

REGIONAL DISTRICT OKANAGAN-SIMILKAMEEN

BYLAW NO. 2430, 2007

A bylaw to amend the Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen Sterile Insect Release Extended Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1101, 1989 to provide for additional voting members of the Sterile Insect Release Board.

WHEREAS the Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen has established an Extended Service Area for the purpose of participating in the Okanagan Kootenay Sterile Insect Release Program;

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to recognize three representatives nominated by the BC Fruit Growers' Association as voting members of the Sterile Insect Release Board;

AND WHEREAS it is necessary to increase the representation from the Regional District of Central Okanagan from one representative to two representatives on the Sterile Insect Release Board;

AND WHEREAS pursuant to the authority of Section 283(3) of the *Municipalities Enabling and Validating Act* and Section 801.5 of the *Local Government Act*, approval of the electors of Electoral Areas A, B, C, D, E, F and G has been given by consent in writing by the Electoral Area Director;

AND WHEREAS Section 802 of the *Local Government Act* provides that a bylaw establishing an extended service may be amended with the consent of at least 2/3 of the participants;

NOW THEREFORE the Regional Board of the Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen Sterile Insect Release Extended Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1101, 1989 is hereby amended as follows:
 - a) Section 1 (b) is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with the following:

"1 (b) The SIR Board will be comprised of;

- (i) One member appointed annually by each of the Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen, Regional District of North Okanagan and Columbia Shuswap Regional District from its Directors or Alternate Directors and two members appointed annually by the Regional District of Central Okanagan from its Directors or Alternate Directors. The Regional Districts may, from the same group of Directors or Alternate directors, designate an alternate to its appointed members to take the place of, vote and generally act in all matters for the absent member.
- (ii) The BC Fruit Growers' Association shall nominate three grower representatives for appointment to the Sterile Insect Release Board by the Regional District Partners. The BC Fruit Growers' Association shall determine the method used to make the nominations. Grower representatives must be nominated from each of the original three program zone areas and one grower must be a certified organic grower. All three nominated growers must be property owners subject to the SIR Parcel Tax. The nominee for the Okanagan-Similkameen Zone 1 will be appointed by the Board of the Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen. The nominee for the Central Okanagan Zone 2 will be appointed by the Board of the Regional District of Central Okanagan. The nominee for the Salmon Arm/North Okanagan/Lake Country Zone 3 will be confirmed and appointed by agreement of the Boards of the Columbia Shuswap, North Okanagan and Central Okanagan Regional Districts. The BC Fruit Growers' Association may also nominate an alternate to take the place of, vote and generally act in all matters for each of the voting representatives who may be absent.
- (iii) Other non-voting representatives, other than BC Fruit Growers' Association representatives, shall be those provided by Regulation made by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council and appointed in accordance with said regulation.
- (iv) All matters are decided by simple majority of the nine voting members other than as set out below.
- (v) In addition to the majority of the overall SIR Board, decisions of the SIR Board that are financial require at least three of the five Regional District voting Board members to be in the affirmative. Financial matters for this purpose include approval of the financial plan, authorization to enter into contracts, acquisition and disposal of real property and authorizing borrowing and liabilities in accordance with Section 1 (e) of this bylaw."

2. This bylaw may be cited as "Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen Sterile Insect Release Extended Service Establishment Amendment Bylaw No. 2430, 2007".

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME this 13th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'A' this 13th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'B' this 3rd day of January, 2008.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'C' this 19th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'D' this 13th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'E' this 13th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'F' this 13th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the Director of Electoral Area 'G' this 19th day of December, 2007.

Received the Consent of the District of Summerland this 15th day of January, 2008.

Received the Consent of the Village of Keremeos this 21st day of January, 2008.


Received the Consent of the City of Penticton this 21st day of January, 2008.

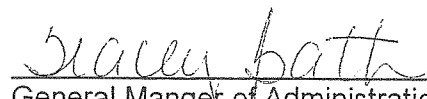
Received the Consent of the Town of Osoyoos this 4th day of February, 2008.

Received the Consent of the Town of Oliver this 14th day of January, 2008.

APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES this 24th day of April, 2008.

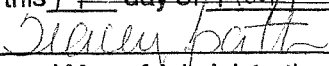
ADOPTED this 8th day of May, 2008.


Chair


General Manger of Administration Services

I hereby certify this document to be
a true copy of RDCS Bylaw No. 2430, 2007

Dated this 14th day of May, 2008


General Mgr. of Administration Services
Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen

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