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RDN Receives Provincial Approval for Minor Boundary Redefinition

The Regional District of Nanaimo (RDN) has received approval for a minor boundary redefinition between Electoral Area A (Cedar, South Wellington, Yellowpoint, Cassidy) and Electoral Area C (Extension, Nanaimo Lakes, East Wellington, Pleasant Valley) from the Province of British Columbia. The change affects 16 properties along Plecas and Evans Roads. This minor boundary redefinition will resolve long-standing boundary misalignments and address existing inconsistencies and service-related challenges.

Following a review conducted by RDN staff and engagement with owners of affected and surrounding properties earlier this year, the RDN submitted a request for the boundary redefinition to the Ministry of Housing and Municipal Affairs. On July 17, 2026, the RDN received an [Order in Council](#) which provides for the redefinition of Electoral Areas A and C boundaries within the RDN as well as for the extension of the City of Nanaimo boundaries through concurrent Letters Patent.

This Order in Council concludes the formal provincial approval process and brings into effect the Board-approved minor boundary redefinition for Electoral Areas A and C. Additional information from the Ministry will inform next steps and implementation of the Order in Council. To view the Order in Council, which includes maps, visit <https://bit.ly/EA-A-C-Boundary>.

Quote

“This boundary update is a practical change that will make things clearer and more consistent for the residents and property owners directly affected. By aligning boundaries with how services are delivered, we can better support these properties going forward.”

Stuart McLean, Board Chair

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