

Public Notice Regarding the Election

Municipality: Canton de Potton

Polling day: November 7, 2021

By this public notice, Martin Maltais, the returning officer announces the following to the electors of the municipality.

1. The following seat(s) are open for candidates:

Mayor seat

Candidate for the seat of councillor 1

Candidate for the seat of councillor 2

Candidate for the seat of councillor 3

Candidate for the seat of councillor 4

Candidate for the seat of councillor 5

Candidates for the seat of councillor 6

2. Any nomination papers for one of these seats must be filed at the office of the returning officer (or the assistant designated to receive nomination papers, where applicable) on the following days and times:

From September 17 to October 1, 2021.

Schedule

Mondays From 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Tuesdays From 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Wednesdays From 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Thursdays From 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m. and from 1:30 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Fridays From 9:00 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Important: On Friday, October 1, 2021, the office will be open continuously from 9 A.M. to 4:30 P.M.

3. If more than one person wishes to be a candidate for the same seat, you may exercise your voting right by going to your assigned polling station **between 9:30 P.M. and 8:00 P.M.** on the following dates:

Polling day: **Sunday, November 7, 2021**

Advance polling day: **Sunday, October 30, 2021**

Other advance polling day: **Saturday, October 31, 2021**

Other advance polling day: **Saturday, November 6, 2021**

Exceptional measures related to the health situation (vote by mail – COVID-19)

4. **You can vote by mail if you are in one of the following situations:**

- You are domiciled in an eligible health establishment¹.
- You are domiciled in the municipality but are unable to travel for health reasons or you are a caregiver domiciled at the same address as such a person.
- You will be 70 years of age or older on polling day.
- Between Sunday, October 17, 2021, and Wednesday, October 27, 2021, you must comply with an order or a recommendation for isolation from public health authorities because you:

¹ Eligible health establishment are hospital centres, CHSLDs, rehabilitation centres and private seniors' residences listed in the register established under the *Act respecting health services and social services* (chapter S-4.2) and hospital centres or reception centres within the meaning of the *Act respecting health services and social services for Cree Native persons* (chapter S-5).



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- returned from a trip abroad within the last 14 days;
- were diagnosed with COVID-19 and you are still considered a carrier of the disease;
- are showing COVID-19 symptoms;
- have been in contact with a suspected, probable or confirmed case of COVID-19 within the last 14 days;
- are waiting for a COVID-19 test result.

To vote by mail, eligible electors must make a verbal or written request to the returning officer no later than October 27, 2021.

The ballot papers for voting by mail will be sent as of October 11, 2021.

If you are registered to vote by mail and you have not received your ballot papers a few days after their sending, you can contact the returning officer to obtain new ones.

Ballot papers must be received at the office of the returning officer no later than Friday, November 5, 2021, at 4:30 p.m.

If you are requesting to vote by mail because you must comply with an order or a recommendation from public health authorities to isolate, your request will be valid for the current poll only. If you are in situation other than those above, your application will be valid for the current poll and any recommended proceedings arising from this election.

5. The following person was appointed as election clerk: **Claire Alger**
6. The following assistants have been designated to receive nomination papers (where applicable):
Diane Blanchard
7. You can contact the returning officer (or his or her assistant, where applicable) at the following address and telephone number.

Returning officer

Address: 2, rue Vale Perkins
Telephone 450-292-3313, ext. 223

Assistant

Address: 2, rue Vale Perkins
Telephone 450-292-3313, ext. 221

Signature

Given to Mansonville on September 8, 2021

Returning Officer