

ALTERNATIVE VOTING METHOD

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On Thursday, October 21st, 2010 and if required Friday, October 22, 2010 the ballot boxes containing the sealed ballot secrecy envelopes will be opened. The ballot secrecy envelopes will be slit open with the ballot to remain within the envelope and be secured in a ballot box. The slitting of the envelopes shall be done in such a manner as is practical to not reveal the vote on ballots. This procedure will be conducted as set out in S.43 insofar as possible, and Scrutineers are able to be present throughout. On Voting Day it will be repeated for those ballots delivered that day.

A print out of electors who voted each day will be produced on the day following and will be available for Candidates or their scrutineers to update their records if they so desire. The Voter Declaration Forms will be retained in a daily file by election personnel.

12. REJECTED BALLOTS

a) During the daily processing of returned ballot packages:

Any rejected ballots found during the daily processing of returned ballot packages, will be marked as such and kept separately in a sealed and secured box and not included in the count. Where a ballot secrecy envelope is rejected the reason for the rejection shall be sequentially recorded by numbering the ballot secrecy envelope and noting the number and reason for the rejection on a separate Rejected Ballots Record.

If a returned ballot package contains a different number of voter declarations than the number of ballot secrecy envelopes that are contained within the same returned ballot package, the ballot(s) will be rejected.

If a returned ballot package contains a voter declaration which has not been signed by the elector, the ballot will be rejected.

If a returned ballot package contains writing or marks that may identify the elector, or is torn or defaced or otherwise dealt with by the elector in a way that may identify him or her, the ballot will be rejected.

If the voter has already been struck off the list as having voted, the ballot will be rejected.

If the voter declaration is not for the Town of South Bruce Peninsula, the ballot will be rejected.

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