

NEWS RELEASE

September 23, 2025

Nominations for Clearwater County Candidates Officially Closed

Nominations for Clearwater County candidates closed on Monday, September 22, 2025, at 12:00 p.m. Under the *Local Authorities Election Act (Section 32)*, a candidate may withdraw within 24 hours after nominations close. As no withdrawals were received, the official list of candidates was finalized at 12:01 p.m. on Tuesday, September 23, 2025.

Clearwater County has seven electoral wards (previously known as divisions), with one Councillor elected per ward. Councillors serve a four-year term and may be re-elected without limit. Following the general election, the seven Councillors will select a Reeve and Deputy Reeve at the annual Organizational Meeting, scheduled for October 30, 2025.

The following is the official list of candidates for Clearwater County's 2025 General Election:

Ward 1

Breanne Powell Gennifer Mehlhaff

Ward 2

Cammie Laird Hazen Letwin

Ward 3

Daryl Lougheed Drew McKay Leona Bertagnolli

Ward 4

Deborah Skeels John Vandermeer Jordon Northcott Ward 5

James Cuthill Jamie Gallagher Neil Ratcliffe Tyler McCauley

Ward 6

Ashley Perepelkin Brenda Barker Bryan Cermak Russell Barnett William Davies

Ward 7

Lorne Humphrey Michelle Swanson

Advance voting will be held Monday, October 6, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Rocky Regional Recreation Centre and Caroline Community HUB. General Election Day is Monday, October 20, 2025, with 16 voting locations available based on voters' Wards. Eligible voters unable to vote in person may apply to the Returning Officer for a special ballot (vote by mail).

To learn more, visit clearwatercounty.ca/election or email returningofficer@clearwatercounty.ca

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