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BYLAW NO. 2148

SOUTH GALIANO ISLAND FIRE PROTECTION AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT BYLAW NO. 1, 1993

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

ORIGINALLY ADOPTED JANUARY 12, 1994
(Consolidated with Amending Bylaws 3224, 4010, 4240)

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CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT

BYLAW NO. 2148

A BYLAW TO CONVERT SOUTH GALIANO ISLAND FIRE PROTECTION SPECIFIED AREA, BEING A PORTION OF SOUTH GALIANO ISLAND WITHIN ELECTORAL AREA "G" (SOUTHERN GULF ISLANDS), TO SOUTH GALIANO ISLAND FIRE PROTECTION EMERGENCY RESPONSE LOCAL SERVICE AREA AND TO AMEND THE POWER AS SET OUT IN SOUTH GALIANO SPECIFIED AREA ESTABLISHMENT BYLAW NO. 70, 1970.

WHEREAS the Regional Board of the Capital Regional District may, by bylaw, under Section 767(4) of the *Municipal Act* convert a service provided by the Regional District under a specified area to a Local Service and by the same bylaw amend the power to the extent that it could if the power were in fact exercised under the authority of a bylaw establishing the service provided that the bylaw meets the requirements of Section 794 and is adopted in accordance with Section 802 of the *Municipal Act*;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board did establish by Bylaw No. 70 cited as the "South Galiano Specified Area Establishment Bylaw No. 70, 1970" a service area for the provision of fire protection services for the specified area described in the bylaw within a portion of the Southern Gulf Islands Electoral Area;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board wishes to convert a portion of the said fire protection specified area to a Local Service;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board wishes to add, under the provisions of Section 788(1)(g), of the *Municipal Act* the authority to provide assistance in response to other classes of circumstances specified by bylaw that may cause harm to persons or property;

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. The fire protection service provided within the specified area created under Bylaw 70, cited as "South Galiano Specified Area Establishment Bylaw, 1970" is hereby converted to and established as a Fire Protection and Emergency Response Service within the service area defined in Section 2 and is the service of:
 - (a) fire prevention;
 - (b) fire suppression; and
 - (c) assistance in response to:
 - (i) requests from the Provincial Ambulance Service for extrication of persons from damaged motor vehicles;
 - (ii) requests for assistance in the extrication of persons from damaged buildings, structures, or from situations involving natural hazards;
 - (iii) emergencies where police or ambulance personnel are unavailable or are unable to respond adequately and the equipment and personnel of the department is required to respond to the situation;

in situations where the Fire Chief determines that the personnel and equipment resources of the Fire department are capable of responding to the emergency.

(Bylaw 3224)

2. The boundaries of the Local Service Area established in Section 1 are shown in broken outline on map attached as Schedule "A" and shall be known as the "South Galiano Island Local Service Area".
3. Only a portion of South Galiano Island within Electoral Area "G" (Southern Gulf Islands) is a participating area for this Local Service.
4. The annual costs for the local service, net of grants and other revenues shall be recovered by one or more of the following:
 - (a) by the requisition of money under section 378(1)(a) of the *Local Government Act*;
 - (b) by Parcel Tax under section 378(1)(b) of the *Local Government Act*. (Bylaw 4240)
5. In accordance with section 339(1) of the *Local Government Act*, the maximum amount that may be requisitioned for the Local Service will be the greater of:
 - (a) Four Hundred Seventy Thousand Dollars (\$470,000); or
 - (b) an amount equal to the amount that could be raised by a property value tax rate of \$1.157 per One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000) when applied to the net taxable value of land and improvements in the Service Area. (Bylaw 4240)
6. Notwithstanding Section 2 of the bylaw, the fire department may provide fire suppression and emergency response outside the boundaries of the service area where the Capital Regional District has entered into an agreement for this purpose. (Bylaw 3224)
7. Bylaw No. 70 being the "South Galiano Specified Area Establishment Bylaw No. 70, 1970" is hereby repealed.
8. This Bylaw may be cited as "South Galiano Island Fire Protection and Emergency Response Service Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 1993". (Bylaw 3224)

READ A FIRST TIME THIS 23rd day of June 1993

READ A SECOND TIME THIS 23rd day of June 1993

READ A THIRD TIME THIS 8th day of September 1993

CONSENTED TO BY THE DIRECTOR FOR THE ELECTORAL AREA OF SOUTHERN GULF ISLANDS

APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS 2nd day of December 1993

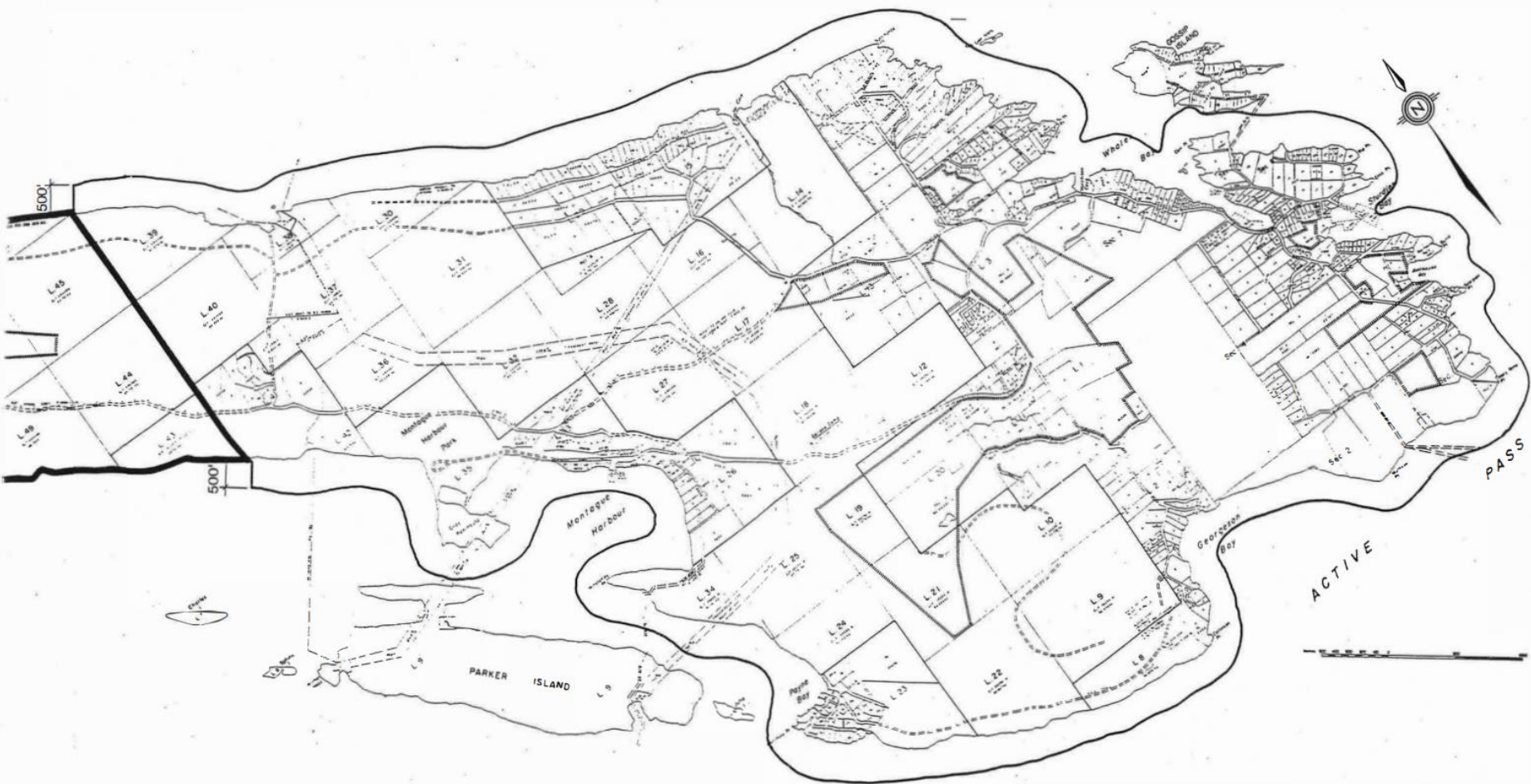
RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED THIS 12th day of January 1994

Original Signed by FRANK LEONARD
Chairperson

Original Signed by WILLIAM M. JORDAN
Secretary

FILED WITH THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS 18th day of January 1994

SCHEDULE A



SOUTH GALJANO ISLAND
LOCAL SERVICE AREA