

CITY OF NANAIMO

BYLAW NO. 7129.03

A BYLAW TO AMEND THE GENERAL ELECTION BYLAW

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The Council of the City of Nanaimo enacts as follows:

Title

1. This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the City of Nanaimo “General Election Amendment Bylaw 2018 No. 7129.03.

Amendments

2. “General Election Bylaw 2011 No. 7129” is hereby amended as follows:

- 2.1 Add section:

- 4.1 Nomination Matters - Mayor Nomination Deposit

- (a) A person who submits nomination documents for mayor, must at the same time make a nomination deposit of \$100.00.
- (b) Nomination deposits will be returned or forfeited in accordance with section 88 of the Local Government Act, R.S.B.C. 2015, c.1, as amended from time to time.

- 2.2 Add section:

- 4.2 Nomination Matters - Councillor Nomination Deposit

- (1) A person who submits nomination documents for councillor, must at the same time make a nomination deposit of \$100.00.
- (2) Nomination deposits will be returned or forfeited in accordance with section 88 of the Local Government Act, R.S.B.C. 2015, c.1, as amended from time to time.

- 2.3 Add section:

- 4.3 Number of Nominators

- (1) The minimum number of qualified nominators for Mayor or Councillor is 10.

- 2.4 By deleting the definition of “GENERAL VOTING DAY” in its entirety and replacing it with:

"GENERAL  
VOTING DAY"

means:

- a) for a general local election, the 3rd Saturday of October in the year of the election,
- b) for other elections, the date set under Sections 54(5), 55(1) or (3), or 152(5) of the *Local Government Act*, and
- c) for other voting, the date set under Section 174 of the *Local Government Act*.

- 2.5 By deleting all prior references of the *Local Government Act* sections and replacing with the new sections of the *Local Government Act*, as outlined in the following table:

Prior Section of <i>Local Government Act</i>	New Section of <i>Local Government Act</i>
Section 37(5)	Section 54(5)
Section 38(1)	Section 55(1)
Section 38(3)	Section 55(3)
Section 41	Section 58
Section 56	Section 71
Section 73(6)(a)	Section 89(7)(a)
Section 73	Section 89
Section 96	Section 106
Section 97	Section 107
Section 98	Section 108
Section 99	Section 109
Section 100	Section 110
Section 116	126
Section 121	Section 131
Section 122	Section 132
Section 131	Section 141
Section 136	Section 146
Section 141	Section 151
Section 142(5)	Section 152(5)
Section 162	Section 174

PASSED FIRST READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
PASSED SECOND READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
PASSED THIRD READING: \_\_\_\_\_  
ADOPTED: \_\_\_\_\_

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MAYOR

\_\_\_\_\_  
CORPORATE OFFICER