



The Board of Education of School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap)

BRIEFING NOTE

TO: Board of Education **DATE:** November 20, 2018

FROM: Veronica Deacon, Deputy Chief Election Officer

RE: **2018 General School Election Results**

Purpose

This briefing note is to provide the Board with a report of the 2018 General School Election results for School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap) as required under section 158 (1) of the *Local Government Act*.

Background

The Board conducted the 2018 Trustee Elections for Trustee Electoral Areas 1, 2, and 3 directly and in conjunction with the following local governments: Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD), City of Armstrong, Township of Spallumcheen, City of Enderby, District of Sicamous and the Regional District of North Okanagan (RDNO). Chief Election Officer, Carrie Pratt and Deputy Chief Election Officer, Veronica Deacon were appointed as Election Officers by the Official Trustee in May for Trustee Electoral Areas 1, 2, and 3.

The City of Salmon Arm conducted the 2018 Trustee Elections for Trustee Electoral Area 4 as per section 37 (1) of the *School Act*. Erin Jackson, was the Chief Election Officer for this Trustee Electoral Area as she was the municipally appointed Chief Election Officer for the City of Salmon Arm.

At the close of the nomination period at 4:00pm on Friday, September 14, 2018 the following candidates were declared for the Office of School Trustee:

Trustee Electoral Area 1 (City of Armstrong/Township of Spallumcheen/CSRD Area D – Falkland, Silver Creek, Ranchero)

- FARRIS, Carolyn
- LACHMUTH, Tennile

Trustee Electoral Area 2 (City of Enderby/CSRD Area E – Malakwa/District of Sicamous/RDNO Area F – Mara, Grindrod, Mabel Lake)

- BRUNS, Quentin
- BUSCH, Fred

Trustee Electoral Area 3 (CSRD Areas C & F – Carlin, Sorrento, North Shuswap)

- GIBBONS, Marty

Trustee Electoral Area 4 (City of Salmon Arm)

- BEDARD, Marcel
- KREBS, Amanda
- PODLUBNY, Don
- RICHARDS, Lawren
- ROSS, Jordan
- SHIELDS, Dan
- SINCLAIR, Terry-Mae
- TOWNSEND, Dale
- VACHON, Jenny
- VANBUSKIRK, Marianne

Under section 98 of the *Local Government Act*, an election by voting was declared on September 24, 2015 for Trustee Electoral Areas 1, 2 and 4.

Marty Gibbons was declared elected by acclamation on September 24, 2018 for the Office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 3 by the Chief Election Officer.

Election

The 2018 General School Election was held on Saturday, October 20 with the required advance voting opportunity on Wednesday, October 10 and an additional advance voting opportunity on Wednesday, October 17. An account of the votes cast in Trustee Electoral Area 1 and 2 is reported below based on the ballot accounts received and reviewed by the Deputy Chief Election Officer.

TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA 1 ACCOUNT

| | FARRIS, Carolyn | LACHMUTH, Tennile |
|---|--------------------|----------------------|
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 10, 2018 CSRD Offices | 0 | 1 |
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 17, 2018 District Education Support Centre | 2 | 1 |
| City of Armstrong | 404 | 415 |
| Township of Spallumcheen | 349 | 578 |
| Falkland Elementary | 7 | 5 |
| Silver Creek Elementary | 10 | 25 |
| Ranchero Elementary | 12 | 14 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF VALID VOTES CAST | 784 | 1039 |

Tennile Lachmuth was declared elected on October 23, 2018 for the Office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 1 by the Deputy Chief Election Officer.

TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA 2 ACCOUNT

| | BRUNS, Quentin | BUSCH, Fred |
|---|-------------------|----------------|
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 10, 2018 City of Enderby – City Hall | 57 | 11 |
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 10, 2018 CSRD Offices | 0 | 1 |
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 10, 2018 District of Sicamous | 96 | 152 |
| Advance Voting Opportunity: October 17, 2018 District Education Support Centre | 1 | 2 |
| Enderby Seniors Centre | 354 | 67 |
| Sicamous Civic Centre | 9 | 20 |
| Sicamous Council Chambers | 228 | 370 |
| Cambie Community Hall | 18 | 16 |
| Swansea Point Fire Hall | 8 | 11 |
| Malakwa Learning Academy | 33 | 78 |
| TOTAL NUMBER OF VALID VOTES CAST | 804 | 728 |

Quentin Bruns was declared elected on October 23, 2018 for the Office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 2 by the Deputy Chief Election Officer.

TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA 4

The Chief Election Officer for the City of Salmon Arm prepared and reported on the election results for Trustee Electoral Area 4.

| Advance Voting Opportunities, Special Voting Opportunity, Mail Ballot | SASCU Recreation Centre Voting Machine No. 1 | SASCU Recreation Centre Voting Machine No. 2 | Gleneden Hall | North Canoe School | The Mall at Piccadilly | Total |
|--|---|---|------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|--------------|
| 278 | 256 | 188 | 21 | 75 | 131 | 949 |
| 309 | 372 | 292 | 50 | 87 | 203 | 1,313 |
| 47 | 51 | 41 | 4 | 10 | 25 | 178 |
| 94 | 135 | 125 | 11 | 25 | 85 | 475 |
| 234 | 264 | 219 | 28 | 90 | 153 | 988 |
| 121 | 139 | 114 | 18 | 52 | 98 | 542 |
| 349 | 317 | 195 | 31 | 62 | 139 | 1,093 |
| 230 | 269 | 195 | 27 | 47 | 144 | 912 |
| 151 | 235 | 159 | 11 | 76 | 115 | 747 |
| 429 | 417 | 293 | 28 | 73 | 206 | 1,446 |

School Trustee Race

Bedard, Marcel
Krebs, Amanda E
Podlubny, Don
Richards, Lawren
Ross, Jordan
Shields, Dan
Sinclair, Terry-Mae
Townsend, Dale
Vachon, Jenny
VanBuskirk, Marianne E

The following candidates were declared elected on October 23, 2018 for the Office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 4 by the City of Salmon Arm's Chief Election Officer:

- Marianne VanBuskirk
- Amanda Krebs

The Declaration of Official Election Results and Declaration of Election by Acclamation for all Trustee Electoral Areas are attached.

Recommendation

It is recommended that this briefing note be received by the Board of Education of School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap) for information.

Respectfully submitted,

Veronica Deacon

Veronica Deacon
Executive Assistant to the Secretary-Treasurer / Deputy Chief Election Officer



The Board of Education of School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap)

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DECLARATION OF OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS

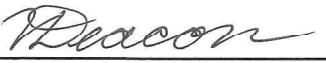
GENERAL SCHOOL ELECTION – 2018

SCHOOL TRUSTEE – TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA 1

(City of Armstrong/Township of Spallumcheen/CSRD Area D – Falkland, Silver Creek, Ranchero)

I, Veronica Deacon, Deputy Chief Election Officer, do hereby declare elected, TENNILE LACHMUTH, who received the highest number of valid votes for the office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 1 (City of Armstrong/Township of Spallumcheen/CSRD Area D – Falkland, Silver Creek, Ranchero).

Dated at Salmon Arm, BC
this 23rd day of October, 2018.



Deputy Chief Election Officer



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GENERAL SCHOOL ELECTION – 2018

SCHOOL TRUSTEE – TRUSTEE ELECTORAL AREA 2

(City of Enderby/CSRD Area E – Malakwa/District of Sicamous/RDNO Area F – Mara, Grindrod, Mabel Lake)

I, Veronica Deacon, Deputy Chief Election Officer, do hereby declare elected, QUENTIN BRUNS, who received the highest number of valid votes for the office of School Trustee for Trustee Electoral Area 2 (City of Enderby/CSRD Area E – Malakwa/District of Sicamous/RDNO Area F – Mara, Grindrod, Mabel Lake).

Dated at Salmon Arm, BC
this 23rd day of October, 2018.



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DECLARATION OF ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION

I, Carrie Pratt, Chief Election Officer for the Board of Education of School District No. 83 (North Okanagan-Shuswap), do hereby declare, pursuant to section 98 of the *Local Government Act*, the following candidate elected by acclamation:

Office of School Trustee

Trustee Electoral Area 3 (CSRD Areas C & F – Carlin, Sorrento, North Shuswap)

Given under my hand at Salmon Arm, British Columbia, this 24th day of September, 2018.

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Carrie Pratt
Chief Election Officer



**City of Salmon Arm
Declaration of Official Election Results
2018 General Local Election
School Trustee**

I, Erin Jackson, Chief Election Officer, do hereby declare elected the following candidates, who received the highest number of valid votes for the office of School Trustee.

1. VanBuskirk, Marianne
2. Krebs, Amanda

Dated at Salmon Arm, British Columbia
this 23th day of October, 2018.



Erin Jackson,
Chief Election Officer