

**FRASER VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT
BYLAW NO. 1658, 2022**

**A bylaw to adopt a revised Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area
Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001**

WHEREAS *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001* was adopted by the Fraser Valley Regional District Board of Directors ("the Board") on February 2, 2002;

AND WHEREAS *Fraser Valley Regional District Bylaw Revision Authorization Bylaw No. 1367, 2016* was adopted on March 22, 2016 pursuant to BC Regulation 367/2003. This bylaw authorizes the Board to adopt any revised bylaw, if the revisions are for the purposes described in BC Reg. 367/2003, as if all requirements respecting its adoption had been met, including but not limited to consultation, notification, public hearings, approvals, and consents;

AND WHEREAS the Board deems it necessary to revise Bylaw No. 0468, 2001 to recognize the division of the former Electoral Area E of the Fraser Valley Regional District into Electoral Areas E and H in accordance with Order in Council No. 501, approved and ordered on September 5, 2014 and Letters Patent effective December 17, 2014 issued by the Province of British Columbia;

AND WHEREAS *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001* has been revised and the Corporate Officer has certified that this bylaw has been revised in accordance with Bylaw No. 1367, 2016.

THEREFORE the Board enacts as follows:

1) CITATION

This bylaw may be cited as *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Revision Bylaw No. 1658, 2022*

2) ENACTMENTS

- a) That *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001* be amended by:
 - i. Omitting some of the preamble of the bylaw, including omitting unnecessary and obsolete 'WHEREAS' Statements, removing all references to the repealed Municipal Act and reiterating that former Fraser Valley Regional District Electoral Area H (Sumas Mountain) referenced in Bylaw No. 0468, 2001 has since been annexed to the City of Abbotsford (except for a small portion added to Electoral Area G) and current Electoral Area H (Cultus Lake, Lindell Beach, Columbia Valley) is also included in the service by being a part of Electoral Area E at the time of adoption of Bylaw No. 0468, 2001;

- ii. Modernizing the purpose of the bylaw and the language to reflect current bylaw drafting standards, without changing the substance of the bylaw, to improve the expression of the law;
 - iii. Deleting all references to "Electoral Areas A, B, C, D, E, F, G and H" and replacing them with "all Fraser Valley Regional District Electoral Areas".
- b) That revised *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001* be adopted as attached hereto as Schedule A, forming an integral part of this bylaw.

3) **EFFECTIVE DATE**

The date on which this bylaw revision comes into force is the date of adoption of this bylaw. The effects of the revised bylaw with respect to provisions of all previous bylaws regarding the establishment and amendment of the Mosquito Control Service Area are to be applied pursuant to BC Reg 367/2003.

4) **SEVERABILITY**

If a portion of this bylaw is found invalid by a court, it will be severed and the remainder of the bylaw will remain in effect.

5) **READINGS AND ADOPTION**

REVISED BYLAW CERTIFIED BY CORPORATE OFFICER THIS	23 rd	day of February, 2023
READ A FIRST TIME THIS	23 rd	day of February, 2023
READ A SECOND TIME THIS	23 rd	day of February, 2023
READ A THIRD TIME THIS	23 rd	day of February, 2023
ADOPTED THIS		day of

Chair/Vice-Chair

Corporate Officer/Deputy

6) CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Revision Bylaw No. 1658, 2022* as adopted by the Fraser Valley Regional District Board on .

Dated at Chilliwack, BC on

Corporate Officer/Deputy

FRASER VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT BYLAW NO. 1658, 2022

**Schedule A – Revised Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion,
Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001**

**FRASER VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT
BYLAW NO. 0468, 2001**

A bylaw to convert the Dewdney Alouette Regional District (“DARD”) and Central Fraser Valley Regional District (“CFVRD”) Mosquito Control functions into separate services areas; and to consolidate the CFVRD and DARD Mosquito Control Service Areas with the Regional District of Fraser-Cheam (“RDFC”) Mosquito Abatement Extended Service Area to form one service area

WHEREAS Central Fraser Valley Regional District (“CFVRD”) was granted the mosquito control function pursuant to Supplementary Letters Patent dated April 10, 1975, to include all lands within the City of Abbotsford and Electoral H (Sumas Mountain) of the Fraser Valley Regional District (“FVRD”);

AND WHEREAS Dewdney Alouette Regional District (“DARD”) was granted the mosquito control function pursuant to Supplementary Letters Patent dated January 18, 1973 to include all lands within the City of Mission and FVRD Electoral Areas F, G and portions of C;

AND WHEREAS Regional District of Fraser-Cheam (“RDFC”) established the service of mosquito control by way of *Regional District of Fraser-Cheam Mosquito Abatement Extended Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 1030, 1991* to include all lands within the City of Chilliwack, District of Kent, District of Hope, Village of Harrison Hot Springs and FVRD Electoral Areas D, E and portions of C;

AND WHEREAS the Board of Directors of the Fraser Valley Regional District (“the Board”) wishes to extend the boundaries of the Regional District of Fraser Cheam Mosquito Abatement Service Area to include all of Electoral Areas A, B, and C;

AND WHEREAS the Board wishes to convert the DARD and CFVRD mosquito control functions to Service Areas;

AND WHEREAS the Board wishes to consolidate and merge the DARD, CFVRD and RDFC Mosquito Control Service Areas into one service area, thereby establishing the Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area;

AND WHEREAS consent on behalf of the municipal and electoral participating areas of the Fraser Valley Regional District has been obtained according to the *Local Government Act*;

THEREFORE the Board enacts as follows:

1) CITATION

This bylaw may be cited as *Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001*.

2) ENACTMENTS

- a) The DARD mosquito control function granted pursuant to Supplementary Letters Patent dated January 27, 1976 is hereby converted to and established as a Service Area.
- b) The CFVRD mosquito control function granted pursuant to Supplementary Letters Patent dated January 18, 1973 is hereby converted to and established as a Service Area;
- c) The DARD Mosquito Control Service Area, the CFVRD Mosquito Control Service Area and the RDFC Mosquito Abatement Service Area, as amended, are hereby consolidated and merged into one service area, hereinafter referred to as the Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area.
- d) The boundaries of the Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area shall be the boundaries of the Fraser Valley Regional District.
- e) The participants of the Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area shall be all Fraser Valley Regional District Electoral Areas, the City of Abbotsford, City of Chilliwack, City of Mission, District of Kent, District of Hope and Village of Harrison Hot Springs.
- f) The annual costs for the service established by this bylaw shall be recovered by one or more of the following:
 - i. The requisition of money to be collected by a property value tax;
 - ii. The imposition of fees and other charges that may be fixed by separate bylaw for the purpose of recovering these costs.
- g) The maximum amount that may be requisitioned annually for the service established by this bylaw shall be \$600,000 or an amount equal to that which could be raised by a property value tax rate of \$0.04/\$1000 applied to the net taxable value of the land and improvements within the service area, whichever is greater.

3) REPEAL

Regional District of Fraser Cheam Mosquito Abatement Extended Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 1030, 1991 and all amendments thereto are hereby repealed.

4) READINGS AND ADOPTION

READ A FIRST TIME this	24 th day of November, 2009
READ A SECOND TIME this	24 th day of November, 2009
READ A THIRD TIME this	24 th day of November, 2009
THIRD READING RESCINDED this	23 rd day of February, 2010
RE-READ A THIRD TIME this	23 rd day of February, 2010
APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES this	26 th day of February, 2010
ADOPTED this	3 rd day of March, 2010

I hereby certify that Fraser Valley Regional District Mosquito Control Service Area Conversion, Merger and Establishment Bylaw No. 0468, 2001 has been revised and consolidated in accordance with Fraser Valley Regional District Bylaw Revision Authorization Bylaw No. 1367, 2016.

Dated at Chilliwack, BC on February 23, 2023



Corporate Officer/Deputy