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Notice of Alternative Approval Process

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given in accordance with Section 801.3 of the *Local Government Act* and Sections 86 and 94 of the *Community Charter*, that the Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) has proposed the following Bylaw: Area A Asset Preservation Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1342-2014 ("Bylaw No. 1342-2014").

The purpose of this bylaw is to provide a financial contribution to the Bridge River Valley Community Association for the protection, preservation and maintenance of Community Assets and Amenities. Funds contributed pursuant to this bylaw may be used for both capital and operational expenditures to enhance and maintain community assets, such as gateway entrance signage and kiosks, community halls, recreation facilities, trails and other Community Assets and Amenities as defined in Bylaw No. 1342-2014.

Under Bylaw No. 1342-2014, the maximum requisition amount for this service would be \$25,000 or \$0.1431/\$1,000 of the net taxable value of land and improvements within Electoral Area A.

This Alternative Approval Process applies to the service area, which is comprised of all of Electoral Area A. The deadline for elector responses in relation to this Alternative Approval Process shall be September 22, 2014.

The SLRD Board may proceed with this matter unless, by the deadline, at least 10% of the electors of the service area indicate that the Board must obtain the assent of the electors before proceeding.

Elector responses must be given in the form established by the Board and are available at the offices of the SLRD at 1350 Aster Street, Pemberton, BC and online at www.slrd.bc.ca. The only persons entitled to sign the forms are the electors of the area to which the Alternative Approval Process applies, in this case all of Electoral Area A.

The number of eligible electors has been determined at 654 and the number of elector responses required to prevent the Board from proceeding without the further assent of electors has been determined to be 65. A report respecting the basis upon which the determination was made of the total number of electors of Electoral Area A is available at the offices of the SLRD and online at www.slrd.bc.ca.

The electors of Electoral Area A are the persons who would meet the qualifications referred to in section 161(1)(a) of the *Local Government Act*. In order to sign an elector response form, the person must be either a:

(i) Resident Elector

- 18 years or older,
- a Canadian citizen,
- a resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately before signing this elector response form,
- a resident of Electoral Area A for at least 30 days immediately before signing this elector response form, and
- not be disqualified from voting under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment or be otherwise disqualified by law from voting; or

(ii) Non-Resident Property Elector

- 18 years of age or older,
- a Canadian Citizen,
- a resident of BC for at least 6 months immediately before signing this elector response form,
- not entitled to register to vote as a resident elector,
- a registered owner of real property within *[insert service area]* for at least 30 days immediately before signing this elector response form,
- may not vote more than once within a voting jurisdiction regardless of the number of properties owned,
- where more than one non-resident person owns the property, the person wishing to submit an electoral response form for that property must provide, at the time of registration, written consent from a majority of the property owners,
- who holds the real property in trust for a corporation or another trust is *not* eligible to vote as a non-resident property elector, and
- not be disqualified from voting under the *Local Government Act* or any other enactment or be otherwise disqualified by law from voting.

A person must not sign more than one elector response form in relation to the same Alternative Approval Process and a person who is not an elector for the area of the Alternative Approval Process must not sign an elector response form.

Copies of the proposed Bylaw No. 1342-2014 are available at the offices of the SLRD at 1350 Aster Street, Pemberton, BC, from 8 am to 4:30 pm and online at www.slrd.bc.ca.