## African Descent Advisory Committee

August 15, 2024

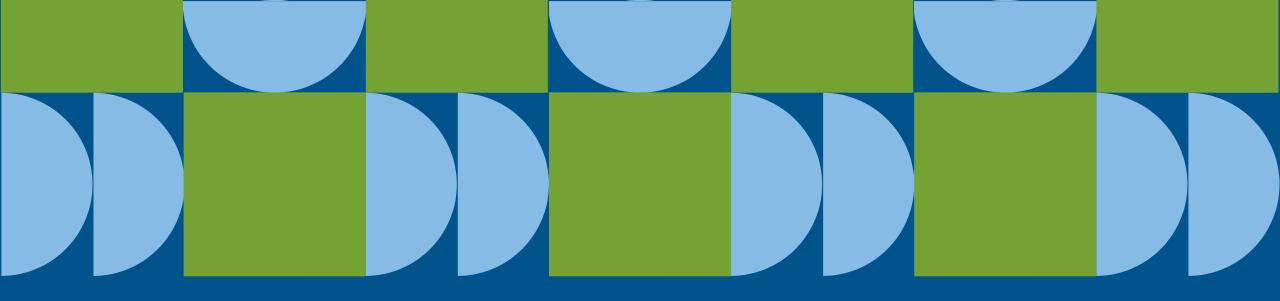
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# 2024 Municipal & Conseil Scolaire acadien provincial (CSAP) Election

Presented by the Halifax Regional Municipality's Election Office

# Item 9.1.1

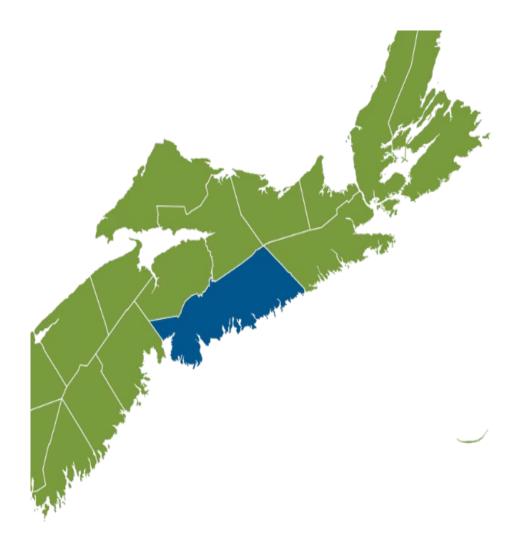


# The next municipal election will take place on **Oct. 19, 2024**.





- New polling boundaries established for the 2024 Municipal Election
- Two-phased study and community consultation process completed Feb-November 2022
- Final Order from Nova Scotia Utility and Review Board received on January 12, 2024.
- The 2024 polling Boundaries do not come into effect until **after** the October 19, 2024 election



HALIFAX ELECTION 2024





**Online:** The municipality has used online voting since 2008. It's often referred to in legislation as "alternative" or electronic voting. This year, electors can vote online (and by phone) from Oct. 8 to Oct.16.



**By phone:** Electors can also vote over the phone using their unique PIN. This is another method of alternative voting, providing an option for electors who do not have access to a computer, smartphone or reliable internet connection.



**In-person:** On advance polling days (Oct. 12 and Oct. 15) electors can vote electronically at their polling location. On election day (Oct. 19) electors can vote using a paper ballot at their polling location.





- Who's able to vote?
  - You are at least 18 years old;
  - A Canadian citizen;
  - Have resided in Nova Scotia for six (6) months and have been a resident of the Halifax Regional Municipality since immediately before the first advance voting day.



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# 2024 Election important dates

March 1 Contribution period for candidates begins.



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Aug. 29 – Sept. 9 Nomination appointment period.



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**Sept. 10** Last day to register as an official candidate.

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# **Oct. 8-16** Online and telephone voting period ("alternative voting").



**Oct. 12 & 15** Advance voting at polling locations (electronically).



**Oct. 19** Election day: Voting at polling locations (paper ballot).

# Who's able to run?

- To be able to run in a municipal or CSAP election:
  - you must be at least 18 years old;
  - are a Canadian citizen;
  - have resided in the Halifax Regional Municipality for six months before the first advance polling day.
- You don't have to live in the district you run in.
- You must appoint an **official agent** and comply with campaign financing rules (*By-law C1100*).





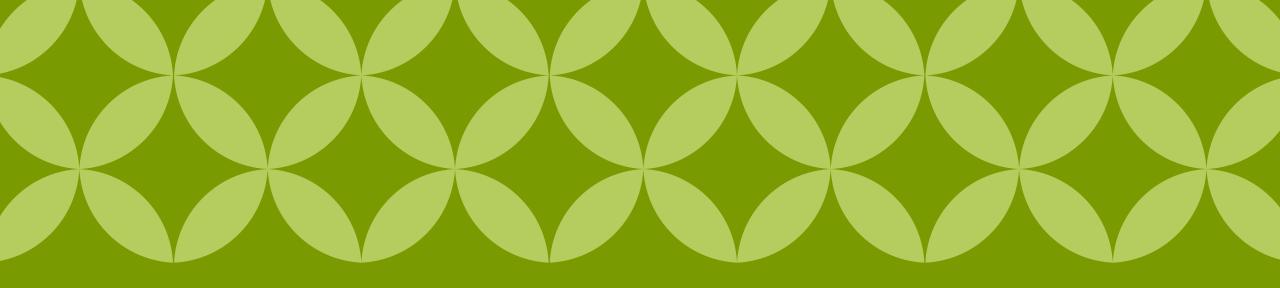
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# **Thank you! Questions?**

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