Permanent Electors Register and List of Electors | Governing Legislation

The following are sections extracted from the *Local Authorities Election Act (LAEA)*, which enables municipalities to create, maintain and use a Permanent Electors Register and List of Electors.

LAEA Section	Content
49 (1)	A municipality may, by bylaw, (a) direct the secretary to prepare a permanent electors register of residents in the municipality who are entitled to vote in elections (b) prescribe procedures and forms governing the enumeration of electors and any other methods of compiling and revising the permanent electors registry, and (c) provide for the use of the permanent electors register to create a list of electors who are entitled to vote in an election
49 (2)	If a bylaw is enacted under subsection (1), the municipality may enter into an agreement with the Chief Electoral Officer under the Election Act (a) to receive from the Chief Electoral Officer information that will assist the secretary of the municipality in compiling or revising the permanent electors register, and (b) to provide to the Chief Electoral Officer information that will assist the Chief Electoral Officer in preparing or revising information for the purpose of compiling or revising the register of electors under the Election Act
49 (5)	The permanent electors register may contain only the following information about persons ordinarily resident in the municipality who are electors or may be eligible to be electors: (a) the residential address, including the postal code of the residence of the person, and the mailing address, including the postal code, if the mailing address is different from the residential address (b) the surname, given name and middle initial of the person

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	 (c) the residential telephone number of the person (d) the gender of the person (e) the day, month and year of birth of the person, and (f) repealed 2018 c23 s2 (g) whether the person is a public school resident or a separate school resident.
50 (1)	The elected authority if it so desires may, by bylaw, (a) direct the secretary or returning officer to prepare a list of electors who are entitled to vote in an election, and (b) prescribe procedures and forms governing the enumeration of electors and provide for the use of information from a permanent electors register, if any.