Greater Bendigo City Council postal election

My council, my vote



Elections will be held for Axedale Ward, Eppalock Ward, Golden Square Ward, Kennington Ward, Lake Weeroona Ward, Lockwood Ward, Ravenswood Ward and Whipstick Ward in Greater Bendigo City Council.

Check the mail for your ballot pack

Ballot packs containing voting material were mailed to enrolled voters from **Monday 7 October.**

This is a postal election only.

If you do not receive your ballot pack by **Tuesday 15 October** please visit **vec.vic.gov.au** to complete the online replacement form, or call **131 832** to arrange a replacement.

Candidates

Candidates who have nominated for election are listed in the ballot packs and at **vec.vic.gov.au**

A photo and candidate statement will also be included if provided by candidates. Responses to a candidate questionnaire, if provided, are available at **vec.vic.gov.au**

How to vote correctly

You must complete your ballot paper correctly for your vote to count. Put the number 1 in the box next to the candidate you want to see elected, then number all the other

boxes in order of your choice. You must number $\ensuremath{\text{every box}}$ and only use each number once.

How to return your ballot pack

Put your completed ballot paper in the ballot paper envelope, complete the declaration, then post it ASAP using the reply-paid envelope provided, or hand deliver it during election office hours to:

Level 1

56 - 60 King Street

Bendigo

Voting is compulsory

Voting is compulsory for all voters who were enrolled at 4 pm on Wednesday 7 August. This includes state-enrolled and council-enrolled voters.

If you don't vote and don't have a valid excuse, you may be fined.

Your completed ballot pack must be in the mail or hand delivered by 6 pm Friday 25 October.

State-enrolled voters can register for free VoterAlert SMS and email reminders at **vec.vic.gov.au**

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For enquiries in languages other than English:

. (Arabic) 9209 0100 * 江の本は (Assyrian) 9209 0160 * **เอรอย** (Burmese) 9209 0161 * 简体中文 (Mandarin) 9209 0106 * 廣東話 (Cantonese) 9209 0101

*Hrvatski (Croatian) 9209 0102 دری * (Dazi) 9209 0103 Thuɔŋjāŋ (Dinka) 9209 01119 *Ελληνικά (Greek) 9209 0103 آزرگ (Hazaragi) 9209 0162 Italiano (Italian) 9209 0104

' हम्धं' (Khmer) 9209 0192 ' 한국어 (Korean) 9209 0194 ' македонски (Macedonian) 9209 0105 ' ने पाली (Nepali) 9209 0163 ' धर्म (Persian) 9209 0195 ' नामांगिश (Thai) 9209 0164

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