

# News release

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## **BYELECTION IS CALLED IN THE THOMPSON ELECTORAL DIVISION VOTERS ENCOURAGED TO UPDATE OR REGISTER ONLINE**

A provincial byelection has been called for voters in the Thompson electoral division to choose a new MLA. Election day is Tuesday, June 7. Advance voting will be held from Saturday, May 28 until Saturday, June 4.

### **VOTER INFORMATION**

#### **Who Can Vote?**

Residents of the Thompson electoral division who:

- Are Canadian citizens;
- Are at least 18 years old on election day; and
- Have lived in Manitoba for at least six months immediately before election day.

#### **Voter Information Card**

All registered voters in Thompson will receive a voter information card in the mail. This card confirms that the voter is registered to vote, and tells them when and where they vote on election day and during advance voting.

#### **Required ID**

All voters must show ID to register or vote, and there are many options. For a complete list of acceptable ID, visit [www.electionsmanitoba.ca/downloads/Acceptable\\_ID\\_En.pdf](http://www.electionsmanitoba.ca/downloads/Acceptable_ID_En.pdf)

### **REGISTRATION AND UPDATES**

Eligible voters who do not receive a voter information card, or who receive a card with incorrect information, can visit [www.electionsmanitoba.ca/en/Voting/Register\\_Of\\_Voters](http://www.electionsmanitoba.ca/en/Voting/Register_Of_Voters) to register or update their information by Thursday, May 19. This can also be done by contacting the returning office.

Eligible voters who have not registered can still vote if they show their ID and take an oath at the polling place, either during advance voting or on election day.

### **THOMPSON RETURNING OFFICE**

Thompson Plaza, 50 Selkirk Ave. (north entrance)  
Thompson, MB  
Telephone: 431-451-1110 | Toll-free: 1-833-998-4286  
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