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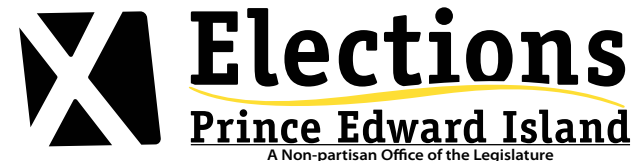
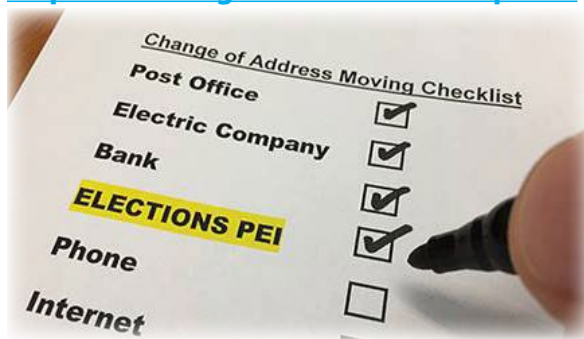
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NEW ADDRESS?

If you've changed your address this past year, make sure Elections PEI knows about your move. We will mail Voter Information Cards to registered voters to make your voting experience faster and easier. Visit <https://voterregistration.electionspei.ca>



MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS
November 5, 2018

CHARLOTTETOWN

CORNWALL

STRATFORD

SUMMERSIDE

"Every Vote Counts"



WHAT IS A MUNICIPAL ELECTION?

A municipal election is how you choose a representative for a municipal government by casting a ballot for a preferred candidate. The person who receives the most votes is declared the winner. Councilors and mayors are elected to city council for municipal elections.

THE ROLE OF ELECTIONS PEI

Elections PEI works with the municipalities of Charlottetown, Summerside, Stratford and Cornwall in administering their elections. Elections PEI hires the Returning Officers and election officials to conduct these municipal elections.

QUALIFICATIONS OF VOTERS

There are certain qualifications to meet first, before you can vote. You must:

- be a Canadian citizen on or before election day, November 5, 2018; and
- be at least 18 years of age on or before election day, November 5, 2018; and
- reside in the province since May 5, 2018, a 6 month period immediately preceding election day; and
- be an ordinarily resident in the municipality on election day

Voters are required to show proof of identification at the polls. A Voter Information Card can be used as proof of residency.

REGISTERING AS A CANDIDATE

A candidate running as a councilor in a ward must:

- file nomination papers with the Returning Officer with their name and address; and include at least 10 signatures from eligible electors in that ward.

A candidate running for mayor in a municipality must:

- file nomination papers with the Returning Officer with their name and address; and include at least 10 signatures from eligible electors in that municipality.

Candidate nomination papers may be filed between Wednesday October 10, 2018 and 2pm on Nomination Day, Oct 19, 2018. Check your specific municipality for any registration fees.

QUALIFICATIONS OF A CANDIDATE

A person may be nominated as a candidate and elected to a council of a municipality only if

- the person is qualified under the qualifications of voters for the municipal election;
- the person has been a resident in the municipality (since May 5, 2018) for a period of at least six months before election day

IMPORTANT DATES IN 2018

- Oct 9: Chief Electoral Officer issues Writ of Election and Returning Offices are opened 9 am - 6 pm
- Oct10: Nomination Papers are available
- Oct10: Mail-in Ballot applications available
- Oct19: Nomination Day. Nominations close at 2pm
- Oct23: Last day for mail-in ballot applications to be received for approval (6 p.m.)
- Oct24: Mail-in Ballots mailed out
- Oct27: 1st Advance voting day 9am-7pm
- Oct29: 2nd Advance voting day 9am-7pm
- Nov 2: 3rd Advance voting day 9am-7pm
- Nov 5: Ordinary Voting Day 9 am - 7 pm
- Nov 5: Mail-in Ballot return deadline 12 Noon
- Nov 7: Determination Day - Official counting of the votes
- Nov14: Last day to request a Judicial Recount
- Nov19: Official Declaration Day and Re-Declaration Day
Candidates are officially declared elected

WARD MAPS

Elections PEI has the Municipal Ward Maps available for Charlottetown, Cornwall, Stratford and Summerside on our website www.electionspei.ca

These maps are all in .PDF format

