REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NORTH OKANAGAN

BYLAW No. 2774

A bylaw to provide for the determination of various procedures for the conduct of elections and assent voting.

WHEREAS under the *Local Government Act* the Board may, by bylaw, determine various procedures and requirements to be applied to the conduct of elections and assent voting;

AND WHEREAS the Board wishes to establish voting procedures and requirements under that authority;

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Regional District of North Okanagan in an open meeting assembled, hereby **ENACTS AS FOLLOWS**:

CITATION

1. This Bylaw may be cited as "Election and Assent Voting Bylaw No. 2774, 2018".

VOTING DAY REGISTRATION ONLY

2. As authorized under section 69 of the *Local Government Act*, for all elections and assent voting, a person may register as an elector only at the time of voting. Registration as an elector under this section is effective only for the election or other voting for which the voting is being conducted at that time.

REQUIRED ADVANCE VOTING OPPORTUNITIES

- 3. Pursuant to section 107 [Required advance voting opportunities] of the Local Government Act, the following days are established as advance voting opportunities for elections and assent voting:
 - (a) on the 10th day before general voting day, from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. and
 - (b) on the 3rd day before general voting day, from 8:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m.

ADDITIONAL ADVANCE VOTING OPPORTUNITIES

4. Pursuant to section 108 [Additional general voting opportunities] of the Local Government Act, the Board authorizes the Chief Election Officer to establish additional advance voting opportunities for each election or assent vote held in advance of general voting day and to designate the voting place(s), establish the date(s) and the voting hour(s) for these additional advance voting opportunities.

SPECIAL VOTING OPPORTUNITIES

5. Pursuant to section 109 [Special voting opportunities] of the Local Government Act, the Board authorizes the Chief Election Officer to establish special voting opportunities for each election or assent vote held and to designate the voting place(s), establish the date(s) and the voting hour(s) for these special voting opportunities.

VOTING DIVISIONS

6. Pursuant to section 113 [Muncipal voting divisions] the Board authorizes the Chief Election Officer to establish voting divisions for each assent vote held.

RESOLUTION OF TIE VOTE AFTER JUDICIAL RECOUNT

7. Pursuant to section 151 [Determination of results by lot if tie vote after judicial recount] of the Local Government Act, in the event of a tie vote after a judicial recount, the tie vote will be resolved by conducting a lot.

REPEAL

8. Regional District of North Okanagan Biennial Election By-Law No. 614, 1984 and Regional District of North Okanagan Elections Bylaw No. 1930, 2004 and any amendments thereto are hereby repealed.

Read a First, Second and THIRD Time	this	20th	day of	June, 2018
ADOPTED by 2/3 majority	this	20th	day of	June, 2018

Chair Bob Fleming Corporate Officer Paddy Juniper