

DISTRICT OF FORT ST. JAMES
NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING



PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the electors of the District of Fort St. James that pursuant to Section 99 of the *Local Government Act*, a by-election by voting is necessary to elect one Councillor for a term of approximately one-year and eight-months commencing February 2021, and that the persons nominated as candidates and for whom votes will be received are:

Councillor – One (1) to be elected

<u>Surname</u>	<u>Usual Names</u>	<u>Address</u>
Gouglas	Brenda	819 4 th Avenue West, Fort St. James, BC
Miller	Brad	2991 Roberts Road, Fort St. James, BC

GENERAL VOTING DAY

GENERAL VOTING will be open to qualified electors of the District of Fort St. James on Saturday, January 30th, 2021 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. at the Fort St. James Community Centre, 190 Stuart Drive East, Fort St. James, BC.

Advance Voting Opportunities

Advance voting will be open at the Fort St. James Community Centre, 190 Stuart Drive East, Fort St. James, BC on Wednesday, January 20th, 2021 and Wednesday, January 27th, 2021 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 8:00 p.m. each day.

Elector Registration

There is no need to pre-register to vote as the registration of all electors for this by-election will take place at the time of voting. You will be required to make a declaration that you meet the following requirements:

- 18 years of age or older
- Canadian citizen
- resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately preceding voting day
- resident of OR registered owner of real property in the District of Fort St. James for at least 30 days immediately preceding voting day, and
- not otherwise disqualified by law from voting.

Resident electors will be required to produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature). Picture identification is not necessary. The identification must prove both residency and identity.

Non-resident property electors must produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, proof that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if applicable, written consent from the other property owners.

Mail Ballot Voting

Mail ballot voting is available for **ALL** eligible electors in this by-election. Elector registration may be performed in conjunction with a vote by mail. Please contact the Chief Election Officer for further information and to register. 250-996-8233.

David Schroeter, Chief Election Officer