



SCHOOL TRUSTEE

CANDIDATE NOMINATION INFORMATION PACKAGE

**SUBMISSION DEADLINE
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 2026 - 4:00 PM**

OCTOBER 17, 2026 - GENERAL LOCAL ELECTION

2026 GENERAL LOCAL & SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION CANDIDATE NOMINATION INFORMATION

Call of Elections

The *Local Government Act* and the *School Act* require that a General Local Election and General School Trustee Election be held on the third Saturday in October every four years.

For the 2026 elections, Advance Voting opportunities will be available on October 7, 10, and 11, 2026, with General Voting Day taking place on Saturday, October 17, 2026.

Additional information regarding voting hours and locations will be made available by the end of August at www.abbotsford.ca/elections.

Submission of Candidate Nomination Documents

Complete submissions must be received by **4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 11, 2026**. Early submission is encouraged, as incomplete submissions or nomination documents received after the deadline cannot be accepted.

Candidates are strongly encouraged to submit their nomination documents in person, by emailing electionoffice@abbotsford.ca to set up an appointment.

Alternatively, candidates may submit their completed nomination documents by email or by mail after completing the solemn declaration in front of a lawyer, notary or Commissioner for Taking Affidavits in British Columbia.

- By email: electionoffice@abbotsford.ca
- By mail or other delivery service: Chief Election Officer, 5th Floor, 32315 South Fraser Way, Abbotsford, BC, V2T 1W7

Interested persons can obtain information on the requirements and procedures for making nominations, including nomination forms by visiting www.abbotsford.ca/elections/candidate-information. You may also contact the Election Office by email at electionoffice@abbotsford.ca or by phone at 604-851-8683. Office hours are Monday to Friday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (excluding any statutory holidays).

All nomination documents, regardless of the method of delivery, must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than **4:00 p.m. on September 11, 2026**.

Candidate Nomination Documents

Nomination documents are standardized throughout the Province and are available as fillable PDF forms. Candidates must ensure that all required signatures are obtained before submitting their nomination documents by email or in person during the nomination period.

Candidates must be nominated by **two people** who are qualified to vote in the City of Abbotsford.

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The following nomination documents must be filed:

- **Form C2** – Nomination Document;
- **Form C3** – Other information provided by Candidate;
- **Statement of Disclosure: *Financial Disclosure Act***; and
- **Candidate Information Release Authorization.**

The following nomination documents are required if applicable:

- **Form C4** – Appointment of Candidate Financial Agent (*if the candidate is not acting as their own financial agent*);
- **Form C5** – Appointment of Candidate Official Agent; and
- **Form C6** – Appointment of Candidate Scrutineer.

Note: *Elector Organization endorsement and candidate consent, if applicable, are now completed as part of Form C2 and are no longer separate forms.*

The following document is optional:

- Candidate Profile Form

Availability of Nomination Documents

In accordance with section 16 of the City's *Election Bylaw, 2018*, nomination documents submitted to the Chief Election Officer will be made available on the City's website from the time they are received until **30 days after the declaration of the election results**.

To protect personal privacy, residential addresses, email addresses, and other personal information contained in the nomination documents will be redacted, unless the candidate has provided consent for its release through the **Candidate Information Release Authorization**.

Nomination documents will be available on the City's website at:

www.abbotsford.ca/elections/candidate-information

Declaration of Candidates and Deadline to Withdraw

Immediately following the close of the nomination period at **4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 11, 2026**, the Chief Election Officer will declare all persons who have been nominated as candidates for elected office.

The deadline for a candidate to withdraw their nomination is **4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 18, 2026**.

The deadline for the withdrawal of an elector organization endorsement, or for a candidate to withdraw their acceptance of an elector organization endorsement, is **4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 18, 2026**.

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Challenge of Nominations

A nomination may only be challenged by:

- an elector of the City of Abbotsford;
- another nominee; or
- the Chief Election Officer.

Any challenge must be made by application to the Provincial Court in accordance with **Section 91 of the *Local Government Act***.

Challenges to nominations may be made between the time nomination documents are delivered and **4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, September 15, 2026**.

Candidate Representatives

In accordance with the Local Government Act, candidates may appoint representatives to assist with their campaign and observe election proceedings.

- **Financial Agent:** A candidate may appoint a Financial Agent to manage campaign finances and ensure compliance with election financing requirements (Form C4).
- **Official Agent:** A candidate may appoint an Official Agent to represent them in election matters (Form C5). An Official Agent may also be authorized to appoint Scrutineers on the candidate's behalf.
- **Scrutineers:** A candidate or their Official Agent may appoint Scrutineers to observe voting and ballot counting proceedings (Form C6). A maximum of one (1) Scrutineer per candidate per voting place is permitted at any one time.
 - Scrutineers **MUST** have a copy of their Appointment of Candidate Scrutineer completed and signed when attending any voting location.
 - Scrutineers are not allowed to use their phones inside any voting location.

Note: *The same person may act as both the Official Agent and Financial Agent. If a candidate does not appoint a Financial Agent, the candidate is deemed to be their own Financial Agent and no formal appointment is required.*

Campaign Financing and Election Advertising

The ***Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*** regulates campaign financing, election advertising, and third-party advertising for candidates and elector organizations. Elections BC is responsible for administering and enforcing these requirements.

Candidates are responsible for complying with all campaign financing and disclosure requirements and must file the required financial disclosure statements with Elections BC following the election. Candidates endorsed by an Elector Organization should also ensure that any applicable endorsement and disclosure requirements are met.

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The deadline to file campaign financing disclosure statements with Elections BC is 90 days after general voting day. Late filings may be submitted within 120 days after the election, subject to the applicable late filing fee.

Campaign Period Expense Limits

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 General local election, the following expense limits for candidates apply during the campaign period:

- Mayor \$128,740.12
- Councillor \$65,201.92
- School Trustee \$65,237.78

Third Party Advertising Limits:

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 General Local Election, the following third party advertising limits apply:

- Mayor and Councillor \$6,437.01
- School Trustee \$4,019.88

The cumulative advertising expense limit is \$184,856.70 and applies to directed and issue advertising in all election areas. The total value of advertising sponsored cannot exceed this limit.

For further information on campaign period expense limits and third party advertising limits, please contact Elections BC:

- Toll-free phone: 1-855-952-0280
- Email: lecf@elections.bc.ca
- Website: www.elections.bc.ca/lecf

Unlawful Election Activities

Division 18 of the *Local Government Act* addresses election offences and penalties related to local government elections. Candidates are responsible for understanding and complying with all applicable election requirements.

Candidates should review the additional resources listed on page 6, which provide summaries of election offences and requirements under the *Local Government Act* and the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*.

2026 GENERAL LOCAL & SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION CANDIDATE NOMINATION INFORMATION

Abbotsford Election Office

For further information regarding the 2026 General Local and School Trustee Election, please contact the Abbotsford Election Office:

Phone: 604-851-VOTE (8683)

Email: electionoffice@abbotsford.ca

Web: www.abbotsford.ca/elections

Robin Charl, Chief Election Officer

Harjit Gill, Deputy Chief Election Officer

Tammy Ketola, Deputy Chief Election Officer

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

CITY DOCUMENTS

- [Election Sign Bylaw, 2021](#)
- [Election Bylaw, 2018](#)

CANDIDATE'S GUIDES – PROVINCE OF BC

- [Candidate's Guide to Local Elections in B.C.](#)
- [Elector Organization Guide to Local Elections in B.C.](#)
- [General Local Elections 101](#)
- [Thinking of Running for Local Office?](#)
- [What Every Candidate Needs to Know](#)
- [Guide to Local Elections Campaign Financing in BC for Candidates and their Financial Agents](#)
- [Guide to Local Elections Campaign Financing in B.C. for Elector Organizations and their Financial Agents](#)
- [Guide for Local Elections Third Party Sponsors in B.C.](#)
- [Financial Disclosure Act – Ministry of Attorney General Fact Sheet](#)

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATION

- [Local Government Act, Part 3 — Electors and Elections](#)
 - Division 5 – Qualifications for Office
 - Division 6 – Nomination of Candidates
 - Division 7 – Candidate for Endorsement by Elector Organizations
 - Division 8 – Declaration of Candidates
 - Division 9 – Candidates and Representatives
 - Division 18 – Election Offences

CANDIDATE NOMINATION PACKAGE – SCHOOL TRUSTEE

IMPORTANT: The following forms are for candidates in school trustee elections. A separate set of forms are available for regional trustee candidates in School District No. 93 (Conseil scolaire francophone).

Use the Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form CS1 to ensure that the Candidate Nomination Package – School Trustee is complete and meets the legislative requirements of the *School Act*, *Local Government Act*, *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, *Financial Disclosure Act* and/or *Vancouver Charter*.

The Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form CS1 serve as a guide to the forms that must be submitted by a Candidate, their Official Agent and/or their Financial Agent to the Chief Election Officer as part of the nomination process.

Ensure that, for each item checked off on the Checklist Form CS1 (Section B), the relevant form is completed and attached.

NOTE: Candidate Nomination documents can be submitted to the Chief Election Officer in-person, by mail, by fax or by email. School district contact information is available online at: <https://bcschoolcontacts.gov.bc.ca> and local government contact information is available online at: <https://www/civinfo.bc.ca/directories>

The Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form CS1 are for the Chief Election Officer's reference only and do not constitute part of the Candidate Nomination Package – School Trustee.

Completing only the Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form CS1 **does not** constitute completion of the Candidate Nomination Package – School Trustee, nor does it satisfy the legislative requirements set out in the *School Act*, *Local Government Act*, *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, *Financial Disclosure Act* and/or *Vancouver Charter*.

COMPLETION INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Record the Candidate's full name.
2. Use section B of the Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form CS1 to identify which forms have been completed and are included in the Candidate Nomination Package – School Trustee.
3. Return the completed package to the Chief Election Officer.

As per *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act* requirements, the following forms will be forwarded to Elections BC by the Chief Election Officer:
CS2 – Nomination Documents (only page 3);
CS3 – Other Information Provided by Candidate; and,
CS4 – Appointment of Candidate Financial Agent.

After election results have been declared, please send any changes to documents previously provided to Elections BC to:

Elections BC
PO Box 9275 Stn Prov Govt
Victoria BC V8W 9J6
Toll-free fax: 1-866-466-0665
Email: electoral.finance@elections.bc.ca

CS1 – Candidate Cover Sheet and Checklist Form

PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS

SECTION A

CANDIDATE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
NAME OF OFFICE FOR WHICH CANDIDATE IS SEEKING ELECTION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE		

SECTION B

This information package includes the following completed forms, appointments, consents and declarations:

- ☐ **CS2 – Nomination Documents**
- ☐ **CS3 – Other Information Provided by Candidate**
- ☐ **CS4 – Appointment of Candidate Financial Agent** (if Candidate is not acting as own Financial Agent)
- ☐ **CS5 – Appointment of Candidate Official Agent** (if applicable)
- ☐ **CS6 – Appointment of Candidate Scrutineer** (if applicable)
- ☐ **Statement of Disclosure: *Financial Disclosure Act*** (required under the *Financial Disclosure Act*)

Disclaimer: All attempts have been made to ensure the accuracy of the forms contained in the Candidate Nomination Package – School Trustee; however, the forms are not a substitute for provincial legislation and/or regulations.

Please refer directly to the latest consolidation of provincial statutes at BC Laws (www.bclaws.ca) for applicable election-related provisions and requirements.

CS2 – Nomination Documents

PLEASE PRINT IN BLOCK LETTERS

JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)		TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)
We, the following electors of the above-named jurisdiction, hereby nominate:		
NOMINEE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
USUAL NAME OF PERSON NOMINATED IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE AND PREFERRED BY THE PERSON NOMINATED TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT		
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
MAILING ADDRESS IF DIFFERENT FROM RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
As a Candidate for the office of:		
POSITION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE	JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)	TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)

Each of us **affirms** that to the best of our knowledge, the above-named person nominated for office:

1. Is or will be on general voting day for the election, 18 years of age or older.
2. Is a Canadian citizen.
3. Has been a resident of British Columbia, as determined in accordance with section 42 of the *School Act*, for at least six months immediately preceding today's date.
4. Is not disqualified under the *School Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding office as a trustee, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

**A nominator MUST be a qualified elector of the trustee electoral area where the candidate is running.
Elector qualifications are listed in section 40 and 41 of the *School Act*.**

NOMINATOR'S NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE AND LAST NAMES)	NOMINATOR'S NAME (FIRST, MIDDLE AND LAST NAMES)
RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS (CITY/TOWN, STREET ADDRESS, POSTAL CODE) IF NOMINATING AS A RESIDENT ELECTOR	RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS (CITY/TOWN, STREET ADDRESS, POSTAL CODE) IF NOMINATING AS A RESIDENT ELECTOR
PROPERTY ADDRESS (CITY/TOWN, STREET ADDRESS, POSTAL CODE) IF NOMINATING AS A NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTOR	PROPERTY ADDRESS (CITY/TOWN, STREET ADDRESS, POSTAL CODE) IF NOMINATING AS A NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTOR
☐ BY CHECKING THIS BOX YOU CONFIRM THAT YOU ARE A QUALIFIED ELECTOR IN THE JURISDICTION THE CANDIDATE IS RUNNING FOR OFFICE	☐ BY CHECKING THIS BOX YOU CONFIRM THAT YOU ARE A QUALIFIED ELECTOR IN THE JURISDICTION THE CANDIDATE IS RUNNING FOR OFFICE
NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE	NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE

Please see over for additional space when more than two nominators are required. Copies can be made as needed.

I consent to the above nomination for office:	
NOMINEE'S SIGNATURE	DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)

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NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE	NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE

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NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE	NOMINATOR'S SIGNATURE

CS2 – Nomination Documents

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I do solemnly declare as follows:

1. I am qualified under section 32 of the *School Act* to be nominated, elected and to hold the office of:

POSITION

BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE

2. I am or will be on general voting day for the election, 18 years of age or older.
3. I am a Canadian citizen.
4. I have been a resident of British Columbia, as determined in accordance with section 42 of the *School Act*, for the past six months immediately preceding today's date.
5. I am not disqualified by the *School Act* or any other enactment from being nominated for, being elected to or holding office as a trustee, or otherwise disqualified by law.
6. To the best of my knowledge, the information provided in these nomination documents is true.
7. I fully intend to accept the office if elected.
8. I am aware of and understand the requirements and restrictions of the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act* and intend to fully comply with those requirements and restrictions.

NOMINEE'S SIGNATURE

DECLARED BEFORE ME: CHIEF ELECTION OFFICER OR COMMISSIONER FOR TAKING AFFIDAVITS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

AT: (LOCATION)

DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)



I am acting as my own Financial Agent



I have appointed as my Financial Agent

NOMINEE'S SIGNATURE

FINANCIAL AGENT'S NAME (IF APPLICABLE)

ELECTOR ORGANIZATION CANDIDATE ENDORSEMENT AND CONSENT

NAME OF ELECTOR ORGANIZATION (AS REGISTERED WITH ELECTIONS BC):

PRINCIPLE OFFICIAL'S LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE NAME(S)

The above-named Elector Organization Agrees to Endorse:

CANDIDATE'S LAST NAME

FIRST NAME

MIDDLE NAME(S)

PRINCIPLE OFFICIAL'S SIGNATURE

DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)

I consent to the endorsement by the above-named Elector Organization

CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE

DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)

CS3 – Other Information Provided by Candidate

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Office for which individual is a nominee:

POSITION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE	JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)	TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)
NOMINEE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
USUAL NAME OF PERSON NOMINATED IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE AND PREFERRED BY THE PERSON NOMINATED TO APPEAR ON THE BALLOT		
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER) AS PROVIDED IN THE NOMINATION DOCUMENTS	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
ADDRESS FOR SERVICE (STREET ADDRESS OR EMAIL ADDRESS)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
TELEPHONE NUMBER	EMAIL ADDRESS (IF AVAILABLE)	

Additional Addresses for Service Information**OPTIONAL**

MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER) IF EMAIL WAS PROVIDED AS ADDRESS FOR SERVICE	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
FAX NUMBER	EMAIL ADDRESS IF MAILING ADDRESS WAS PROVIDED AS ADDRESS FOR SERVICE	

Please ensure that name and mailing address information is the same as that entered on FORM CS2 – NOMINATION DOCUMENTS

CS4 – Appointment of Candidate Financial Agent

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CANDIDATE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
POSITION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE	JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)	TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)
I hereby appoint as my Financial Agent for the:		
GENERAL VOTING DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	☐ General Local Election	☐ By-election
FINANCIAL AGENT'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
TELEPHONE NUMBER	EMAIL ADDRESS (IF AVAILABLE)	
EFFECTIVE DATE OF APPOINTMENT: (YYYY/MM/DD)		
CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE	DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	

I hereby consent to act as the Financial Agent for the above-named Candidate for the:		
GENERAL VOTING DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	☐ General Local Election	☐ By-election
FINANCIAL AGENT ADDRESS FOR SERVICE (STREET ADDRESS OR EMAIL ADDRESS)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
Additional Addresses for Service Information		OPTIONAL
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER) IF EMAIL WAS PROVIDED AS ADDRESS FOR SERVICE	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
FAX NUMBER	EMAIL ADDRESS IF MAILING ADDRESS WAS PROVIDED AS ADDRESS FOR SERVICE	
FINANCIAL AGENT'S SIGNATURE	DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	

CS5 – Appointment of Candidate Official Agent

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CANDIDATE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
POSITION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE	JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)	TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)
I hereby appoint as my Official Agent for the:		
GENERAL VOTING DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	☐ General Local Election	☐ By-election
OFFICIAL AGENT'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
☐ I hereby delegate to the above-named official agent the authority to appoint scrutineers.		
CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE	DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	

CS6 – Appointment of Candidate Scrutineer

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CANDIDATE'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
POSITION BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE	JURISDICTION (NAME OF SCHOOL DISTRICT)	TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA (TEA NUMBER OR AT LARGE)
I hereby appoint as my Scrutineer for the:		
GENERAL VOTING DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	☐ General Local Election	☐ By-election
SCRUTINEER'S LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	MIDDLE NAME(S)
MAILING ADDRESS (STREET ADDRESS/PO BOX NUMBER)	CITY/TOWN	POSTAL CODE
CANDIDATE'S SIGNATURE	DATE: (YYYY/MM/DD)	

You must complete a Statement of Disclosure form if you are:

- a nominee for election to provincial or local government office*, as a school trustee or as a director of a francophone education authority
- an elected local government official
- an elected school trustee, or a director of a francophone education authority
- an employee designated by a local government, a francophone education authority or the board of a school district
- a public employee designated by the Lieutenant Governor in Council

*("local government" includes municipalities, regional districts and the Islands Trust)

Who has access to the information on this form?

The *Financial Disclosure Act* requires you to disclose assets, liabilities and sources of income. Under section 6 (1) of *the Act*, statements of disclosure filed by nominees or municipal officials are available for public inspection during normal business hours. Statements filed by designated employees are not routinely available for public inspection. If you have questions about this form, please contact your solicitor or your political party's legal counsel.

What is a trustee? – s. 5 (2)

In the following questions the term "trustee" does not mean school trustee or Islands Trust trustee. Under the *Financial Disclosure Act* a trustee:

- holds a share in a corporation or an interest in land for your benefit, or is liable under the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) to pay income tax on income received on the share or land interest
- has an agreement entitling him or her to acquire an interest in land for your benefit

Person making disclosure:	last name	first & middle name(s)
Street, rural route, post office box:		
City:		Province:
		Postal Code:
Level of government that applies to you:	☐ provincial ☐ local government ☐ school board/francophone education authority	

If sections do not provide enough space, attach a separate sheet to continue.

Assets – s. 3 (a)

List the name of each corporation in which you hold one or more shares, including shares held by a trustee on your behalf:

Liabilities – s. 3 (e)

List all creditors to whom you owe a debt. Do not include residential property debt (mortgage, lease or agreement for sale), money borrowed for household or personal living expenses, or any assets you hold in trust for another person:

creditor's name(s)

creditor's address(es)

Income – s. 3 (b-d)

List each of the businesses and organizations from which you receive financial remuneration for your services and identify your capacity as owner, part-owner, employee, trustee, partner or other (e.g. director of a company or society).

- Provincial nominees and designated employees must list all sources of income in the province.
- Local government officials, school board officials, francophone education authority directors and designated employees must list only income sources within the regional district that includes the municipality, local trust area or school district for which the official is elected or nominated, or where the employee holds the designated position.

your capacity

name(s) of business(es)/organization(s)

Real Property – s. 3 (f)

List the legal description and address of all land in which you, or a trustee acting on your behalf, own an interest or have an agreement which entitles you to obtain an interest. Do not include your personal residence.

- Provincial nominees and designated employees must list all applicable land holdings in the province.
- Local government officials, school board officials, francophone education authority directors and designated employees must list only applicable land holdings within the regional district that includes the municipality, local trust area or school district for which the official is elected or nominated, or where the employee holds the designated position.

legal description(s)

address(es)

Corporate Assets – s. 5

Do you individually, or together with your spouse, child, brother, sister, mother or father, own shares in a corporation which total more than 30% of votes for electing directors? (Include shares held by a trustee on your behalf, but not shares you hold by way of security.)

☐ no ☐ yes

If yes, please list the following information below & continue on a separate sheet as necessary:

- the name of each corporation and all of its subsidiaries
- in general terms, the type of business the corporation and its subsidiaries normally conduct
- a description and address of land in which the corporation, its subsidiaries or a trustee acting for the corporation, own an interest, or have an agreement entitling any of them to acquire an interest
- a list of creditors of the corporation, including its subsidiaries. You need not include debts of less than \$5,000 payable in 90 days
- a list of any other corporations in which the corporation, including its subsidiaries or trustees acting for them, holds one or more shares.

signature of person making disclosure

date

Where to send this completed disclosure form:

Local government officials:

... to your local chief election officer

- with your nomination papers, and

... to the officer responsible for corporate administration

- between the 1st and 15th of January of each year you hold office, and
- by the 15th of the month after you leave office

School board trustees/Francophone Education Authority directors:

... to the secretary treasurer or chief executive officer of the authority

- with your nomination papers, and
- between the 1st and 15th of January of each year you hold office, and
- by the 15th of the month after you leave office

Nominees for provincial office:

- with your nomination papers. If elected you will be advised of further disclosure requirements under the *Members' Conflict of Interest Act*

Designated Employees:

... to the appropriate disclosure clerk (local government officer responsible for corporate administration, secretary treasurer, or Clerk of the Legislative Assembly)

- by the 15th of the month you become a designated employee, and
- between the 1st and 15th of January of each year you are employed, and
- by the 15th of the month after you leave your position

SCHOOL DISTRICT TRUSTEE

CANDIDATE INFORMATION RELEASE AUTHORIZATION

Your nomination documents are available to the public to view as soon as they are submitted. Consent provided with this form allows your school district's election officer to provide additional information, as appearing below, to the public and / or media. **All fields are optional.**

The information you choose to share will be posted on websites operated by CivicInfo BC. This is the primary source through which the media (television, newspapers, radio, and online sources), the public, provincial ministries, researchers, and others are able to obtain province-wide local election information.

I, _____
(please print name of person nominated)

having submitted nomination documents for election to the office of _____,
hereby give my consent to share the following information. This information may be shared by email, posting on a website, phone, or by any other means of electronic communication.

Address:	
Primary Phone:	Alternate Phone:
Email:	
Website:	Instagram:
Twitter (X) or BlueSky:	Facebook:

Gender (Self-identified):

☐ Female ☐ Male ☐ Non-binary ☐ Other / Undisclosed

Previous Elected Experience (Check one):

- ☐ Incumbent. Served as a Trustee between 2022 and 2026.
- ☐ Served as a Trustee prior to 2022, but not during the past term.
- ☐ No experience as a Trustee, but has been elected to office elsewhere (local, provincial, or federal).
- ☐ None.

(Signature of Candidate)



CANDIDATE PROFILE FORM (Optional)

Candidates may submit the following information for publication on the City's website after the nomination period has closed. Please ensure all information is accurate and complete, as changes or additions will not be permitted after submission. Completed forms must be received at ElectionOffice@abbotsford.ca by 4:00 p.m. on Friday, September 11, 2026.

1. **Name** (as preferred on the ballot): _____

2. **Elector Organization** (if applicable): _____

3. **Running for the Office of:**

☐ Mayor ☐ Councillor ☐ School Trustee

4. **Contact Information:**

- | | |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| • Phone: _____ | • Instagram: _____ |
| • E-mail: _____ | • LinkedIn: _____ |
| • Website: _____ | • TikTok: _____ |
| • X: _____ | • YouTube: _____ |
| • Facebook: _____ | • Other: _____ |

CITY OF ABBOTSFORD
CANDIDATE ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF LIST OF ELECTORS

The list of electors contains personal information as defined in the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, and this information is confidential. The *Local Government Act* provides for significant penalties for the misuse of the list of elector information. Candidates (or a person accepting the list of electors on behalf of a candidate) are responsible for protecting the confidentiality of the list of electors and for ensuring that all people in their organization, on a paid or unpaid basis, (the "Campaign Workers") who have access to the list of electors, do likewise.

The list of electors must be stored in a secure manner, so that only authorized Campaign Workers have access to the information. All persons who have access to the list of electors' information are individually responsible for protecting the confidentiality of that information.

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that:

- I have received a copy of the list of electors via a USB, along with access through a Candidate Portal;
- I am prohibited from uploading this list to any type or form of Artificial Intelligence software (i.e.: Chat GPT, Claude, CoPilot, etc.);
- The information contained in the list of electors is confidential, is subject to the restrictions of the *Local Government Act*, and is supplied exclusively and solely for election purposes;
- I have an overall responsibility to maintain the security and the confidential nature of the contents of this list;
- I have received access to the list of electors by electronic means and am still responsible for any paper or electronic copies of list of electors that I have generated because of that access;
- I understand and accept that the information may **not be used, copied, or distributed**, in whole or in part, by or for any person, in any form whatsoever, except for election purposes;
- I ensure that Campaign Workers will be made aware of the permitted uses for the list of electors and of the confidential nature of this list;
- I will notify the Chief Election Officer, as soon as possible after becoming aware, if any Campaign Worker has used the list of electors other than for the permitted uses;

- If I provide any Campaign Worker with access to, or a copy of personal information, I will track and retain the following information in a personal information register which will include:
 - The date of provision, access or distribution;
 - The number of duplicates of the list of electors;
 - A list of who the personal information was provided;
 - How the personal information was provided (e.g., access to database, provision of electronic copy of records, provision of a paper copy of record, etc.)
 - Confirmation that the individual or entity agrees to be bound by the same; and
 - Confirmation of date that the personal information was returned to me;
- In the case of loss, theft, or unauthorized access, to personal information, I will carry out the following procedures:
 1. Contain the breach and identify the source of the breach;
 2. Report the loss, theft, or unauthorized access to the Chief Election Officer;
 3. Carry out any additional instructions provided by the Chief Election Officer;
 4. Retrieve, if possible, all the personal information that was lost;
 5. Document the circumstances that led to the incident; and
 6. Review processes and procedures to prevent future incidents
- I will ensure that any Campaign Worker with access to, or a copy of personal information has returned the personal information to me no later than **October 23, 2026.**
- I will return the USB, and all copies, paper or electronic, of the list of electors to the Chief Election Officer no later than **October 30, 2026.**

Candidate Name: _____

Official Agent Name (if applicable): _____

Candidate/Agent Signature _____

Signed by Candidate/Agent on _____

Chief Election Officer / Deputy Chief Election Officer Signature: _____

Date Electronic List provided (via USB): _____ CEO/DCEO Initials _____

Date List returned*: _____ CEO/DCEO Initials _____

*USB, and all copies, paper or electronic