

Synopsis of Bylaw No. 4507, “Salt Spring Island Local Community Commission Establishment Bylaw No. 1, 2022”

Bylaw No. 4507 would establish Salt Spring Island as a local community governed by a “local community commission” or “LCC”, a body of elected officials with the authority to administer a scope of Salt Spring Island-specific services in place of the Capital Regional District Board or other CRD commissions. The proposed LCC is made up of four individuals elected by the Salt Spring Island electors, as well as the Electoral Area Director. The individuals are elected on a general voting day, typically the same as that of the Electoral Area Director, and hold office for a similar term.

The proposed services which the LCC would oversee and advise on are as follows:

- Economic development;
- Island-wide wastewater disposal;
- Community parks and recreation;
- Pool facility
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- Small craft harbour facilities (Fernwood Dock);
- Transit and Transportation services;
- Street lighting;
- Grants-in-aid;
- Compensation for livestock injury by dogs;
- Salt Spring Island arts, public library, and search and rescue contribution services.

Please note that this synopsis of Bylaw No. 4507 is not intended to be or understood as an interpretation of the bylaw. A copy of the complete bylaw and this notice may be viewed at CRD’s Salt Spring Island Administration Office, 108-121 McPhillips Avenue, or at CRD’s Victoria Office, 625 Fisgard Street. The bylaw and other information may also be viewed at www.crd.bc.ca.