

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF CRANBROOK

ELECTOR RESPONSE FORM – ALTERNATIVE APPROVAL PROCESS

NOTICE TO PETITIONERS

To be eligible to sign an Elector Response Form opposing the City borrowing \$10,000,000 to fund the 2017 Capital Road Program which includes upgrading the roads and renewing the underlying water and sewer infrastructure, you must be qualified as an elector within the City of Cranbrook. Please refer to the qualifications for electors (resident and non-resident property electors) listed on the back of this form.

Pursuant to the *Community Charter*, I certify that I am a person qualified as an Elector (pursuant to the *Local Government Act*) within the City of Cranbrook, that I have not previously signed an Elector Response Form with respect to this Bylaw and I am **OPPOSED** to Council adopting the “2017 Capital Road Program Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 3862, 2016”, which authorizes the borrowing of up to ten million (\$10,000,000) dollars to be repaid over a period not exceeding 20 years for the purpose of upgrading roads and renewing the underlying water and sewer infrastructure, without first obtaining the assent of the majority of electors by voting.

Name of Elector

(please print) FIRST

MIDDLE

SURNAME

Signature

Residential Address

Date

To be completed by Non-Resident Property Electors only

I am qualified as a non-resident property elector as an owner of the property legally described as:

- Elector Response Forms may be returned **by mail or delivered in person**, Monday through Friday, between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm, excluding statutory holidays to:

Corporation of the City of Cranbrook

City Hall

40 – 10th Avenue South

Cranbrook, BC V1C 2M8

Attention: Maryse Leroux, Director of Corporate Services

- Elector Response Forms returned **MUST** bear an original signature of the qualified elector submitting the form.
- The full name of the elector and the residential address must be stated.
- A person must not sign more than one Elector Response Form in relation to the same alternative approval process.
- A person who is not an elector for the area of the alternative approval process must not sign an Elector Response Form.
- This Elector Response Form **MUST** be returned to Maryse Leroux, Director of Corporate Services at City Hall, **ON OR BEFORE 4:30 PM, OCTOBER 31, 2016**. Elector Response Forms must be in the possession of the Director of Corporate Services on the deadline. Postmarks **WILL NOT** be accepted as date of submission. **Elector Response Forms MAY NOT BE RETURNED BY FAX OR EMAIL.**

- The municipal Council may proceed with the adoption of the “2017 Capital Roads Program Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 3862, 2016” unless one thousand four hundred ninety-nine (1,499) electors submit a completed copy of this Elector Response Form to the City of Cranbrook by the deadline.

Qualifications for Electors

RESIDENT ELECTORS:

- age 18 or older; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately before submission of the Elector Response Form; and
- a resident of the City of Cranbrook for which the vote is taking place for at least 30 days immediately before submission of the Elector Response Form (per section 52 of *Local Government Act*); and
- not disqualified by any enactment from voting in an election or otherwise disqualified by law.

NON-RESIDENT PROPERTY ELECTORS:

- age 18 or older; and
- a Canadian citizen; and
- a resident of British Columbia for at least 6 months immediately prior to submission of the Elector Response Form; and
- a registered owner of real property in the City of Cranbrook for which the vote is taking place for at least 30 days immediately before submission of the Elector Response Form; and
- the only persons who are registered owners of the real property, either as joint tenants or tenants in common, are individuals who are not holding the property in trust for a corporation or another trust; and
- not entitled to register as a resident elector in the jurisdiction of the Corporation of the City of Cranbrook for which the vote is taking place; and
- not disqualified by any enactment from voting in an election or otherwise disqualified by law; and
- **if there is more than one registered owner of the property (either as joint tenants or tenants in common), only one of those individuals may, with the written consent of the majority of the owners, register as a non-resident property elector; and**
- **a person may only register as a non-resident property elector in relation to one parcel of real property in a jurisdiction.**

NOTE: No corporation is entitled to be registered as an elector or have a representative registered as an elector and no corporation is entitled to vote.