



2018 ELECTIONS NOTICE OF NOMINATION PERIOD For the Office of Mayor September 19-24, 2018

Public Notice is given to the electors of the Town of Gibsons that nominations for the offices of one Mayor will be received by the Chief Election Officer, or a designated person, at the Town of Gibsons municipal office, 474 South Fletcher Road, Gibsons, B.C., between the hours of 9:00am on September 19th, 2018 and 4:00pm on Monday, September 24, 2018.

Nomination papers may be faxed to 604-886-2274 or emailed to CEO@gibsons.ca. Originals of faxed or emailed nomination documents **must** be received by the Chief Election Officer by 4:30pm on September 28, 2018.

Nomination Packages

Nomination packages are available at the Town of Gibsons municipal office during regular office hours: 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday except statutory holidays. You can also receive a nomination package by sending an email to the Chief Election Officer at CEO@gibsons.ca.

Qualifications for Office

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

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on General Voting Day;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 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 from being nominated for, being elected to, or holding office.

Campaign Period Expense Limits

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2018 general local election, the following expense limits for candidates during the campaign period apply: Mayor - \$10,000.

Third Party Advertising Limits

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2018 general local elections, the third party advertising limit for mayor is \$750.00.

Further information on the **nomination process** may be obtained by contacting the Chief Election Officer: 604-886-2274 or CEO@gibsons.ca.

For further information on **campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits**, please contact Elections BC 1-855-952-0280 or lecf@elections.bc.ca