



Otipemisiwak Métis Government
2024 Wabasca-Desmarais Métis District Election

Public Notice

By Notice of the Chief Electoral Officer on this day, September 20, 2024; the candidates in the **2024 Wabasca-Desmarais Métis District Election** for the Otipemisiwak Métis Government have been determined in accordance with Part V of the Otipemisiwak Métis Government Elections and Referenda Act. For offices with no candidates, the nomination period for these offices will be extended to September 27, 2024.

CANDIDATE DETAILS

DECLARATION OF CERTIFIED CANDIDATES

Notice is hereby given that the following individual has successfully submitted their nomination package and has satisfied the requirements set out in the *Otipemisiwak Métis Government Elections and Referenda Act (the Election Law)*. As such, the Chief Electoral Officer has deemed the following individual as an Acclaimed candidate in the 2024 Wabasca-Desmarais Métis District Election for the Otipemisiwak Métis Government.

[ACCLAIMED] Election by Acclamation: Where the Chief Electoral Officer accepted only one candidate nomination for an elected office within the nomination period, pursuant to Section 44 of the *Election Law*, the certified candidate is to be elected to their respective office.

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR 1

- William R. (Bill) Auger – [ACCLAIMED]

DISTRICT COUNCILLOR 2

- **No Candidate - Extension**

EXTENDED NOMINATION PERIOD DETAILS

DECLARATION OF EXTENDED NOMINATION PERIOD

The Chief Electoral Officer has determined that the following office has only one certified candidate of two that has been acclaimed. As such, the nomination period for this office will be extended to **September 27, 2024**.

- District Councillor 2

After this period, offices with no certified candidates will no longer partake in the **2024 Wabasca-Desmarais Métis District Election**. Nominations will be opened for a by-election for these offices once a year until the elected offices are filled. The timing of the by-elections will be shared at a later date.



EXTENDED NOMINATION DETAILS

- Nomination Packages may be requested by contacting the Chief Electoral Office by email elections@metis.org, by phone at 1-877-576-4250 or in person at 12304-111 Avenue, Edmonton, AB.
- All nomination papers must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. MST on September 27, 2024. Only District Councillor packages will be accepted.
- Nomination papers must be delivered in person or via mail to the Chief Electoral Office in Edmonton, Alberta. *Electronically submitted nomination papers will not be accepted.

Chief Electoral Office:

12304 111 Ave NW
Edmonton, Alberta
T5M 2N4

Please refer to the Election Law for more details regarding the nomination process, including eligibility and reporting requirements.

Contact Information

- Office of the Chief Electoral Officer:
12304 111 Ave NW
Edmonton, Alberta
T5M 2N4
- For general inquiries please reach out to: Elections@metis.org or 1-877-576-4250

Del Graff
Chief Electoral Officer
Métis Nation of Alberta

September 20, 2024

Date