



huu ay aht

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Notice of Candidates Nominated for the By-Election for Councillor

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Article 35 (1) of the Huu-ay-aht Election Act that the Election Commissioner has received nominations for Councillor for the by-election for the Huu-ay-aht First Nations Council.

The following have been nominated:

1. Benny Clappis
2. Evan Cook
3. Jack Cook
4. Duane Nookemis

Due to the Covid 19 Pandemic the following measures have been taken to protect the health and safety of Huu-ay-aht citizens while ensuring the fair, efficient, accessible and transparent conduct of the by-election:

1. There will be no in-person voting and no polling stations will be established.
2. Electronic voting, including telephone and Internet voting will be made available to all citizens. Electronic voting will be available from 9:00 am September 16, 2020 to 8:00 p.m. on Saturday September 26, 2020.
3. Mail-in balloting will be made available to all citizens resident in Canada. No mail in balloting will be made available to citizens resident in the US or other non-Canadian residents. All mail-in ballots must be received prior to 8:00 p.m. on Saturday September 26, 2020.
4. Counting and the announcement of the results will take place immediately after the close of electronic voting at 8:00 p.m. on Saturday September 26, 2020.

All candidates' meetings will be organized and information will be posted.

The Election Commissioner is responsible for the fair, efficient, accessible and transparent conduct of the elections under the Election Act. The duties and powers of the Election Commissioner are detailed in Division 1 of the Election Act.

Kit Spence has been appointed as Election Commissioner and may be contacted by telephone at 1-250-881-0142 or by email at [HFN Election Commissioner@shaw.ca](mailto:HFN_Election_Commissioner@shaw.ca)

Given under my hand this 21st day of August 2020.

Kit Spence
Election Commissioner
Huu-ay-aht First Nation