



Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe
Election Committee
PO BOX 1104
PORT ANGELES WA 98362

April 9, 2020

Dear Eligible Voter,

As a courtesy to tribal members and candidates, the Election Committee mails out candidate letters to all potential eligible voters. Any candidate who desires to use this service must have submitted their letter to the Election Committee either at the General Community Council Meeting on nomination night (4/6/20) or on Wednesday 4/8/20 between 4:00-5:00PM at the front entrance of the Tribal Center.

The General Election will be on Saturday, May 2nd, 2020. We will be holding drive-thru polling in front of the Tribal Center, from 12:00 noon to 8:00 PM. Mail-in ballots shall also be used and all mail-in ballots must be either mailed and be received at the official Post Office Box by Election Day, May 2nd, 2020, or delivered to the polling station by the time it closes. We are encouraging voters to return their ballots by mail, using the provided pre-stamped envelopes, in order to minimize interpersonal contact due to the COVID-19 outbreak.

Two Business Committee positions will be elected this year. Here are the 9 nominees, in alphabetical order, who submitted their acceptance of nomination:

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| Cody G. Bankson | George Charles |
| Ryan Charles-Elofson | Robert Elofson |
| Tillman "Timmy" Goldsbury, Jr. | Russell N. "Razz" Hepfer |
| Edward V. Johnson | Jericho Stuntz |
| Arlene "Pebbles" Wheeler | |

Please note, according to rule 5.3

In order to accept the nomination and actually appear on the ballot, each nominee must provide written acceptance of the nomination to the Election Committee at the General Community Council Meeting on nomination night (April 6, 2020) or on Wednesday, April 8, 2020, between 4-5pm delivered to the Election Committee at the front entrance of the Tribal Center. If a nominee fails to provide this written acceptance by that deadline, his or her name will not appear on the ballot, but would still be eligible for election to the Business Committee as a write-in candidate as provided in Rule 6.2.

Also, any eligible voter may write in the name of any person who is eligible to hold office as an alternative to voting for a nominated candidate in the Business Committee Election.

Attached are the candidate letters received by the Election Committee. Thank you for your interest and participation in the tribal election process

~The Election Committee