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City of Rossland to Hold New By-Election on November 28, 2020

Rossland BC – The City of Rossland will be holding a by-election for the office of one Councillor on Saturday, November 28, 2020. The by-election is being held to fill the position formerly held by Mr. Scott Forsyth, who resigned from Council in early January 2020. Council Forsyth was first elected to Rossland City Council in 2018. A previous by-election was scheduled for April 4, 2020; however, it was ultimately cancelled outright due to the onset of COVID-19 in the province and subsequent Ministerial Order No. MO74.

As the vacancy is occurring prior to January 1 of the year of the next general local election (2022), holding an election for this position is required under the *Local Government Act*. The term for the position will end in October 2022, when the next general local election will be held.

Current Upcoming Key Dates

Nomination Packages Available: Starting Monday **September 21**, 2020 until the end of

Nomination Period (obtained at City Hall – Leroi Ave or

online at www.rossland.ca)

Nomination Period: *9:00AM **October 13** – *4:00PM **October 23**, 2020

*local time

Advanced Voting Opportunities: Wednesday **November 18**, 2020 (8am-8pm)

Wednesday November 25, 2020 (8am-8pm)

General Voting Day: Saturday **November 28**, 2020 (8am-8pm)

Stay tuned for additional information and updates as they become available. For further inquiries and/or information, please feel free to contact:

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