

Summer Village of Birch Cove

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June 26, 2025

TO ALL RESIDENTS AND PROPERTY OWNERS IN THE SUMMER VILLAGE OF BIRCH COVE

RE: 2025 GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION – NOTICE OF ELECTION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the conclusion of Nomination Day, held June 21, 2025, for the Summer Village of Birch Cove's 2025 General Municipal Election, the following nominations were accepted for the **three** (3) vacancies on Birch Cove's Municipal Council:

CANDIDATES NOMINATED	VACANCIES
(June 21, 2025)	TO BE FILLED
Dugan, Eugene Halladay, Cathy Preston, Dean Sample, Bruce Tschudin, Jan	Three (3)

One additional nomination was received but withdrawn prior to the withdrawal deadline.

AND THEREFORE, an election will be held on Saturday July 19, 2025 at the Birch Cove Community Center, MR Lot 2 Plan 2684MC, Summer Village of Birch Cove for the three (3) vacant Municipal Councillor positions.

The Official Notice of Election and Requirements for Voter Identification (Form 7) is enclosed.

There are two (2) voting opportunities for this election:

ADVANCE POLL:

Monday July 14, 2025 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Birch Cove Community Center MR Lot 2 Plan 2684MC Summer Village of Birch Cove

ELECTION DAY:

Saturday July 19, 2025 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Birch Cove Community Center MR Lot 2 Plan 2684MC Summer Village of Birch Cove

To be **ELIGIBLE TO VOTE** in this election, you must:

- Be at least 18 years old, and
- Be a Canadian Citizen, and
- Reside in Alberta and your permanent place of residence is located within the Summer Village of Birch Cove on election day, or



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- Be named on the certificate of title as the person who owns property within the Summer Village Birch Cove, or
- Be the Spouse or adult interdependent partner of a person who is on the certificate of title as the person who owns property within the Summer Village of Birch Cove.

PLEASE NOTE: it is an offence under section 148 of the Local Authorities Election Act to vote in an election where you are not eligible. Any person who votes, knowing they are ineligible, could be fined up to \$10,000 or face imprisonment of not more than six (6) months.

PLEASE NOTE: Due to changes to the Local Authorities Election Act, VOUCHING will NOT be allowed in this year's Summer Village Election.

VOTER IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS: Electors will be required to fill out Form 13 SV – Elector Register for Summer Villages and present one piece of identification authorized by the Chief Electoral Officer that establishes the person's name and current address. For more information regarding voter identification equirements please visit <u>alberta.ca/municipal-elections-overview</u> or refer to section 53 of the Local Authorities Election Act.

If you have any questions regarding nominations or the upcoming election and voting opportunities, please contact summer village administration.

Sincerely,

Angela Duncan

Returning Officer, 2025 General Municipal Election

Summer Village of Birch Cove

Cc: Wendy Wildman, Chief Administrative Officer

Diane Wannamaker, Substitute Returning Officer

Encl: Form 7 – Notice of Election and Requirements for Voter Identification

Notice of Election and Requirements for Voter Identification

Local Authorities Election Act (Sections 12, 35, 46, 53)

LOCAL JURISDICTION:	Summer Villag	e of Birch Cove	, PROVII	NCE OF ALBERTA			
Notice is hereby given that an election will be held for the filling of the following offices:							
Office(s)			Number of Vacancies	Ward or Electoral Division Number (If Applicable)			
Councillor			3	ï			
Voting will take place on the and 7 p.m. Voting s Closing Time	tations will be located Birch Cove Commun MR Lot 2 Plan 2684	at: nity Center MC Birch Cove		Start Time			
required by section 53 of th							
DATED at the	County	of Lac	Ste Anne	, in the			
Province of Alberta, this _2	24th day of Ju Returning Office	, 20 25 .					

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Province of Alberta, this _	24th day of Returning	June Officer	, 20 25		