

City of Port Moody Report/Recommendation to Council

Date: November 18, 2022

Submitted by: Legislative Services Division

Subject: 2022 General Local Election Results

Purpose

To provide Council with the 2022 General Local Election results.

Recommended Resolution(s)

THAT the report dated November 18, 2022 from the Legislative Services Division regarding 2022 General Local Election Results be received for information.

Background

On November 17, 2022, the Chief Election Officer for the 2022 Port Moody General Local Election submitted the election results report to the City Manager and the Corporate Officer in compliance with section 158(1) of the *Local Government Act*, which stipulates that the Chief Election Officer must submit a report of the election results to the local government within 30 days after the declaration of official election results. This report is provided for Council's information.

Discussion

The 2022 Local General Election was held on Saturday, October 15, 2022. Of the 24,775 electors on the Voters' List, 8,989 electors voted for a voter turnout rate of 36.28%.

Two advance voting opportunities were held in the Wellness Room at the Port Moody Recreation Complex; one on Wednesday, October 5, 2022 and the other on Saturday, October 8, 2022. Mail ballots were issued beginning on September 27, 2022. Legislative Services office hours were extended for two weeks from 8:00am to 8:00pm starting on October 3, 2022 to allow electors to pick up, complete, and drop off their mail ballots at their convenience.

As in 2018, City facilities were used as polling stations in the 2022 General Local Election. For General Voting Day, polling stations were located at 1) Glenayre Community Centre; 2) Heritage Mountain Community Centre; 3) Kyle Centre; and 4) the Recreation Complex. The use of City facilities allowed for set-up at each polling station the day before. It is expected that these locations and other City facilities will continue be the locations of choice for future local government elections.

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The determination for the sixth position of Council was made by Judge Lee of the Provincial Court of BC who presided over a partial judicial recount. The final and complete election results following the judicial recount are as follows:

	Advance	Mail	Glenayre	Heritage	Kyle	Rec	Total	Elected
	Oct. 5 & 8	Oct. 15	Oct. 15	Oct. 15	Oct. 15	Oct. 15		
Mayor								
Lahti, Meghan	1245	197	582	427	618	1869	4938	Elected
Milani, Steve	902	150	502	334	570	1494	3952	
Councillor								
Agtarap, Samantha	996	168	386	322	504	1426	3802	Elected
Biedka, Richard	763	128	378	245	310	1163	2987	
Chelen, Dustin	819	139	379	300	460	1225	3322	
Contreras, Johann	725	110	335	258	349	1031	2808	
Davis, Eric	133	14	106	49	126	292	720	
Dilworth, Diana	1155	184	436	345	496	1485	4101	Elected
Junker, Barbara	879	140	515	248	441	1204	3427	
Knowles, Kyla	1002	152	479	287	489	1378	3787	Elected
Lubik, Amy	866	149	436	269	533	1344	3597	Elected*
Lurbiecki, Haven	889	152	473	313	480	1374	3681	Elected
Madsen, Hunter	847	152	435	323	467	1319	3543	
Morrison, Callan	1204	187	598	435	559	1757	4740	Elected
Slykhuis, Dawn	179	34	109	59	170	388	939	
Stuart, David	871	145	470	301	447	1363	3597	
* Declared by the court pursuant to section 151(2) of the Local Government Act.								
School Trustee								
Desaulniers, Ed	268	51	201	123	212	475	1330	
Johnston, Nancy	808	110	394	274	437	1154	3177	
Park, Lisa	1416	213	683	513	685	2102	5612	Elected

School Trustee								
Desaulniers, Ed	268	51	201	123	212	475	1330	
Johnston, Nancy	808	110	394	274	437	1154	3177	
Park, Lisa	1416	213	683	513	685	2102	5612	Elected
Royer, Zoë	1100	177	544	372	553	1654	4400	Elected
Ballots Cast	2163	348	1103	768	1202	3405	8989	

Eligible Voters:	24775		
Voter Turnout:	36.28%		

Other Option(s)

This report is presented for information only. No other options are being presented.

Financial Implications

There are no financial implications resulting from the receipt of this report. Any financial implications of the recommendations for future elections will be considered as part of the regular financial planning process.

Communications and Civic Engagement Initiatives

Official Election Results have already been communicated by the Communications and Engagement Division. A notice of the election results will be published in the BC Gazette as required by section 159(1) of the *Local Government Act*.

Council Strategic Plan Objectives

Providing Council with the 2022 General Local Elections results align with the Council Strategic Plan objective of providing the public with transparent and open government.

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Report Approval Details

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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

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