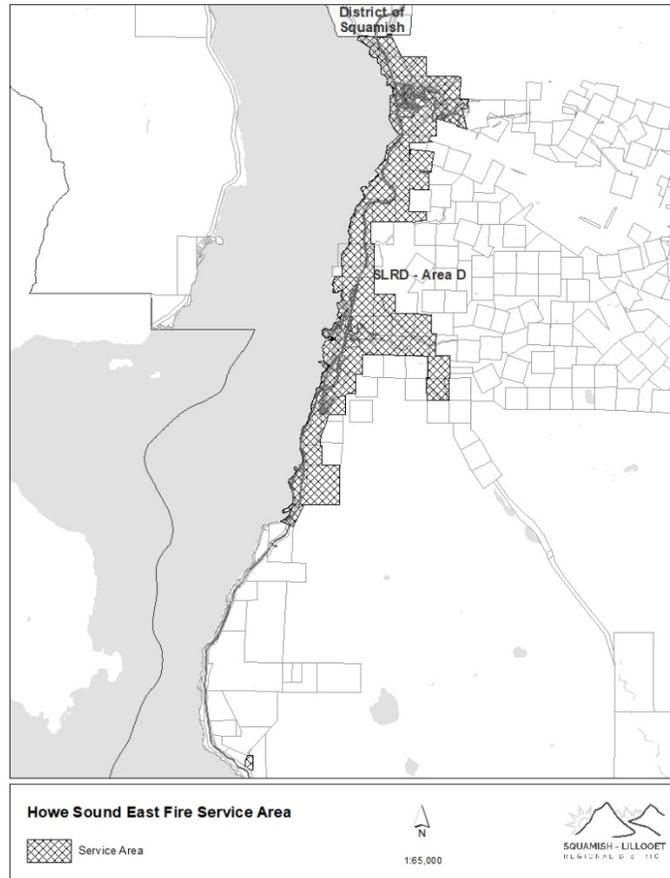


**NOTICE OF ALTERNATIVE APPROVAL PROCESS**

**PUBLIC NOTICE** is hereby given in accordance with the Local Government Act and the Community Charter that the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (“**SLRD**”) has proposed the following bylaw: SLRD Howe Sound East Fire Protection Service Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1716-2021 (the “**Bylaw**”), which relates to the Howe Sound East Fire Protection Service Area and includes a portion of Electoral Area D as participants (the “**Service Area**”) as shown on the map:



The purpose of the Bylaw is to authorize the SLRD to borrow funds of up to \$1,200,000 (the “**Loan**”) over a term of 25 years for the purpose of acquiring a replacement fire truck for the use and benefit of electors in the Service Area. Repayment of the Loan is to be spread out over a 25-year term, the cost of which is to be borne by the taxable properties within the Service Area. If the full amount of the Loan is issued, the tax rate per \$1,000 of assessed net taxable value of land and improvements attributable to the Loan is estimated to be \$0.094 using the most recent BC Assessment roll, resulting in estimated annual tax amounts as follows:

Examples of estimated tax requisitions		
Property value (residential)	Rate per \$1000	Annual tax requisition (due to Loan)
\$500,000	\$0.094	\$47.00
\$1,000,000	\$0.094	\$94.00
\$1,500,000	\$0.094	\$141.00

The SLRD Board is seeking participating area approval of the electors by way of Alternative Approval Process for the Service Area. The number of eligible electors has been determined at 506 and the number of elector responses required to prevent the SLRD Board from proceeding without the further assent of electors has been determined to be 50. The deadline for elector responses in relation to this Alternative Approval Process is **4:30 p.m. on December 29, 2021**.

The SLRD Board may proceed with the Bylaw unless, by the stated deadline, at least 10% (50) of the electors of the Service Area indicate that the SLRD Board must obtain approval by assent vote.

Elector responses must be given in the form established by the SLRD Board, and this form is available online at [www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP](http://www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP) and at the SLRD office (1350 Aster Street in Pemberton). The only persons entitled to sign the forms are the electors of the area to which the Alternative Approval Process applies, being the Service Area. For more information about Resident Elector and Non-Resident Property Elector qualifications, see [www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP](http://www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP).

Public inspection of the Bylaw can be made online at [www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP](http://www.slrd.bc.ca/HSFAAP) and from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. (M-F, except holidays) at the SLRD office (1350 Aster St., Pemberton, BC).

For more information, please contact the SLRD's Director of Finance at (604) 894-6371 ext. 233 or [slafrance@slrd.bc.ca](mailto:slafrance@slrd.bc.ca).