



2014 Municipal Elections – Are you on the Voters’ List?

October 27, 2014 is the Municipal Election Day in the Township of Russell and this voter information is provided so that your vote can be counted.

Voting Method and Period?

Voting will be done by telephone and internet for the 2014 municipal elections, and you will be able to exercise your right as a voter between the hours of 9:00 am beginning on Wednesday, October 22, 2014 and ending on Monday, October 27, 2014 at 8:00 p.m.

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The list of all eligible voters will be available for inspection at the Municipal Office from Tuesday, September 2 to Monday October 27, 2014, during normal business hours. You may also contact the Clerk’s Department at (613) 443-3066 to find out if your name is on the voters’ list. Electors are encouraged to make sure that their name, **date of birth** and correct personal information is on the voters’ list as soon as possible.

To make changes on the Voters’ List

Starting on Tuesday, September 2, 2014, you will have an opportunity to add or change your personal information on the voters’ list. To do so, you must complete an Application to add or amend the voters’ list available from the Clerk’s Office. This form must be submitted in person, at the Municipal Office, by the individual applying to make the changes to the voters list. The Application to Amend Voters’ List (Form EL 15) is also available on the Township’s website at www.russell.ca . We encourage you to get these changes made as soon as possible to ensure your name, **date of birth** and correct personal information is amended on the voters’ list in order to avoid delays during the voting period.

Voters wishing to have their names added to the list shall present satisfactory identification documents giving at least their name and the address giving them the right to vote in the municipality by providing:

- a) One original piece of identification showing ***name, municipal address*** and ***signature***, i.e. driver’s licence
OR
- b) Two original pieces of identification. **First piece** of ID must show your ***name and signature*** and **second piece** of ID must show your ***name and municipal address***, i.e. debit card and telephone bill.

A complete list of acceptable documents for Voter Identification is posted on the Township’s website at www.russell.ca . The applicant must make a declaration and sign the form in the presence of the Clerk or designate. By signing the form, the applicant is declaring that:

- They are a Canadian Citizen;
- They have attained the age of eighteen (18) on or before the Voting Day, and
- On Voting Day, that they will be entitled to be an elector.

Please consult the Township’s website at www.russell.ca for further information on the 2014 municipal elections.