

BYLAW NO. 2452

SOUTHERN GULF ISLANDS STORMWATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT EXTENDED SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT BYLAW NO. 1, 1996

Consolidated for Public Convenience (This bylaw is for reference purposes only)

ORIGINALLY ADOPTED FEBRUARY 26, 1997 (Consolidated with Amending Bylaws 4472)

CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 2452

A BYLAW TO ESTABLISH AN EXTENDED SERVICE AREA WITHIN THE SOUTHERN GULF ISLANDS ELECTORAL AREA OF THE CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTROL OF POLLUTION IN STORMWATER RUNOFF

WHEREAS the Regional Board of the Capital Regional District may, by bylaw, establish and operate an extended service under section 789(1)(b) of the *Municipal Act* for control of pollution;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board wishes to establish an extended service for the purpose of controlling pollution in stormwater runoff from land by means of investigation, monitoring and reporting on stormwater quality, sediment quality, near-shore marine waters and discharges to stormwater; prioritization of areas for investigation; public education; coordination of stormwater quality management programs; liaison with other government agencies and other related activities;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board pursuant to section 800(1)(b) of the *Municipal Act* has waived the assent requirement of section 795(2)(a)(i);

AND WHEREAS the Director for the Electoral Area of Southern Gulf Islands pursuant to section 800(2) of the *Municipal Act* has consented in writing to adoption of this Bylaw;

AND WHEREAS the approval of the Inspector of Municipalities is required under Section 795(1)(a) of the *Municipal Act*.

NOW THEREFORE the Regional Board of the Capital Regional District in open meeting assembled ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Extended Service

- (a) The extended service being established, and to be operated is:
 - i. the control of pollution in stormwater runoff from land;
 - ii. watershed assessment, protection and enhancement;
 - iii. groundwater monitoring, assessment, and protection;
 - iv. investigation and implementation of reclaimed water programs; and
 - v. other related activities.

(Bylaw 4472)

- (b) In this bylaw, "stormwater runoff" includes seepage, overland flow and stormwater runoff within ditches, streams, rivers, ponds, lakes and other watercourses.
- (c) In this bylaw, "reclaimed water" means water that is used more than one time before it passes into the natural water cycle. (Bylaw 4472)

2. Service Area

The boundaries of the service area are the boundaries of the Electoral Area of Southern Gulf Islands.

3. Participating Area

The participating area includes all of the Electoral Area of Southern Gulf Islands.

4. Cost Recovery

The annual costs for the Service may be recovered by the following:

- (a) By the requisition of money under Sections 385 and 387 of the *Local Government Act*, to be collected by a property value tax, based on land and improvements levied and collected under Section 386 and 388 of the *Local Government Act*;
- (b) Fees and charges imposed under Section 397 of the Local Government Act;
- (c) Revenues raised by other means authorized under the *Local Government Act* or another Act; or
- (d) Revenues received by agreement, enterprise, gift, grant, or otherwise.

(Bylaw 4472)

5. Maximum Requisition

In accordance with Section 339 of the *Local Government Act*, the maximum amount that may be requisitioned annually for the cost of the Service is the greater of:

- (a) \$47,700.00 or
- (b) A property value tax rate of \$0.0135 Dollars per One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) that, when applied to the net taxable value of land and improvements in the Service Area, will yield the maximum amount that may be requisitioned for the Service.

(Bylaw 4472)

6. This Bylaw may be cited as the "Southern Gulf Islands Stormwater Quality Management Extended Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 1996." (Bylaw 4472)

READ A FIRST TIME THIS	27 th	day of	November	1996
READ A SECOND TIME THIS	27 th	day of	November	1996
READ A THIRD TIME THIS	27 th	day of	November	1996
RECEIVED CONSENT ON BEHALF OF THE ELECTORS UNDER SECTION 800 OF THE MUNICIPAL ACT THIS	27 th	day of	November	1996
APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS	21 st	day of	February	1997
ADOPTED THIS	26 th	day of	February	1997
CHAIRPERSON	SECRETARY			
FILED WITH THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS	6 th	day of	March	1997