

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL OKANAGAN

BYLAW NO 567

Being a bylaw for the purpose of establishing various procedures for the conduct of elections and other voting in the Regional District of Central Okanagan.

WHEREAS under the Municipal Act, the regional board may, by bylaw, determine various procedures and requirements to be applied in the conduct of local government elections and other voting;

AND WHEREAS the regional board wishes to establish various procedures and requirements under that authority;

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

1. DEFINITIONS

In this bylaw:

"Elector" means a resident elector or property elector of the jurisdiction as defined under the Municipal Act;

"Election" means an election for the number of persons required to fill a local government office;

"General voting day" means,

(a) for a general local election, the 3rd Saturday of November in the year of the election,

(b) for other elections, the date set under sections 38(5), 39(1) or (3) or 142(5) of the Municipal Act, and

(c) for other voting, the date set under section 162 of the Municipal Act;

"Jurisdiction" means, in relation to an election, the regional district electoral area for which it is held;

"Local government" means the regional district board;

"Other voting" means voting on a matter referred to in section 158 of the Municipal Act and includes voting on a referendum under section 283 [s. 790.1] of that Act.

2. VOTING DAY REGISTRATION ONLY

(a) As authorized under section 55 of the Municipal Act, registration of electors is hereby limited to registration at the time of voting, including registration at the required and additional advance voting opportunities;

(b) Registration as an elector under paragraph (a) is effective only for the election or other voting for which the voting is being conducted at that time.

3. ADDITIONAL GENERAL VOTING OPPORTUNITIES

In accordance with section 96 of the Municipal Act, the chief election officer is authorized to establish additional general voting opportunities for general voting day for each election or other voting, as required, and to designate the voting places and set the voting hours, within the limits set out in section 96(2) of the Municipal Act, for such voting opportunities.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 567 , cited as the "Regional District of Central Okanagan Election Procedures Bylaw No. 567 , 1993" as adopted by the Regional Board on the 9th day of August , 1993.

Dated at Kelowna, B.C. this
11th day of August , 1993.



Secretary