

HUPACASATH FIRST NATION NOTICE OF ELECTION & NOMINATION MEETING

Notice pursuant to the Indian Act - Indian Band Election Regulations

Notice is hereby given that **Hupacasath First Nation** has called an Election in accordance with the **Indian Act and Indian Band Election Regulations**, for the purpose of electing one (1) Chief and three (3) Councillors on April 6, 2017 for the next ensuing Term of Office.

NOTICE OF VOTING PLACE

APRIL 6, 2017

9:00 AM TO 8:00 PM

**The House of Gathering
5500 Ahahswinis Drive
Port Alberni, BC V9Y 8J9**

Eligible Electors may vote in person at the voting place (the Polling Station) or by mail-in ballot. Eligible Electors residing off reserve, for whom mailing address is available, will automatically be sent mail-in-ballot via regular mail.

Eligible Electors ordinarily residing on-Reserve may request a mail-in ballot by personally contacting the Electoral Officer.

nominating candidates for positions one (1) Chief and three (3) Councillors for the next ensuing term.

The Election will be held at the The House of Gathering, 5500 Ahahswinis Drive, Port Alberni, BC V9Y 8J9 on April 6th, 2017 from 9:00AM to 8:00PM.

PLEASE NOTE that any Eligible Elector may nominate or second candidates by using a mail-in nomination form and voter declaration **OR** you may nominate or second candidates orally at the nomination meeting.

Nomination forms and completed, signed and witnessed voter declaration forms **MUST BE RECEIVED** by the Chief Electoral Officer before the time set for the nomination meeting **OR** you may nominate or second candidates orally at the nomination meeting.

Nomination documents will be available to download – on or about January 16th, 2017 - from the elections website:

www.onefeather.ca/nations/hupacasath

NOTICE OF NOMINATION MEETING

FEBRUARY 22, 2017

4:00 PM TO 7:00 PM

**The House of Gathering
5500 Ahahswinis Drive
Port Alberni, BC V9Y 8J9**

IMPORTANT NOMINATION MEETING INFORMATION

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Eligible Electors of the Hupacasath First Nation, will be held at the **The House of Gathering, 5500 Ahahswinis Drive, Port Alberni, BC V9Y 8J9 on February 22nd, 2017 beginning at 4:00 PM and lasting for at least three hours**, for the purpose of

Official Voters List

An official Voters List of all Eligible Electors shall be posted and available for review during regular business hours at the Hupacasath First Nation Administration Office and available at:

www.onefeather.ca/nations/hupacasath

Electors may also agree to release their mailing address to Candidates to receive information from them. Please advise the Chief Electoral Officer should you wish to allow Candidates to contact you directly.

Given under my hand at Victoria, British Columbia, this 16th day of January, 2017.



Lawrence Lewis, Electoral Officer

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