

AR119290

June 5, 2025

Dear Chief Administrative Officers and Municipal Clerks:

**Subject: Pre-election Disclosures**

I am writing to inform you of a change to the *Local Authorities Election Act* that was made as part of Bill 54, the *Election Statutes Amendment Act, 2025*, which received Royal Assent on May 15, 2025.

These amendments establish that candidates who have received contributions beginning on January 1 and ending on July 31 of the election year must file a campaign disclosure statement for that period by September 30 of the general election year.

Recently, an amendment was also made to the Local Political Parties and Slates Regulation that requires pre-election campaign disclosures for local political parties by September 30 of the general election year. Information about these legislative changes are outlined in a collection of fact sheets published under Changes to the *Local Authorities Election Act* on Open Alberta.

Should you have questions about these amendments, please contact our advisory team at [ma.advisory@gov.ab.ca](mailto:ma.advisory@gov.ab.ca).

Sincerely,



Jonah Mozeson  
Deputy Minister

cc: Ryan Westerson, President, Alberta Municipal Clerks Association