



## How to Vote by Mail After December 4 in Victoria's By-Election

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For Immediate Release

VICTORIA, BC — Due to COVID-19, anyone can apply to vote by mail in the City of Victoria's 2020 By-Election to elect one Councillor. Victoria voters can request a mail ballot up to and including General Voting Day on Saturday, December 12, 2020.

Completed mail ballots should be placed in the mail **by Friday, December 4 at the latest**. Postage is included for return mail ballot envelopes mailed within Canada.

After this date, people have three options to return their completed ballots:

- at the Drop Box outside the Pandora Avenue entrance of City Hall
- at any advance voting opportunity at Crystal Garden
- before 8 p.m. at one of the six voting places on General Voting Day

All mail ballots requested after December 4 are to be picked up at Victoria City Hall.

Mail ballots must be received by the City of Victoria before 8 p.m. (Pacific Time) on Saturday, December 12, 2020 to be counted.

To request a mail ballot package, visit [victoria.ca/election](https://victoria.ca/election) to fill out an online form or call 250.361.0571.

Those who have requested a mail ballot package **will not** be able to vote in person at advance voting opportunities or on General Voting Day.

If you incorrectly mark your ballot or your mail ballot is damaged, contact City of Victoria Legislative Services at 250.361.0571 for a replacement ballot. You must return the spoiled mail ballot in order to receive a replacement ballot.

If you have requested a mail ballot but have not received one by General Voting Day, please contact City of Victoria Legislative Services at 250.361.0571.

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