



## **COWICHAN VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT**

### **BYLAW No. 3737**

#### **A Bylaw to Establish a Service to Provide an Annual Financial Contribution to the Shawnigan Basin Society**

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**WHEREAS** pursuant to Sections 796 and 800 of the *Local Government Act*, a Regional District may, by bylaw, establish and operate any service that the Board considers necessary or desirable for all or part of the Regional District;

**AND WHEREAS** the Board of the Cowichan Valley Regional District wishes to establish a service for the purpose of assisting with costs associated with watershed management and public safety issues by the Shawnigan Basin Society, within Electoral Area B – Shawnigan Lake;

**AND WHEREAS** the Board of the Cowichan Valley Regional District has obtained the approval of the service area electors in accordance with the *Local Government Act* and the *Community Charter*;

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

1. **CITATION**

This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "**CVRD Bylaw No. 3737 – Shawnigan Basin Society Annual Financial Contribution Service Establishment Bylaw, 2013**".

2. **SERVICE BEING ESTABLISHED**

The service being established under the authority of this bylaw is a service for the purpose of providing an annual financial contribution to assist the Shawnigan Basin Society with costs associated with watershed management and public safety issues within the Shawnigan and upper Koksilah Basins. The service shall be known as the "Shawnigan Basin Society Annual Financial Contribution Service".

3. **SERVICE AREA BOUNDARIES**

The boundaries of the service area are the boundaries of Electoral Area B – Shawnigan Lake.

4. **PARTICIPATING AREA**

Electoral Area B – Shawnigan Lake is the only participating area for this service.

5. METHOD OF COST RECOVERY

The annual cost of providing this service shall be recovered by one or more of the following:

- a) property value taxes requisitioned and collected on the basis of the net taxable value of land and improvements within the service area;
- b) revenues raised by other means authorized by the *Local Government Act*, or any other Act.

6. MAXIMUM REQUISITION

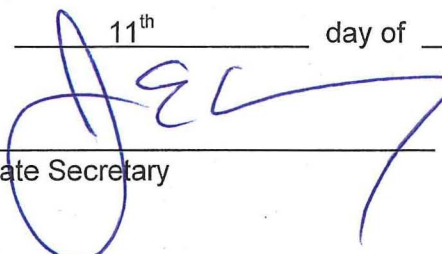
The maximum amount of money that may be requisitioned annually in support of this service shall be the greater of \$50,000 or an amount equal to the amount that could be raised by a property value tax of \$0.0323 per \$1,000 of net taxable value of land and improvements within the service area.

READ A FIRST TIME this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

READ A SECOND TIME this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

READ A THIRD TIME this 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 3737 as given Third Reading on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2013.

  
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 Corporate Secretary

SEPTEMBER 19, 2013  
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 Date

APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES this 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 2013.

ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

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Chairperson

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Corporate Secretary