

Brockton Buzz



Monday, October 27, 2014 Brockton Votes 2014



Internet and Telephone Vote

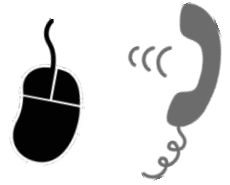
In 2014 Electors can choose the voting method that is best for them; phone, cell phone, the web or use the touch screen computer station located at the Municipal Office, 100 Scott Street, Walkerton.

Advance Internet and Telephone Poll – Vote Early!!!

An Advance Poll is available 24 hours, by telephone or internet, from 8:30 a.m. Monday, October 20 until 8:00 p.m. on Voting Day, Monday, October 27, 2014.

Special advanced internet voting days have been arranged for our senior's residences and homes for the aged as follows:

- Brucelea Haven – Tuesday, October 21 from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.
- Maple Court Villa – Thursday, October 23 from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m.



Election Day

Monday, October 27, 2014 – 10:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

On Election Day Electors may vote in person on a touch screen computer at the Brockton Municipal Office, 100 Scott Street, Walkerton, or by paper ballot at the Walkerton Legion Hall, 505 Scott Street, Walkerton.

Bruce County Library computers are also available for the 2014 Electronic Vote at no charge.

Note: If voting in person, Electors **must bring** their Voter Information Letter with their PIN, Qualifying address, and a piece of photo identification.

If voters do not have their proper identification the voting process may be delayed. All Wards will be voting at the Walkerton Legion and may vote at any Poll once the proper identification has been provided.

Voter Information Letters

Every elector on the Voters' List will receive a Voter Information Letter in a sealed envelope mailed by first class that will contain a Voter ID, and a Personal Identification Number. The Voter Information Letter will be mailed out by Dominion Voting Systems on October 7, 2014. If you do not receive the Voter Information Letter by Friday, October 17 please contact the Voter Help Line **1-877-885-8084 Ext 38**. Keep this Election Buzz handy to answer your questions about the voting process.

Voting Process

1. Receive Voter Information Letter containing ID and PIN
2. Decide Voting Option



Make sure you have your Voter Letter for reference during telephone voting.

To vote, Eligible Electors can call 1-866-957-1829 or visit <https://www.intvoting.com/Brockton2014> and cast their vote using the assigned **Voter ID**, **PIN** and their **Date of Birth**. Ensure your **full Date of Birth is registered** on the Voters' List, since it will be used as final authentication to log into the voting system.

Both the internet and telephone voting system will identify the Voter's choice before moving on to the next contest. A Voter may abstain from voting and skip any contest. Once all ballots are completed, Voters are presented with a Ballot Review screen. Once the Voter is happy with their selection(s), they press the "Vote Now" button. After this button is pressed, the Voter can no longer make any changes, they are crossed off the Voter's List and their PIN cannot be used again.

If a voter **owns property** at more than one location in the Municipality, they may only vote once.



If you receive **more than one Voter Information Letter:**

- Only vote once
- Return all other Voter Information Letters to the Clerk at the Municipal Office.

The municipalities of Huron Kinloss and South Bruce are also using the same system of electronic voting. Electors who own properties in **Huron Kinloss** and **South Bruce** must check their Voter Information Letter carefully and use the PIN for their qualifying Brockton address to log on to the Brockton voting system.

All voters that vote more than once, or who improperly use the Voter Information Letter shall be reported to the Ontario Provincial Police for further investigation as to possible corrupt practices under the Municipal Elections Act, 1996, Section 89.

Mail Tampering – Criminal Offence and Prosecution

The Criminal Code of Canada states that tampering with the mail of an individual is a criminal offence and a person(s) found guilty is liable to a term of imprisonment not exceeding ten (10) years.

Voters' List and Revision Period

The Voters' List will be amended, and voters not on the list will be added up to, and including, Election Day. Revisions may be submitted at the Municipal Office, 100 Scott Street, Walkerton.

Are you On the List?

The Voters' List is available at the following locations beginning September 2, 2014:

- Brockton Municipal Office, 100 Scott Street, Walkerton
- Cargill Library, 1012 Greenock Brant, Cargill ON
- Elmwood Library, 25 Main Street South, Elmwood ON
- Walkerton Library, 253 Durham Street East, Walkerton ON

It is important to confirm you are on the list. Anyone not on the Voters' List will not receive a Voter Information Letter with their Personal Identification Number (PIN) and they will not be able to vote by Internet or Telephone.

Voter Help/Revision Centre

A Voter Help Centre will be located in the Municipal Office, 100 Scott Street Walkerton. Election Staff will be there to answer questions and assist electors that come in to the Voter Help Centre.

The Voter Help/Revision Centre shall be responsible for the following:

- Additions/Amendments/Deletions to Voters' List
- Verifying and Re-Issuing PINs
- Assistance during electronic and phone voting process

Address: 100 Scott Street, Box 68, Walkerton, ON N0G 2V0

Phone: 519-881-2223 Ext 38

Toll Free: 1-877-885-8084 Ext 38

Fax: 519-881-2991

Web: www.Brockton.ca/Election

Email: election@brockton.ca

Hours: Monday, October 20 to Friday, October 24 - 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Saturday, October 25 and Sunday, October 26 - 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

More Information

Election information will be circulated in the Brockton Buzz by mail and online at www.Brockton.ca/BrocktonBuzz, at www.Brockton.ca/Election, and on [Facebook.com/BrocktonON](https://www.facebook.com/BrocktonON) and [Twitter.com/mun_brockton](https://twitter.com/mun_brockton).

For more information, including links to forms and list of candidates, Electors can visit www.Brockton.ca/Election.

Beat the Rush – Vote Early!