

2020 West Wimmera Shire Council Election



Voting information

Election office contact details

Election Manager	Iain McNee
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Election office address	Edenhope Library, 49 Elizabeth Street, Edenhope
Office open for ballot pack hand deliveries (Weekdays only)	9 am - 5 pm Wednesday 16 September to Wednesday 21 October 2020 9 am - 8 pm Thursday 22 October 2020 9 am - 6 pm Friday 23 October 2020

Vote by post this October

- Voting is compulsory for voters who were on the State roll for this election by 4 pm on Friday 28 August 2020.
- You are encouraged to vote (but won't be fined if you don't) if:
 - you live outside the council area
 - you applied to Council to be on the roll.
- Each voter has one vote in a council area, regardless of how many entitlements you may have in that area.
- If you moved house and didn't update your address by 4 pm on Friday 28 August 2020, your ballot pack will be addressed to your old address. If you don't have a mail redirection in place, please contact the Election Office on the number above.

Note: If you are on the Melbourne City Council voters' roll, you must vote in that election no matter where you live.

KEY DATES

- CLOSE OF ROLL**
4 pm Friday 28 August 2020
- CLOSE OF NOMINATIONS**
12 noon Tuesday 22 September 2020
- MAILOUT OF BALLOT PACKS**
Tuesday 6 October to
Thursday 8 October 2020
- CLOSE OF VOTING**
6 pm Friday 23 October 2020

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How do I vote?

You will receive a ballot pack in the mail*. Not every person in the household will get a ballot pack at the same time. Ensure you use the ballot pack in your name.

- 1** Separate your ballot paper from the candidate information leaflet.
- 2** On the ballot paper put the number **1** in the box next to the candidate you most want to see elected, then number **ALL** the other boxes in order of your choice. You must number **EVERY BOX** and only use each number once.
- 3** Place your completed ballot paper in the ballot paper envelope and seal down the side flap at the red arrows.
- 4** Complete the details on the other side of the flap: sign and date.
- 5** Place the ballot paper envelope in the reply-paid envelope.
- 6** Post as soon as possible. Your vote must be in the mail or hand delivered by 6 pm on Friday 23 October 2020.

* Contact the election office if you have not received your ballot pack by Friday 16 October 2020.