

# VOTER ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

In accordance with Subsection 36(1)(e) and Section 39 of  
*The Local Government Elections Act, 2015*

To be considered eligible to vote in an election in a rural municipality, you must:

1. Be at least 18 years of age;
2. Be a Canadian Citizen; and
3. Meet **one** of the following criteria: *\*Your eligibility to vote is determined in the order in which you qualify to the below-mentioned clauses 3(a) to 3(g).*
  - a. A resident in the rural municipality for at least three consecutive months immediately preceding the day of the election;
  - b. The registered owner (or purchaser under a bona fide agreement for sale) of land in the rural municipality;
  - c. Assessed with respect to land in the rural municipality under a lease, license, permit, or contract in agreement with the registered owner;
  - d. Assessed with respect to an improvement in the rural municipality;
  - e. Hold a permit in the rural municipality with the respect to a trailer or mobile home;
  - f. The spouse of a person mentioned for any of the above clauses (a), (b), (c), (d), or (e); or
  - g. The chief executive officer of a duly incorporated co-operative, corporation or religious association that is assessed on the last revised assessment roll with respect to property in the rural municipality that is not exempt from taxation.

**Owning land in a particular division does not automatically entitle you to vote in that division.**

If a person is eligible to vote with respect to more than one division, that person is eligible to vote in **one** division only. The division that a person is entitled to vote is determined by establishing which of the above clauses (3(a) to 3(g)) is the **first** to apply to that person **and** the division that it applies to.