

WARD: “Ward Number”

SCHOOL SUPPORT:
“School Support”

BARCODE – Full Voter ID

VOTER INFORMATION PACKAGE

ONE PERSON, ONE VOTE – IT’S THE LAW

It is **illegal** to vote more than once or to vote without being qualified to do so

Do not share this Voter Information Package with anyone

In these Municipal Elections Richmond Hill voters will elect a Mayor, Regional and Local Councillors, Ward Councillors and School Board Trustees.

Option 1: Vote Online

Vote from anywhere, on any device, at any time.

Opens: Tuesday, October 18, 2022, at 10:00 a.m.

Closes: Monday, October 24, 2022, at 8:00 p.m.

Vote online at
www.intvoting.com/richmondhill

You will need to enter your **birthdate** (month/day/year), your **Voter ID** and **Voting PIN**:

Voter ID

Voting PIN

Important!

Your online Voting PIN is unique to you; **do not share it with others, including any candidates.**

An online Voting PIN is assigned to, and may only be used by, the voter identified in this Voter Information Package.

By voting online using the Internet Voting System and entering your Voting PIN, you are making a legal declaration that you are eligible to vote in these Municipal elections.

Option 2: Vote In Person

Vote at any one Vote Centre location.

Identification:

Bring this letter with you along with **current identification showing your name and address.** Visit RichmondHill.ca/VoterInfo for a list of acceptable ID.

Vote Centres are open:

Saturday, October 22, 2022, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 23, 2022, 10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.
Monday, October 24, 2022, 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.*

*Voters arriving after 8:00 p.m. will not be permitted to enter to vote.

Vote Centre locations:

Bayview Hill Community Centre – 114 Spadina Rd.
Charles Howitt Public School – 30 Pearson Ave.
Ed Sackfield Arena – 311 Valleymede Dr.
Elgin Barrow Arena – 43 Church St. South
Elgin West Community Centre – 11099 Bathurst St.
Langstaff Community Centre – 155 Red Maple Rd.
M.L. McConaghy Seniors Centre – 10100 Yonge St.
Oak Ridges Community Centre – 12895 Bayview Ave.
Oak Ridges Public School – 160 Coons Rd.
Richmond Green Community Centre – 1300 Elgin Mills Rd. East
Richmond Hill High School – 201 Yorkland St.
Richvale Community Centre – 160 Avenue Rd.



Every effort has been made to ensure that each voting location is accessible.

Need Help?

For information about the Municipal elections, visit RichmondHill.ca/RHVotes.

For voter assistance, email elections@richmondhill.ca or call **905-771-5555**.

Staff are available during regular business hours, and October 22 and 23 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. or October 24 from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

Important Information about Voting

To be eligible to vote you must be:

- A Canadian citizen;
- At least 18 years of age on or before Voting Day (October 24, 2022);
- A resident, owner or tenant of land in the City of Richmond Hill, or the spouse of such tenant or owner;
- Not otherwise prohibited by law from voting.

If you are an owner or tenant of multiple properties:

- You are required to vote in the Ward in which you reside
- You are **not** eligible to vote for a School Trustee if you do not live in Richmond Hill

Error in your voting information? Birthdate or School Support incorrect?

You are responsible for making sure your information on this Voter Information Package is correct. This is especially important with internet voting.

You can update your information on the Voters' List by:

- Visiting RichmondHill.ca/RHVotes (select "Am I on the Voters' List?" and follow the steps)
- Calling 905-771-5555
- Going to a Vote Centre (see times and locations on the reverse of this page)

Note: After 12 p.m. (noon) on October 24, changes can only be processed in person at a Vote Centre

You are responsible for protecting your voting information

- **Do not share your Voting PIN with anyone.** No one should ever ask for your Voting PIN, including Election Officials, City staff, candidates or their representatives. You should only ever provide your Voter ID and Voting PIN to an Election Official in person at a Vote Centre if you require assistance with voting.
- **Only open your own Voter Information Package.** It is illegal to open or tamper with mail addressed to another person. If convicted of this criminal offense, you can face a fine of up to \$25,000 and up to six months in prison.
- If you have opened this Voter Information Package in error, and it is for a person who no longer resides at your address, please tape it closed, mark the envelope "Return to Sender" and drop it in the mail.

Using the Internet Voting System

- **Do not wait until the last minute to vote**
- You are responsible for ensuring your hardware and internet provider are working
- The online voting system will time out after 20 minutes of inactivity. If your voting session times out or your internet access is interrupted before you cast your ballot, you will have to log back into the system and start your voting again
- If you sign into the Internet Voting System at 7:59 p.m. (EST) on Voting Day (October 24, 2022), you will still have 20 minutes to cast your ballot. If you do not complete voting in the 20 minutes provided, or your system otherwise times you out or you lose internet connection, you will not be able to vote
- Once you press "Cast Your Ballot," you have voted and your Voting PIN will be deactivated
- Candidates and their representatives cannot assist voters with using the Internet Voting System

Voting at a Vote Centre

- Bring this letter with you to the Vote Centre, along with current identification showing your name and address. For a list of acceptable identification, visit RichmondHill.ca/VoterInfo or call the Elections Helpline 905-771-5555
- You can vote by paper ballot or internet voting at the Vote Centre
- The 12 Vote Centre locations are listed on the reverse of this page and online at RichmondHill.ca/VoterInfo

COVID-19 protocols

If you vote in person, please help keep our staff and community safe by following all COVID-19 health and safety measures that may be in place at the Vote Centres.

Information in your language

A translated sample of this letter will be available on the City's website: RichmondHill.ca/VoterInfo.

您可以在市选举网站下载本信的翻译版: RichmondHill.ca/VoterInfo.

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