

NOTICE OF ASSENT VOTING OPPORTUNITY
GENERAL VOTING DAY RESCHEDULED

PUBLIC NOTICE is given to electors within the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Service Area, in a portion of Electoral Area A of the Fraser Valley Regional District, that a vote will be held on the following question:

“Are you in favour of the Fraser Valley Regional District adopting the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 1629, 2021 to authorize the borrowing of up to \$170,000 for the purpose of purchasing land and buildings located at 47715 Alder Road, Boston Bar, BC for the purpose of a new fire hall to serve the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Service Area?”

SYNOPSIS OF PROPOSED BYLAW

The purpose of proposed Bylaw No. 1629, 2021 is to authorize long term borrowing of an amount up to \$170,000 for the costs associated with the purchase of lands and buildings for the purpose of a new fire hall to serve the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Service Area. The maximum term for which debentures may be issued to secure the debt created by Bylaw No. 1629, 2021 is ten (10) years.

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a synopsis only of proposed Bylaw No. 1629, 2021. This synopsis is not an interpretation of the bylaw. The full text of the bylaw may be inspected at the office of the Fraser Valley Regional District at 45950 Cheam Avenue, Chilliwack, BC from October 1, 2021 between the hours of 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m., Monday to Friday, excluding holidays. The bylaw is also available for inspection at www.fvrd.ca.

VOTING DATES AND LOCATIONS

GENERAL VOTING will be held on: **SATURDAY, JANUARY 15, 2022**
8 am - 8 pm at the following location:

Canyon Lanes Bowling Alley (47585 Trans Canada Highway, Boston Bar)

All Mail Ballots received and those casted at the prior Advanced Voting Day on November 10, 2021 will be counted at the General Voting Opportunity

VOTER REGISTRATION

Registration will take place at the time of voting. Voter requirements:

- 18 years of age or older as of general voting day
- Canadian citizen
- resident of BC for at least 6 months before the day of registering to vote;



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- resident of OR registered owner of real property in the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Service Area,
- not otherwise disqualified by law from voting, and
- entitled to vote and have not previously voted in this assent vote.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS

In addition to the above, non-resident property owners (NRPEs) must:

- not be entitled to register to vote as a resident elector in that electoral area;
- have owned property in the Boston Bar and North Bend Fire Protection Service Area for at least 30 days before registering to vote;
- all be individuals registered on title. If there is a corporation on title, none of the owners are eligible to vote as an NRPE;
- only register to vote in relation to one property in the service area;
- be a registered owner of real property as described in Section 66(4) of the Local Government Act.
- register only one of the owners AND obtain written consent from the majority of those on title to vote on behalf of that property. Consent forms can be obtained prior to the time of voting from www.fvrd.ca/referendum or by contacting jvannes@fvrd.ca.

Corporations are not entitled to vote or to have a representative vote on their behalf

IDENTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS

Resident electors: 2 pieces of identification (at least one with a signature) which should together prove both residency and identity.

Non-resident property electors: 2 pieces of identification to prove identity (at least one with a signature) AND proof that you are entitled to register in relation to the property (title search or, tax notice AND, if applicable, a consent form signed by the other owners of the property).

FURTHER INFORMATION

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