

**VOTE** **Golden Election****Key Dates:**  
2022 Golden Municipal Election

2022	Event/Deadline
Tuesday, March 8	Last day to meet 6 month BC residency requirement for candidates.
Thursday, April 14	Last day to meet 6-month BC residency requirement for voters registering on general voting day (October 15)
Monday, July 18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Start of pre-campaign period. Advertising rules come into effect.</li> </ul>
Tuesday, August 30	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nomination period commences at 9 a.m. and nominations are effective upon delivery to the Chief Election Officer.</li> <li>• Nominations are available for public inspection from the time of delivery, and may be challenged until September 13 at 4 p.m..</li> </ul>
Friday, September 9	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Nomination Period closes at 4 p.m.</li> <li>• Declaration of candidates after 4 p.m.</li> </ul>
Tuesday, September 13	Deadline for challenging nominations and elector endorsements at 4 p.m.
Friday, September 16	<p>At 4 p.m. deadline for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Withdrawing as a candidate (unless Ministerial approval of later date).</li> <li>• Withdrawing endorsement for a candidate.</li> <li>• Court to hear and determine challenge of nomination or elector organization endorsement.</li> <li>• Chief Election Officer must have received original copies of emailed nomination documents.</li> </ul> <p>End of pre-campaign period.</p>
Saturday, September 17	Campaign period begins. Candidate and third party expense limits apply.
Monday, September 19	Declaration of election by voting or acclamation at 4 p.m.
<b>Wednesday, October 5</b>	<b>ADVANCE VOTING DAY at the Golden Civic Centre from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.</b>
<b>Saturday, October 15</b>	<b>GENERAL VOTING DAY at the Golden Civic Centre from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.</b> Campaign period ends.
Wednesday, October 19	Deadline for declaration of official results. First day to apply for judicial recount.
Thursday, October 20	Last day to remove election signs.
Monday, October 24	Last day to apply for judicial recount.
Friday, October 28	Deadline for completing judicial recount.
Tuesday, November 1	Inaugural Council Meeting and Oaths of Offices in Council Chambers.
TBC	Council orientation.
2023	Event/Deadline
Friday, January 13	Deadline for filing campaign financing disclosure statement to Elections BC.
Monday, February 13	Last day to file late campaign financing disclosure statement to Elections BC (\$500 late filing penalty).