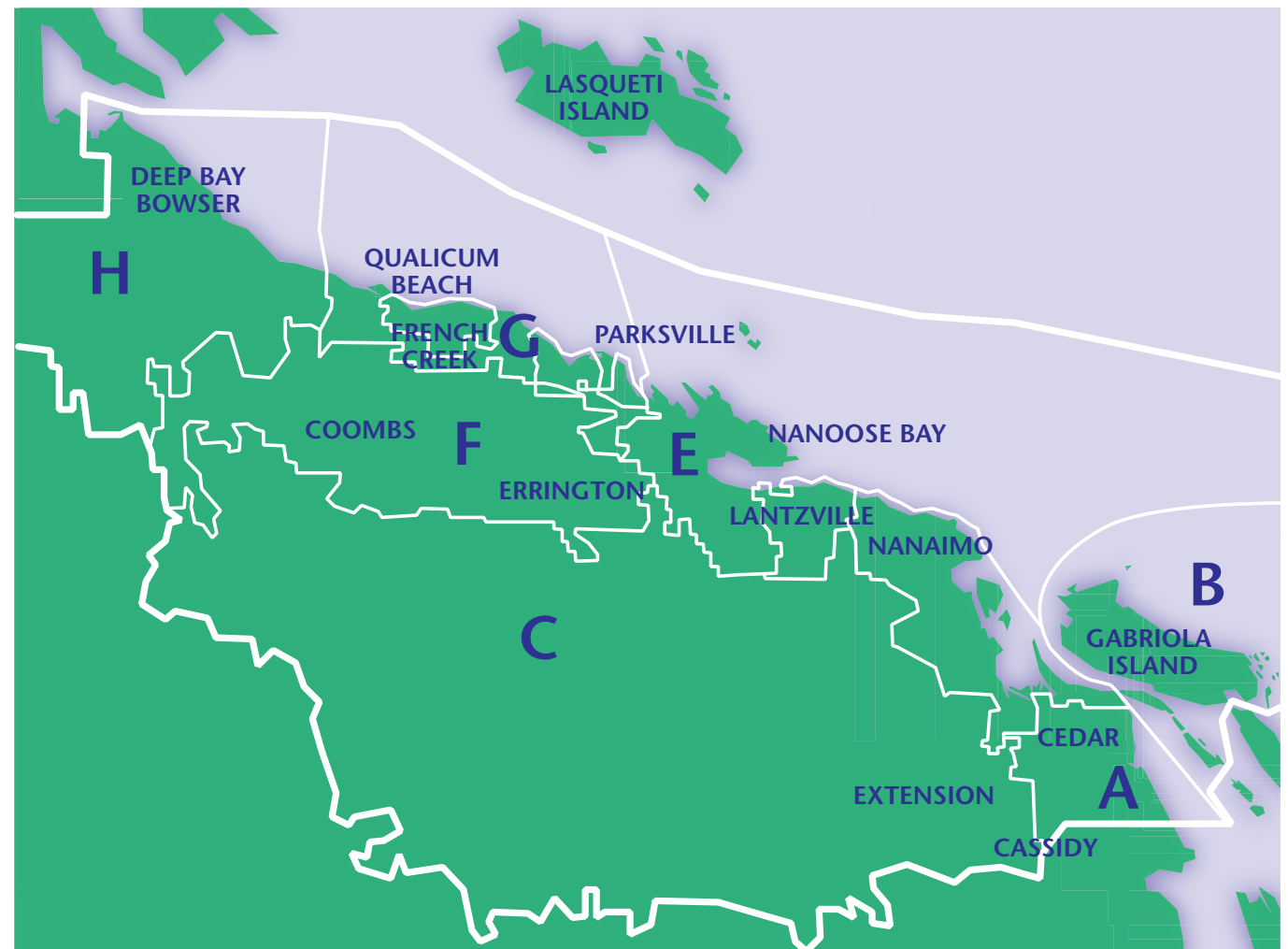
ELECTORAL AREA G

St. Columba 921 Wembley Road
Presbyterian Church

ELECTORAL AREA H

Lighthouse 240 Lions Way
Community Centre

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO ELECTORAL AREA MAP



All voting places are wheelchair accessible, and curbside voting will be available for electors who require this service.

For more information on the 2011 Election, please contact Maureen Pearse, Chief Election Officer or Linda Burgoyne, Deputy Chief Election Officer at **250-390-4111** or toll-free at **1-877-607-4111**. Please contact the RDN prior to the election if you are unsure about where to vote.



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