

BYLAW NO. 462

A BYLAW TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES USED FOR THE CONDUCT OF LOCAL ELECTIONS AND OTHER VOTING

WHEREAS the Regional District has, by Bylaw No. 327, established procedures and requirements to be met during the conduct of local elections and other voting;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board wishes to amend the said procedures and requirements with respect to voting by mail ballot;

NOW THEREFORE the Board of Directors of the Strathcona Regional District, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

Amendment

1. Subsection (1) of section 7 [*Mail Ballot Voting*] is deleted in its entirety and the following substituted therefor:

Mail Ballot Voting

7. (1) Registration and voting may be done by mail for qualified electors subject to the following:
 - a) the application for a mail ballot must include all documentation and information that would normally be required if the elector was applying to vote in person;
 - b) the application for a mail ballot must be accompanied by an application for registration as an elector if the applicant is not already registered as an elector at the time the application for a mail ballot is made;
 - c) applications for a mail ballot will not be approved if made on behalf of another person;
 - d) applicants must acknowledge in writing that approval of a mail ballot request will disqualify the elector from receiving a ballot for the same election, referendum or assent voting opportunity at another location;
 - e) before a mail ballot is provided to an elector, the details of the application will be made available to scrutineers for at least 24 hours to enable challenges of the elector's right to vote in accordance with the *Local Government Act*; and
 - f) unless other arrangements have been made by the elector, all mail ballots will be provided to approved applicants by regular postal service.

Citation


2. This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as Bylaw No. 462, being Local Election, Assent Voting and Referendum Procedures Bylaw 2018, Amendment No. 1.

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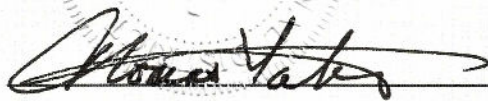
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Chair



Corporate Officer