



PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN AS FOLLOWS:

NOTICE OF NOMINATION

Nominations for the local government offices of qathet Regional District:

One (1) Director for Electoral Area A | One (1) Director for Electoral Area B | One (1) Director for Electoral Area C | One (1) Director for Electoral Area D | One (1) Director for Electoral Area E

AND Nominations for the local government offices of Islands Trust: Two (2) Local Trustees for Lasqueti Island Local Trust Area

AND Nominations for the School Trustee offices of School District No. 47, qathet School District: Five (5) School Trustees

AND Nominations for the School Trustee offices of School District No. 69, Qualicum School District: Two (2) School Trustees for Trustee Electoral Area G

will be received by the Chief Election Officer or a designated person, as follows:

By hand, mail or other delivery service:

#202-4675 Marine Avenue, Powell River, BC V8A 2L2

Office hours: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm (closed weekends and holidays)

From: 9:00 am September 1, 2026 To: 4:00 pm September 11, 2026

By fax to: 604-485-2216

By email to: vote@qathet.ca

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Appointments may be scheduled for in-person delivery of documents on Lasqueti Island:

To schedule, please call the
qathet Regional District: 604-485-2260

The term of office for all positions is four-years commencing in November 2026.

Interested persons can obtain information on the requirements and procedures for making nominations, including nomination forms at the qathet Regional District office located at #202-4675 Marine Avenue, Powell River, BC V8A 2L2, by appointment on Lasqueti Island scheduled by emailing vote@qathet.ca or phoning 604-485-2260, or by visiting qathet.ca/election-2026 from August 4, 2026.

THE DEADLINE FOR RECEIPT OF NOMINATIONS IS 4:00 P.M. FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 11, 2026

The qathet Regional District does not charge a nomination deposit fee.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR LOCAL GOVERNMENT OFFICE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a member of local government if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 17, 2026;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed;
- not disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election in British Columbia or being nominated for, being elected to or holding the office, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR SCHOOL TRUSTEE

A person is qualified to be nominated, elected, and to hold office as a School Trustee if they meet the following criteria:

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day October 17, 2026;
- resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day nomination papers are filed; and
- not disqualified under the *School Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election in British Columbia or being nominated for, being elected to or holding office as a trustee, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

For further information on the nomination process, please contact: Chief Election Officer, Michelle Jones | Deputy Chief Election Officer, Rebecca Coleman
#202-4675 Marine Avenue, Powell River, B.C., V8A 2L2 | Email: vote@qathet.ca Phone: 604-485-2260 | qathet.ca/election-2026

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 during the campaign period apply:

Election Area of the qathet Regional District:

Electoral Area A - \$6,161.89 | Electoral Area B - \$6,161.89 | Electoral Area C - \$6,161.89 | Electoral Area D - \$6,161.89 | Electoral Area E - \$6,161.89

Election Area of the Islands Trust - Lasqueti Island: Islands Trust Local Trust Area Trustee - \$6,161.89

Election Area of School District No. 47 - qathet School District: Board of Education Trustee - \$11,837.39

Election Area of School District No. 69 - Qualicum School District - Trustee Election Area 1: Board of Education Trustee - \$6,161.89

THIRD PARTY ADVERTISING LIMITS

In accordance with the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, for the 2026 general local elections, the following third-party advertising limits apply:

Election Area of the qathet Regional District:

Electoral Area A - \$924.28 | Electoral Area B - \$924.28 | Electoral Area C - \$924.28 | Electoral Area D - \$924.28 | Electoral Area E - \$924.28

Election Area of the Islands Trust - Lasqueti Island: Islands Trust Local Trust Area Trustee - \$924.28

Election Area of School District No. 47 - qathet School District: Board of Education Trustee - \$924.28

Election Area of School District No. 69 - Qualicum School District - Trustee Election Area 1: Board of Education Trustee - \$924.28

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: <https://elections.bc.ca/local-elections/candidate-expense-limits/>