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## **BYLAW NO. 2725**

### **SALT SPRING ISLAND PUBLIC LIBRARY LOCAL SERVICE AREA ESTABLISHMENT BYLAW NO. 1, 1999**

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

ORIGINALLY ADOPTED NOVEMBER 24, 1999  
(Consolidated with Amending Bylaws 3307, 3612)

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**CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT  
BYLAW NO. 2725**

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**A BYLAW TO ESTABLISH THE OPERATION OF THE SALT SPRING ISLAND  
PUBLIC LIBRARY AS A LOCAL SERVICE**

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WHEREAS:

- A. A Regional District may, by bylaw, establish a local service under Section 798(1)(o) of the *Municipal Act* for purposes of contributing to the cost of library service provided by a municipal library or a public library association;
- B. The Board of the Capital Regional District wishes to establish a service for the purpose of contributing to the cost of the library service, acquiring land and buildings, and operating facilities for the Salt Spring Island Public Library on Salt Spring Island, British Columbia;  

*(Bylaw 3307)*
- C. The Salt Spring Island Public Library Association is a Public Library Association under Section 31 of the *Library Act*, R.S.B.C. 1996, c.264.
- D. The approval of the Inspector of Municipalities is required under Section 807(1)(a) of the *Municipal Act*;
- E. The Regional Board has obtained the assent of the electors in the Electoral Area of Salt Spring Island under Section 808 of the *Municipal Act*.

NOW THEREFORE the Regional Board of the Capital Regional District, in open meeting assembled, ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

**Local Service**

- 1. The Capital Regional District hereby establishes a service for the purpose of contributing to the cost of the library service, acquiring land and buildings, and operating facilities for the Salt Spring Island Public Library Service on Salt Spring Island, British Columbia;  

*(Bylaw 3307)*

**Boundaries**

- 2. The boundaries of the Local Service Area shall be coterminous with the boundaries of the Electoral Area of Salt Spring Island.

**Participating Areas**

- 3. Only the Electoral Area of Salt Spring Island is a participating area for this Local Service.

**Cost Recovery**

- 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) the requisition of money under section 823 of the *Municipal Act* to be collected by a property value tax to be levied and collected under section 825(1) of the *Municipal Act*;
  - (b) the requisition of money under Section 823 of the *Municipal Act* to be collected by the

imposition of a parcel tax imposed under section 825(2) of the *Municipal Act*; and

(c) the imposition of fees and other charges that may be fixed by separate bylaw.

### **Maximum Requisition**

5. The maximum amount that may be requisitioned under Section 800.1(e) of the *Local Government Act* for the annual cost of the local service will be the greater of:

(a) \$600,000 Dollars; OR

(b) An amount equal to the amount that could be raised by a property value tax of \$0.186 per one thousand dollars (\$1,000) which when applied to the net taxable value of lands and improvements within the Local Service Area will yield the maximum amount that may be requisitioned under Section 806.1.

(Bylaw 3612)

### **Expenditures**

6. Contributions to the cost of the library service shall be used for annual operating expenditures which may include expenditures for maintaining, equipping and operating the Salt Spring Island Public Library.

### **Apportionment**

7. No apportionment of costs is necessary because there is only one participating area.

### **Citation**

8. This Bylaw may be cited as "Salt Spring Island Public Library Local Service Area Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 1999".

READ A FIRST TIME THIS	8 <sup>th</sup>	day of	September	1999
READ A SECOND TIME THIS	8 <sup>th</sup>	day of	September	1999
READ A THIRD TIME THIS	8 <sup>th</sup>	day of	September	1999
APPROVED BY THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS	15 <sup>th</sup>	day of	October	1999
RECEIVED THE ASSENT OF THE ELECTORS OF THE ELECTORAL AREA OF SALT SPRING ISLAND UNDER SECTION 808 OF THE <i>MUNICIPAL ACT</i> THIS	20 <sup>th</sup>	day of	November	1999
ADOPTED THIS	24 <sup>th</sup>	day of	November	1999

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CHAIR

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SECRETARY

FILED WITH THE INSPECTOR OF MUNICIPALITIES THIS	26 <sup>th</sup>	day of	November	1999
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