

**City of Fort St. John
Elector Response Form**

By completing this elector response form I oppose Fort St. John City Council's intention to adopt RCMP Detachment Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 2515, 2020 which authorizes the borrowing of up to \$22,759,713 to be repaid over a period not exceeding 20 years in order to finance the construction costs for the new RCMP Detachment, unless a vote is held.

Full name of elector _____
(Please Print - e.g. Donald Smith - not D. Smith)

Signature _____

Address _____

Choose one: I am a resident elector (see reverse for eligibility requirements)
 I am a non-resident property elector who lives in another community and owns property in the jurisdiction located at: _____ (address)
(see reverse for additional eligibility requirements)

The deadline for submitting this elector response form to the City of Fort St. John is 4:30 pm on Monday, June 8, 2020.

This form can be mailed or dropped off to:
City of Fort St. John
10631 – 100 Street
Fort St. John, BC V1J 3Z5
Attention: Janet Prestley, Director of Legislative and Administrative Services

Sent by email to: legislativeservices@fortstjohn.ca

If submitting this form to the City of Fort St. John by facsimile (250) 787-8181, please ensure that the transmission was completed.

Fort St. John City Council may proceed with the adoption of RCMP Detachment Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 2515, 2020 unless 1,557 electors sign and submit a completed copy of this elector response form to the local government by the deadline.

A person must not sign more than one elector response form in relation to this alternative approval process.

Additional information can be found on the reverse side of this form about the subject of this alternative approval process as well as the elector qualifications.

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RCMP Detachment Capital Project Information Sheet

The Fort St. John City Council intends to adopt "RCMP Detachment Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 2515, 2020". The purpose of the bylaw is to borrow an amount not to exceed \$ 22,759,713 to finance the cost of the construction for the new RCMP Detachment that will be repaid over a period not to exceed 20 years. The borrowing will not result in a tax increase for residential properties and will be repaid using the RCMP's lease payments for their portion of the building.

A copy of RCMP Detachment Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 2515, 2020 and a report summarizing the project is available from City Hall during each business day of the week between 8:30 am and 4:30 pm. Additional information regarding the construction project can be viewed on the City's website or by contacting Janet Prestley, Director of Legislative and Administrative Services at (250) 787-8153 or by email at jprestley@fortstjohn.ca.

Additional Information About Elector Eligibility

In order to sign an elector response form in relation to the alternative approval process, a person must either be a resident elector or a non-resident property elector.

A **resident elector** is an individual who is entitled to sign an elector response form during an AAP by virtue of living within that jurisdiction. When signing an elector response form, a resident elector must:

- be 18 years of age or older;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- have lived in British Columbia for at least six months;
- have lived in the jurisdiction (e.g. municipality or electoral area) for at least 30 days;
- live in the area defined for the AAP; and,
- not be disqualified under the Local Government Act, or any other enactment from voting in a local election, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

A **non-resident property elector** is an individual that does not live in a jurisdiction and who is entitled to sign an elector response form during an AAP by virtue of owning property in that jurisdiction. When signing an elector response form, a non-resident property elector must:

- be at least 18 years of age;
- be a Canadian citizen;
- have lived in British Columbia for at least six months;
- have owned property in the jurisdiction (e.g. municipality or electoral area) for at least 30 days;
- own property in the area defined for the AAP; and,
- not be disqualified under the Local Government Act, or any other enactment from voting in a local election, or be otherwise disqualified by law.

Note: Only one non-resident property elector may sign an elector response form per property, regardless of how many people own the property; and, that owner must have the written consent of a majority of the other property owner(s) to sign the response form on their behalf. **Property owned in whole or in part by a corporation does not qualify under the non-resident property elector provisions.**