FAQ and INFORMATION SHEET FOR

PETITION Updatde March 8th 2024

How do I receive the petition?

- The Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD) sends a copy of the petition to registered property owners via Canada Post.
- Blank petition forms will also be available at Kicking Horse Mountain Resort guest services office and Resorts of the Canadian Rockies offices on 17th Ave SW in Calgary.

What if my mailing address is different from my property address?

- Petitions are mailed to the registered property owner(s) based on BC Assessment data.
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How do I obtain my property legal description for the petition?

 Refer to your current Tax Notice, Assessment Notice or Certificate of Title to obtain the legal description of your property for the petition.

Who can sign the petition?

- Only registered owners of property within the proposed service area may sign the petition.
- For properties owned by multiple owners, the majority of owners must sign the petition to be valid.
- For properties owned by a corporation, the corporation must provide a directors list or company search and the majority of directors must sign the petition to be valid.

How do I return the petition?

- Petitions must be RECEIVED at the office of the Columbia Shuswap Regional District by the closing date on the petition. Completed petitions (photo, pdf, jpeg) will also be accepted by email to corpadmin@csrd.bc.ca.
- Alternatively, Kicking Horse Mountain Resort is offering to submit completed petitions on behalf of the property owner(s). Please visit guest services for more information.

When will the petition start and what will be the duration of the petition?

- The petition was launched on February 21, 2024.
- The duration of the petition will be 60 days, ending on April 22, 2024.

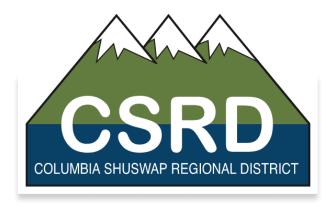
How many petitions must be submitted for this service to be considered?

 The CSRD Board may consider a request for service if staff receive completed and valid petitions from 50% of the properties within the proposed service area WHICH MUST have a combined assessment equal to 50% of the total assessment for the service proposed area.

What if I am not in support of the service?

• Do not complete the petition.

Information provided by:







COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT

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February 21, 2024

Dear Property Owner:

RE: Kicking Horse Mountain Resort Fire Service Establishment Petition

The Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD) has engaged with staff from the Resorts of the Canadian Rockies, owners of the Kicking Horse Mountain Resort (Resort), as well as the Town of Golden, to create a potential partnership in the delivery of a fire suppression service to the property owners of the Resort.

Please find enclosed a formal petition that must be submitted to the CSRD if you are in favour of the service area to include your property.

A successful formal petition process requires that completed petitions be signed by the owners of at least 50% of the properties within the proposed service area and those owners must also represent at least 50% of the net taxable value of all land and improvements within the proposed service area. Submission instructions are outlined on the petition document. Please be sure to:

- Include the correct legal property description on the petition, which can be found on your Property Assessment or Property Tax Notice.
- Ensure the majority of the owners on the property title have signed the petition.
- Ensure both pages of the petition document are returned if submission is made by email.

Completed petitions must be received at the CSRD main office no later than 4 PM PT on Monday, April 22, 2024.

If you are not in favour of the service, there is nothing further you are required to do.

If you have any questions relating to this proposed service establishment and formal petition process, please email corpadmin@csrd.bc.ca.

Yours truly.

COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT

Per:

Jennifer Sham

General Manager, Corporate Services

Encl.

cc: Karen Cathcart, Electoral Area A Director

I/We, the undersigned, hereby petition the Columbia Shuswap Regional District in accordance with Section 337 of the Local Government Act to ESTABLISH a service area within Electoral Area A for the purpose of fire suppression service.

It is understood that all parcels included within the service area will be subject to a property tax levy for the service. The boundaries of the proposed service area are as detailed on the reverse of this petition. The annual cost for the service shall be recovered by a property value tax on land and improvements. For further information on costs, see tax implications on reverse of this petition.

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NAME (please print clearly)	SIGNATURE	LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF PARCEL(S)	CIVIC ADDRESS OF PARCEL (S)

NOTE: This petition **must be RECEIVED** at the office of the Columbia Shuswap Regional District, 555 Harbourfront Drive, PO Box 978, Salmon Arm, BC, V1E 4P1 by **4 PM PT, Monday, April 22, 2024.** Completed petitions will also be accepted by email to corpadmin@csrd.bc.ca before the deadline. **Please return both pages of the petition document.**

DATA SHEET

The proposed service area is described as the "Kicking Horse Mountain Resort Fire Service Area". The boundaries of the proposed service area are as detailed on the map below.



TAX IMPLICATIONS

The proposal to establish the Kicking Horse Mountain Resort Fire Service Area would have the following effect on **RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY** taxation:

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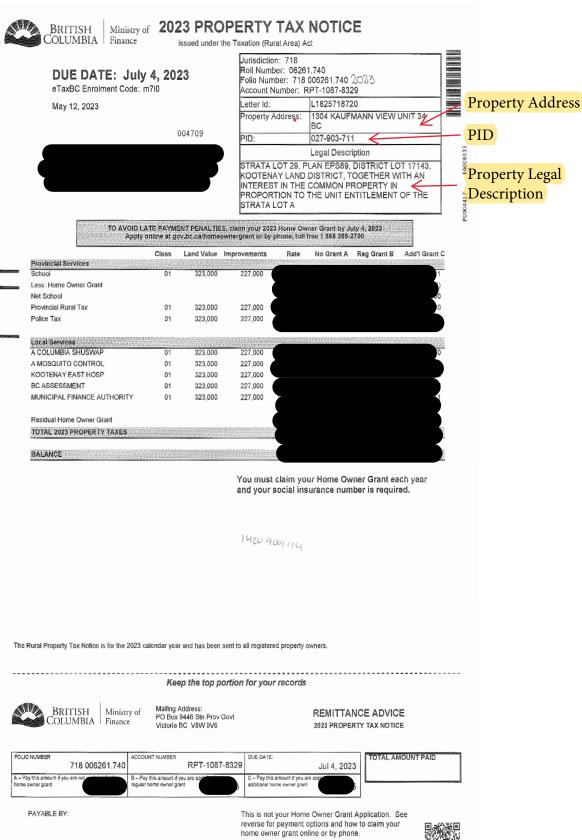
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Estimated residential rate in Year 5 is estimated to be \$0.8191/\$1,000 at this time. Both rates are subject to change. The 2025 final rate will be determined by the Rural Property Taxation Branch in spring 2025.

If you have any questions, please email corpadmin@csrd.bc.ca.

Example Property Tax Notice, highlighting required information



PAPER APPLICATIONS ARE NOT AVAILABLE

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KICKING HORSE MOUNTAIN DEVELOPMENT CORP 1505 17 AVE SW CALGARY AB T2T 0E2



Example of completed Petition - send both pages

Kicking Horse Mountain Resort Fire Service Establishment Bylaw No. 5813, 2020

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