

Municipal Elections Act, 1996 (Section 40)

NOTICE OF ELECTION INFORMATION - 2026 MUNICIPAL ELECTION

NOTICE is hereby given to the Municipal Electors of Prince Edward County

Offices for Which an Election is Held

- Mayor: One (1) to be elected at large
- County Councillors: Electors will vote for candidate(s) in their respective municipal ward

School Board Trustees:

- Hastings and Prince Edward District School Board One (1) Trustee to be elected to represent the combined area of wards 1, 2, 5, 8 and 9 / One (1) Trustee to be elected to represent the combined area of wards 3, 4, 6, & 7 (acclaimed)
- Algonquin and Lakeshore Catholic District School Board One (1) Trustee
- Conseil scolaire Viamonde One (1) Trustee
- Conseil scolaire catholique MonAvenir One (1) Trustee

Ward 1 (Picton) – 2 offices
Ward 2 (Bloomfield/Hallowell) – 2 offices
Ward 3 (Wellington) – 1 office (acclaimed)
Ward 4 (Ameliasburgh) – 3 offices
Ward 5 (Athol) – 1 office
Ward 6 (Sophiasburgh) – 1 office
Ward 7 (Hillier) –1 office (acclaimed)
Ward 8 (North Marysburgh) – 1 office
Ward 9 (South Marysburgh) –1 office (acclaimed)

Question on the Ballot

In accordance with By-law 24-2026, voters will also be asked to decide on the following municipal question:

- "Are you in favour of a third-party review of Council size and related ward boundaries?"
- Answer Options: YES or NO

Voting Option 1: Internet voting

- Vote from anywhere, from any device, at any time.
- Opens: Saturday, October 17, 2026, 10 a.m.
- Closes: Monday, October 26, 2026, 8 p.m.
- Internet voting runs continuously, 24/7, throughout the voting period. To vote online, enter the website address printed on your Voter Notification Letter (VNL) into your browser address bar. You will be prompted to enter your unique Voter PIN and your Date of Birth to authenticate your identity.
- By logging into the electronic voting system and entering your VOTER PIN and DATE OF BIRTH, you are declaring that you are eligible to vote in the election.

Voting Option 2: In person voting (Paper Ballot)

- In-person voting is ward-specific. Electors voting in person must attend their assigned ward voting location. Electors who attend an unassigned location will be redirected to their correct ward site.
- If voting in person, bring your Voter Notification Letter (VNL) along with proof of identity and qualifying address to the voting location to receive your ballot. If you forget your VNL, you may still vote with proof of identity and qualifying address.

Advanced Voting Day: Saturday, October 17, 10 a.m. – 4p.m.
Election Day: Monday, October 26, 10 a.m. – 8 p.m.

Accessible Voting

All voting locations are accessible as possible. Voting locations in Picton, Wellington, and Ameliasburgh are equipped with express ballot-marking devices. Curbside voting and voter assistance (bringing a support person) are available at all sites. Internet voting is also available as an accessible remote option.



County Transit Partnership

Free transit service is available to transport electors to and from voting locations. To book a ride, call 613-392-9640. View transit routes and voting day schedules at thecounty.ca/government/election-2026.

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