



DISTRICT OF CENTRAL SAANICH
2026 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS

APPLICATION TO VOTE BY MAIL BALLOT

To be a qualified elector, you must meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (October 17, 2026);
- Canadian citizen;
- Resident of British Columbia for at least six (6) months immediately preceding the day of registration;
- Resident of the District of Central Saanich (for resident electors), OR own property in the District of Central Saanich for at least 30 days immediately before registration (for non-resident property electors).
- Not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting or otherwise disqualified by law.

PROCESS:

1. Complete and return this form **by 4:00 p.m. Thursday, October 15, 2026**, to the **Chief Election Officer** at the **Municipal Hall, District of Central Saanich, 1903 Mount Newton Cross Road, Saanichton, BC V8M 2A9** or by email to elections@csaanich.ca.
2. On receipt of your request, the District of Central Saanich will send you a mail ballot package as soon as they are available (tentatively the final week of September 2026) or advise you that it is ready to be picked up.
3. If you are requesting a package to be mailed to you please consider the destination and remember that mail service does not extend to weekends and statutory holidays. Canada Post delivery guidelines indicate:
 - a. Regular mail to, from and within Canada – 2 to 4 business days
 - b. Regular mail to US – 4 to 7 business days
4. **Mail ballot application packages are mailed only to addresses within Canada.** Electors who are outside Canada are responsible for arranging for a friend, family member, or other trusted person in Canada to receive the package and forward it to them by mail or courier at the elector's expense.
5. **The completed mail ballot package must be received by the Chief Election Officer no later than 8:00 p.m. on Saturday, October 17, 2026** to be counted in this election. **It is the responsibility of the elector to ensure this deadline is met.**
6. Once you have registered for mail ballot voting, you **cannot** vote in person on general voting day or at any of the advance polls.
7. **Please note that the cost to return the completed mail ballot is the responsibility of the elector.**
8. If we receive your application after October 9, 2026, time may not permit mailing, so arrangements should be made to pick up a package from the District of Central Saanich Municipal Hall.

For more information, please contact the District of Central Saanich at 236.653.8141, or email the Chief Election Officer at elections@csaanich.ca.

Please print and complete the attached form and return as noted above.



**MAIL BALLOT APPLICATION FORM
2026 GENERAL LOCAL ELECTIONS**

FULL NAME AND ADDRESS OF ELECTOR

Surname

Given Names

Residential Address of Elector

City/Town

Postal Code

Phone Number

Email Address

ADDRESS TO WHICH MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE SENT (if different than address above)

Address

City/Town

Postal Code

IF NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTOR

Address of real property in relation to which elector is voting

PLEASE PROVIDE ME WITH A MAIL BALLOT PACKAGE AS FOLLOWS (CHECK ONLY ONE)

- ☐ Keep package at Municipal Hall for me to pick up; OR
- ☐ Keep package at Municipal Hall for _____ to pick up; OR
- ☐ Mail package to address to which mail ballot package to be sent, noted above

Signature of Elector

Date

RETURN COMPLETED FORM to: Attn: Chief Election Officer, District of Central Saanich
1903 Mount Newton Cross Road, Saanichton, BC V8M 2A9
Email: elections@csaanich.ca

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Method of Mail Ballot Request: ☐ Mail ☐ Email ☐ In Person ☐ Other

Date of Mail Ballot Request: _____, 2026

Registered Resident Elector: Yes ☐ No ☐

Registered Non-Resident Elector: Yes ☐ No ☐

Date Mail Ballot Issued: _____, 2026

Date Mail Ballot returned to Chief Election Officer: _____, 2026

Mail Ballot returned by: ☐ Mail ☐ Courier ☐ Third Party ☐ In Person ☐ Other

☐ Mail Ballot ACCEPTED

☐ Mail Ballot REJECTED

Reasons for rejection:

Date (month/day/year)

Chief Election Officer or Designate

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