

NOTICE OF 2022 TRIENNIAL LOCAL AUTHORITY ELECTIONS

The following elections will be held by postal vote on Saturday, 8 October 2022.

Wellington Regional Council

(Single Transferable Voting electoral system)

Election of five members for the Pōneke/Wellington Constituency Election of three members for the Te Awa Kairangi ki Tai/Lower Hutt Constituency Election of two members for the Porirua-Tawa Constituency Election of one member for the Kāpiti Coast Constituency Election of one member for the Te Awa Kairangi ki Uta/Upper Hutt Constituency Election of one member for the Wairarapa Constituency

Candidate names will be listed in fully random order on the voting papers.

Nominations

Nominations for the listed positions open on **Friday 15 July 2022** and must be made on the nomination form. The nomination form and candidate information handbook are available on the Greater Wellington Regional Council website (elections.gw.govt.nz), at Greater Wellington Regional Council's Cuba Street and Masterton offices, or by request to the electoral officer via the contact options listed below. Completed nomination documents must be received by the electoral officer no later than **12noon on Friday 12 August 2022.** Each nomination must be accompanied by a deposit of \$200 (GST inclusive), payable by EFTPOS, or online banking (see candidate handbook for requirements).

Candidates are encouraged to submit a candidate profile statement and colour photograph with their nomination, for sending out with voting documents to electors. The requirements for profile statements and photos are set out in the candidate handbook which is available with the nomination form. All nomination documents must be lodged together and emailed to elections@gw.govt.nz or delivered to: The Electoral Officer, Greater Wellington Regional Council, 100 Cuba Street, Te Aro, Wellington.

Electoral Rolls

Preliminary electoral rolls for these elections can be inspected at the main office of each territorial local authority and Greater Wellington Regional Council's Cuba Street office during office hours from Friday 15 July 2022 to Friday 12 August 2022.

Electors may enrol or amend their enrolment details on the residential electoral roll by contacting the Electoral Commission:

- Online at www.vote.nz
- By texting your name and address to 3676 to get a form sent to you
- By calling 0800 36 76 56 to ask for a form to be sent to you
- By email request to enquiries@elections.govt.nz.

Updates to the preliminary electoral roll close at 5pm on Friday 12 August 2022.

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