

**CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF NEW WESTMINSTER**



**SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITIES BYLAW NO. 6143, 1993**

EFFECTIVE DATE: SEPTEMBER 13, 1993

CONSOLIDATED FOR CONVENIENCE ONLY  
(December 20, 2000)

This is a consolidation of the bylaws listed below. The amendment bylaws have been combined with the original bylaw for convenience only. This consolidation is not a legal document. Certified copies of the original bylaws should be consulted for all interpretations and applications of the bylaws on this subject.

AMENDMENT BYLAW

EFFECTIVE DATE

6338, 1996

July 29, 1996

The bylaw numbers highlighted in this consolidation refer to the bylaws that amended the principal Bylaw No. 6143, 1993. The number of any amending bylaw that has been repealed is not referred to in this consolidation.

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BYLAW NO. 6143, 1993

**BYLAW NO. 6338, 1996**

A Bylaw to provide for special voting opportunities for general location elections  
& other voting

WHEREAS Section 99 of the Municipal Act, R.S.B.C., c. 290, authorizes the Council, by bylaw, to establish special voting opportunities;

NOW THEREFORE THE CITY COUNCIL of the Corporation of the City of New Westminster in open meeting assembled ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "Special Voting Opportunities Bylaw No. 6143, 1993."

**BYLAW NO. 6338, 1996**

2. The Chief Election Officer is hereby authorized to establish special voting opportunities in order to give electors who may otherwise be unable to vote an opportunity to do so.
3. The Chief Election Officer is authorized to establish the date, voting hours and place where special voting opportunity is to be conducted.
4. The only electors who may vote are electors who, on the date on which the special voting opportunity is held and before the end of the voting hours for that special voting opportunity, have been admitted to and are patients of a hospital designated in this bylaw as a location for a special voting opportunity.
5. Where a poll is established in a hospital and a patient of the hospital who is a registered elector is unable to attend the voting place, the presiding election official, in the presence of another election official, may attend with the ballot box at the patient for the purpose of receiving their ballot.
6. One candidate representative of the ballots for Mayor, Councillor and School Trustee is entitled to be present at each special voting opportunity with that candidate representative chosen by agreement of the candidates for that ballot or, failing such agreement, by the chief election officer.