

2026 GENERAL SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

NOTICE OF ELECTION BY VOTING

PUBLIC NOTICE is given to the electors of School District No. 27 (Cariboo-Chilcotin) that the election **General Voting Day is Saturday, October 17, 2026, from 8:00 am – 8:00 pm.**

One Advance Voting opportunity will be held on Wednesday, October 7, 2026, from 8:00 am – 8:00 pm at the locations identified below.

School District 27 Trustee Candidates (1 to be selected) for Area 1 (CRD Electoral Area H (as defined in the BC Gazette dated February 19, 1981) and parts of Electoral Area G & L (as defined in the BC Gazette dated June 17, 1982)).

Surname, Usual Name	Municipality
Brown, Ella	Canim Lake South, BC
Casellato, Dolores	Bridge Lake, BC
De Vries, Eric	Bridge Lake, BC
Elgersma, Sheri	Bridge Lake, BC

School District 27 Trustee Candidates (1 to be selected) for Area 3 (The District of 100 Mile House).

Surname, Usual Name	Municipality
Henshall, Michael	100 Mile House, BC
Macdonald, Willow	70 Mile House, BC

School District 27 Trustee Candidates (1 to be selected) for Area 4 (CRD Electoral Area F (as defined in the BC Gazette dated June 17, 1982) and part of CRD Electoral Area D.

Surname, Usual Name	Municipality
Coates, Melissa	Williams Lake, BC
Zimmerman, Laura	Williams Lake, BC

School District 27 Trustee Candidates (1 to be selected) for Area 5 (CRD Electoral Area E (as defined in the BC Gazette dated February 19, 1981) and part of CRD Electoral Area D (as defined in the BC Gazette dated June 17, 1982)).

Surname, Usual Name	Municipality
Berreth, Nikki	Williams Lake, BC
Forbes, Mary	Williams Lake, BC

Voting Locations

General Voting Day will be opened on **Saturday, October 17, 2026**, between the hours of **8:00 am and 8:00 pm** to qualified electors of School District No. 27 (Cariboo-Chilcotin) at the following places:

Trustee Electoral Area 1	
Forest Grove Elementary	4497 Eagle Creek Rd, Forest Grove
Horse Lake Elementary	6548 Ryall Rd, Lone Butte
Watch Lake Hall	6453 Little Green Lake Rd, 70 Mile House
Interlakes Community Hall	7592 BC-24, Lone Butte
100 Mile Community Hall	265 Birch Avenue, 100 Mile House
Trustee Electoral Area 3	
District of 100 Mile House Council Chambers	385 Birch Avenue, 100 Mile House (Fourth Street Entrance)
Trustee Electoral Area 4	
Big Lake Elementary	4060 Lakeview Rd, Big Lake Ranch
Likely Elementary	6163 Keithley Creek Rd, Likely
Horsefly Elementary	3055 Boswell St, Horsefly
150 Mile Elementary	3081 Cariboo Hwy, 150 Mile
Trustee Electoral Area 5	
Chilcotin Road Elementary	709 Lyne Rd, Williams Lake
Mountview Elementary	1222 Dog Creek Rd, Williams Lake
Marie Sharpe Elementary* (For City of WL Residents that are in TEA 5 only)	260 Cameron St., Williams Lake

Advanced Voting Locations

Advance voting will be opened on Wednesday, **October 7, 2026**, between the hours of **8:00 am and 8:00 pm** to qualified electors of School District 27 (Cariboo-Chilcotin) at the following places:

Trustee Electoral Area 1	
100 Mile House Community Hall	265 Birch Avenue, 100 Mile House, BC
Trustee Electoral Area 3	
District of 100 Mile House Council Chambers	385 Birch Avenue, 100 Mile House, BC (Fourth Street Entrance)
Trustee Electoral Areas 4 and 5	
School Board Office	350 2 nd Avenue N, Williams Lake, BC
Trustee Electoral Area 5 – Within the City of Williams Lake Boundary	
City of Williams Lake	450 Mart Street, Williams Lake, BC

Special Voting Opportunity – October 14, 2026 from 8:00 am to 8:00 pm

Trustee Electoral Area 5 – For Residents within the City of Williams Lake Boundary Only	
City of Williams Lake	450 Mart Street, Williams Lake, BC

Qualifications to Vote

The School District does same day registration to vote. Please ensure that you bring two pieces of acceptable identification. Together, the two pieces must show your name, your residential address and your signature.

RESIDENT ELECTORS

- Canadian citizen;
- 18 years of age or older on general voting day (October 17, 2026)
- A resident within the geographic boundaries of the Trustee Area in which you are voting, for at least 6 months immediately before;
- Not otherwise disqualified by law from voting.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS

Non-resident property electors are eligible to vote for school trustee in their electoral area if they:

- Are not entitled to register as a resident elector in another trustee electoral area.
- Are 18 years of age or older when you register to vote or will be 18 or older on general voting day.
- Are a Canadian Citizen
- Have lived in BC for at least 6 months before you register to vote.
- Have been a registered owner of property in the electoral area for at least 30 days before you register to vote.
- Are not disqualified from voting under the Local Government Act or any other law or bylaw.

Non-resident property electors must produce 2 pieces of acceptable identification (one with your signature) to prove your identity, **proof** that they are entitled to register in relation to the property, and, if there is more than one owner of the property, **written consent** from the other property owners.

For More Information

For further information, please contact Taryn Aumond, Chief Election Officer at TrusteeElections@sd27.bc.ca or at 250-398-3824.

Website: [School Trustee Elections - Cariboo-Chilcotin School District](#)