

ELECTOR RESPONSE FORM BYLAW NUMBER 4328

The Cowichan Valley Regional District (CVRD) is proposing to adopt "CVRD Bylaw No. 4328 – Saltair Water System Service Loan Authorization (Water Treatment Upgrades - \$3,700,000) Bylaw, 2020", which would allow the CVRD to borrow upon the credit of the Regional District a sum not exceeding Three Million, Seven Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$3,700,000); to fund the estimated cost to carry out water treatment upgrades to the Saltair Water System works to current municipal standards for the supply, treatment, conveyance, storage and distribution of water within a portion of Electoral Area G – Saltair/Gulf Islands. The estimated annual cost to residential property owners within the Saltair Water System Service Area would be approximately \$270 per parcel per annum, until the debt is retired.

If you are opposed to the adoption of this bylaw, you may indicate your opposition by signing and returning this *Elector Response Form* to the Regional District office by 4:30 PM, Wednesday, February 10, 2021. If at least 10% of the eligible electors within the area defined in the AAP submit responses, the regional district board may not proceed with the matter unless elector approval is obtained by assent voting. Approval of the electors by alternative approval process is obtained if less than 146 elector responses are received by the stated deadline. Only those persons who live or own property within the service area and meet the following qualifications are eligible to submit an *Elector Response Form*.

I hereby certify that:

- I am a Canadian citizen;
- I am an individual who is age 18 or older;
- I have been a resident of British Columbia for at least the past six months;
- I have been a resident of the Saltair Water System Service Area for the past 30 days **or** I am entitled to register as a non-resident property elector;
- I am not disqualified by the *Local Government Act*, or any other enactment, from voting in an election or am not otherwise disqualified by law.

I understand and acknowledge that I may not sign an *Elector Response Form* more than once in relation to this alternative approval process.

NAME OF ELECTOR: _____

(please print full name)

ELECTOR STREET ADDRESS:

(residential address)

OR

(Non-Resident property electors only) _____ Address of property in relation to which I am entitled to register as a non-resident property elector.

(property address)

(contact telephone number including area code)

SIGNATURE OF ELECTOR: _____

NOTE: The **signed** *Elector Response Form* must be returned to the CVRD Offices located at 175 Ingram Street, Duncan, BC, V9L 1N8 **on or before 4:30 PM, Wednesday, February 10, 2021**. Forms can be emailed to <u>aapresponse@cvrd.bc.ca</u> or faxed to 250.746.2513, with the original to follow by mail. Regular office hours are 8:00 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday through Friday, excluding statutory holidays.

Section 86(6) of the *Community Charter* requires all electors to submit their response on the form established by the CVRD, or an accurate copy of that form.