



TERMS OF REFERENCE

FRASER VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT ELECTORAL AREA ADVOCACY COMMITTEE

The Fraser Valley Regional District Electoral Area Advocacy Committee (**FVRD Advocacy Committee**) is a Standing Committee of the Fraser Valley Regional District Board (**FVRD Board**) which acts in an advisory capacity to the FVRD Board. Decisions on matters brought before the Committee rest with the FVRD Board.

Purpose & Objectives

The mandate of the FVRD Advocacy Committee is to:

- Coordinate the development of advocacy strategies on rural electoral area issues
- Make recommendations to the Board on which issues will be championed for advocacy at the annual Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) convention

Membership

Committee members will be appointed by the Chair of the Board and include five members, including the Board Chair and four electoral area directors. Quorum will be a majority of the members of the committee.

The Chair of Electoral Area Advocacy Committee shall be the Electoral Area Services Committee Chair. If the Chair is not present, Electoral Area Advocacy Committee members shall elect a member to Chair the meeting from those Directors in attendance at the meeting.

Staff attendance will include the Chief Administrative Officer, Corporate Officer, and other senior staff when needed.

Frequency of meetings

The FVRD Advocacy Committee will meet at least quarterly, or at the request of the Chair.