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COWICHAN VALLEY REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 2674

**A Bylaw To Establish A Community Parks Service In
The Whole of Electoral Area H – North Oyster/Diamond**

WHEREAS pursuant to Sections 796 and 800 of the *Local Government Act*, a regional district may, by bylaw, establish and operate any service that the board considers necessary or desirable for all or part of the regional district;

AND WHEREAS the Board of the Cowichan Valley Regional District deems it desirable and expedient to establish a Community Parks Service in the whole of Electoral Area H – North Oyster/Diamond to replace the current authority established pursuant to "CVRD Bylaw No. 1336 - Community Parks Service Establishment Bylaw, 1991" because the boundaries of that service area encompass all nine electoral areas;

AND WHEREAS participating area approval for this Bylaw is required and shall be obtained by alternative approval process, in accordance with Section 801.3 of the *Local Government Act*;

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Cowichan Valley Regional District, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. **CITATION**

This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as "**CVRD Bylaw No. 2674 - Electoral Area H Community Parks Service Establishment Bylaw, 2005**".

2. **SERVICE ESTABLISHED**

The service established under the authority of this Bylaw is the service of acquiring, developing, operating and maintaining community parks within Electoral Area H – North Oyster/Diamond. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, this includes:

- a) acquiring and holding land within Electoral Area H for community park purposes;
- b) acquiring all such property as may be requisite or desirable in connection with the development of Electoral Area H community parks; and
- c) to undertake and carry out, or cause to be carried out, the operation and maintenance of all community parks located within Electoral Area H.

3. SERVICE AREA BOUNDARIES

The boundaries of the service area are the whole of Electoral Area H – North Oyster/Diamond.

4. PARTICIPATING AREA

Electoral Area H – North Oyster/Diamond is the only participating area for this service.

5. METHOD OF COST RECOVERY

The annual cost of providing this service shall be recovered by one or more of the following:

- a) by the requisition of money under Section 806 of the *Local Government Act* to be collected by a property value tax to be levied and collected on land and improvements within the service area;
- b) by the imposition of fees and charges to be imposed by bylaw under Section 363 of the *Local Government Act*;
- c) by revenues received by way of agreement, enterprises, gift, grant or otherwise; and
- d) by revenues raised by other means authorized by the *Local Government Act* or another Act.

6. MAXIMUM REQUISITION

The maximum amount of money that may be requisitioned annually in support of this service shall not exceed \$.30 per \$1,000 of net taxable value of land and improvements within the service area.

READ A FIRST TIME this 27th day of July, 2005.

READ A SECOND TIME this 27th day of July, 2005.

READ A THIRD TIME this 27th day of July, 2005.

I hereby certify this to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. 2674 as given Third

Reading on the 27th day of July, 2005.

[Signature]
Secretary

JULY 28, 2005
Date

APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES this

16th day of August 2005.

ADOPTED this 12th day of October, 2005.

[Signature]
Chairperson

[Signature]
Secretary



No. _____

Statutory Approval

Under the provisions of section _____ 801(1)

of the _____ Local Government Act

I hereby approve Bylaw No. _____ 2674

of _____ the Cowichan Valley Regional District ,

a copy of which is attached hereto.

Dated this 16 *day*

of August *, 2005*

Deputy Inspector of Municipalities