

**SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 75 (Mission)**

**TRUSTEE ELECTIONS BYLAW**

**BYLAW No. 2022-3**

A Bylaw of THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 75 (Mission), in accordance with the *School Act*, to establish various procedures and requirements to be applied in the conduct of general school elections and other trustee elections.

Whereas in School District #75 (Mission) trustee elections are held in the following trustee electoral areas:

<b>Trustee Electoral Area</b>	<b>Trustee Electoral Area Description</b>	<b>Number of Trustees</b>
#1 (City)	Municipality of the City of Mission	Four
#2 (FVRD)	Electoral Areas F, G, and a portion of Area C of the Fraser Valley Regional District	One

Therefore, the Board, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

**1. Definitions:**

The terms used in this bylaw shall have the meanings assigned by the *School Act*, the *Local Government Act*, and the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*, except as the context indicates otherwise.

“Board” means the Board of Education of School District No.75 (Mission)

“by-election” means a trustee election to fill a vacancy on the Board in any of the circumstances described in section 36 of the *School Act*.

“election” means a trustee election.

“Regional District” means the Fraser Valley Regional District.

**2. Application**

(a) This bylaw applies to both general school elections and by-elections, except as otherwise indicated in this bylaw.

**3. Application of Local Government Bylaws**

(a) In Trustee Electoral Area #1 (City) the election bylaws of the Municipality of the City of Mission apply to trustee elections conducted by the Municipality of the City of Mission, except for bylaws determining the minimum number of nominators, the order of names on the ballot, the resolution of tie votes after judicial recount, requiring a nomination deposit, or any other matter on which the local government bylaws may not by law apply to a trustee election.

(b) In Trustee Electoral Area #2 (FVRD) the election bylaws of the Regional District apply to trustee elections conducted by the Regional District, except for bylaws determining the minimum number of nominators, the order of names on the ballot, the resolution of tie votes after judicial recount, requiring a nomination deposit, or any other matter on which the local government bylaws may not by law apply to a trustee election.

**4. Resolution of Tie Vote after Judicial Recount**

(a) In the event of a tie vote after a judicial recount, the tie vote will be resolved by lot in accordance with the *Local Government Act*.

**5. Title:**

This bylaw may be cited as School District No.75 (Mission) Trustee Elections Bylaw No. 2022-3.

**6. Repeal**

School District No 75 (Mission) Trustee Elections Bylaw No 2018-4 is hereby repealed.

READ A FIRST TIME THE 17<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2022;

READ A SECOND TIME THE 17<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2022;

READ A THIRD TIME, PASSED AND ADOPTED THE 17<sup>th</sup> DAY OF MAY 2022.

Original signed by T. Loffler

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Chairperson of the Board

Original signed by C. Becker

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Secretary Treasurer