



Your Golden. Your Vote.
2026 General Local Election

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given as follows:
Notice of Election by Voting

An election by voting is to be held to elect 1 Mayor and 6 Councillors and that the following persons are candidates for each office:

Mayor – One (1) to be elected			Councillor – Six (6) to be elected		
Surname:	Usual Names:	Residential Address:	Surname:	Usual Names:	Residential Address:
COOPER	Kristi	Golden, BC	ANGUS	Stuart Jeffrey	Golden, BC
ROUTLEY	Wes	Golden, BC	BAUN	Justin Reynold	Golden, BC
			BEAUCHESNE	Calvin	Golden, BC
			BJARNASON	James	Golden, BC
			CRANDALL	Janet Lynn	Golden, BC
			MANUEL	John	Golden, BC
			OSZUST	Ron	Golden, BC
			PULLEN	Rick	Golden, BC
			RATZLAFF	David Michal	Golden, BC
			SHANAHAN	Dustin James	Golden, BC

Voting Dates and Locations

GENERAL VOTING DAY will be:	Saturday, October 17, 2026 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.	Mount 7 Rec Plex (1310 9 th St. S)
ADVANCE VOTING DAY will be:	Wednesday, October 7, 2026 between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m.	Mount 7 Rec Plex (1310 9 th St. S)
SPECIAL VOTING will be available for electors who are patients, tenants or staff of the following facilities at the time of voting:	Wednesday, October 7, 2026 between 2 p.m. and 4 p.m.	Abbeyfield House (915 9 th St. S): 2-2:30 p.m. Durand Manor (835 9 th Ave. S): 2:30-3 p.m. Mountain View Assisted Living (750 8 th Ave. S.): 3-3:30 p.m. General Hospital (835 9 th Ave S): 3:30 – 4 p.m.

Elector Registration and Qualifications

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

- be 18 years of age or older on general voting day [October 17, 2026];
- be a Canadian citizen;
- be a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before the day of registration (at time of voting); and
- not be disqualified under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment from voting in an election or assent voting and not otherwise disqualified by law.

Resident Electors:

You must be a resident of the Town of Golden on the day of registration (at the time of voting) and you will be required to produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) to prove identity. Picture identification is not necessary but is preferred. Identification **must** prove both **who you are and where you live.**

Non-Resident Property Electors:

In addition to the above requirements, you must:

- be a registered owner of real property in the Town of Golden for at least 30 days immediately before the day of registration (at the time of voting);
- not be entitled to register as a resident elector;
- be the only persons who are registered owners of the property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust;
- if more than one person is a registered owner of the property, only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector.

You will be required to produce 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) to prove identity, **proof** that you 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. Forms are available online.

Those electors who may require assistance as a result of physical challenges are invited to contact the Chief Election Officer as soon as possible to facilitate their voting experience.

For more information, visit www.golden.ca/2026election or contact:

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