

To: Electoral Area Services Committee

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From: Jaime Schween, Manager of Corporate Administration

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Subject: FVRD Electoral Area Commercial Gravel Operations Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 1409, 2018

RECOMMENDATION

THAT the Fraser Valley Regional District Board consider giving three readings to the bylaw cited as *Fraser Valley Regional District Electoral Area Commercial Gravel Operations Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 1409, 2018*.

STRATEGIC AREA(S) OF FOCUS

Provide Responsive & Effective Public Services

Foster a Strong & Diverse Economy

Support Environmental Stewardship

BACKGROUND

In September 2016, the FVRD Board adopted the FVRD Commercial Gravel Operations Bylaw No. 1181, 2014. Bylaw 1181, 2014 regulates commercial gravel operations within the Electoral Areas of the Regional District.

The proposed FVRD Electoral Area Commercial Gravel Operations Service Area Establishment Bylaw will replace the historic service area establishment bylaw to modernize and update the wording to better reflect the purpose of Bylaw No. 1181, 2014.

DISCUSSION

The FVRD currently operates a service area created for the purpose of controlling the deposit and removal of soil, rock, gravel, sand and other substances of which land is composed. With the adoption of Bylaw No. 1181, 2014 Staff are proposing that the FVRD Electoral Area Commercial Gravel Operations Service Area Establishment Bylaw be brought forward as a housekeeping measure to have the Service Area bylaw be more reflective of the wording in Bylaw No. 1181, and in anticipation of the collection of fees established in Bylaw No. 1181, 2014.

CONCLUSION

The FVRD Commercial Gravel Operations Bylaw No. 1181, 2014 was adopted by the Board in September 2016. As a housekeeping measure, the FVRD Electoral Area Commercial Gravel Operations Service Area Establishment Bylaw is being brought forward for the Board's consideration.

COMMENTS BY:

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Reviewed and supported.

Mike Veenbaas, Director of Financial Services

Reviewed and supported.

Paul Gipps, Chief Administrative Officer

Reviewed and supported