

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF OKANAGAN-SIMILKAMEEN

Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Bylaw No. 2519, 2011

Consolidated for convenience purposes.
Includes all amendments to the text up to:
December 21, 2023

Summary of Amendments

Bylaw No.	Adopted	Amendment	Purpose
2519.01	May 21, 2015	Housekeeping amendments	Included removal of Maximum Fee Schedule (moved to Fees and Charges bylaw)
2519.02	December 21, 2023	Update the designation of FOI Head and remove reference to Coordinator	Amend subsection 2.1; delete subsection 2.2; amend subsection 2.3; delete section 3

REGIONAL DISTRICT OF OKANAGAN-SIMILKAMEEN

BYLAW NO. 2519, 2011

A bylaw for the administration of the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*.

WHEREAS, the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 165, as amended, requires that a local government, by bylaw:

- (a) must designate a person or group of persons as the Head of the regional district for the purposes of the *Act*;
- (b) may authorize any person to perform any duty or exercise any function under the *Act* as head of the regional district; and
- (c) may set any fees the regional district requires to be paid for providing the services described in section 75 of the *Act*.

NOW THEREFORE the Regional Board of the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1.0 DEFINITIONS AND INTERPRETATION¹

1.1 The definitions contained in Part 1 of the *Act* shall apply to this bylaw except where the context requires otherwise.

1.2 In this bylaw:

"Act" means the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act*, RSBC 1996, Chapter 165;

"Board" means the Board of the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen

"Coordinator" means the person designated in section 2.2 as the Information and Privacy Coordinator.

"Head" means the person designated as the Head of the Regional District under section 2 of this Bylaw.

"Regional District" means the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen.

"Request" means a request under section 5 of the *Act*.

¹ Bylaw No. 2519.01, 2015 adopted May 21, 2015

2.0 ADMINISTRATION

2.1 The Corporate Officer is designated as Head for the purposes of the Act;²

2.2 For the purposes of the Act, the Head shall act in their capacity for all regional district boards, fire departments², commissions and committees of the Regional District.³

3.0 FEES

An applicant making a request shall pay to the Regional District the fees set out in the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen Fees and Charges Bylaw for the purpose of:

- (a) locating, retrieving and producing the record;
- (b) preparing the record for disclosure;
- (c) shipping and handling the record;
- (d) providing a copy of the record.

4.0 REPEALS

Bylaw No. 1538, 1994 is hereby repealed.

5.0 CITATION

This bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the "Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Bylaw No. 2519, 2011".

READ A FIRST, SECOND AND THIRD TIME this 17th day of November, 2011.

ADOPTED BY 2/3 OF THE VOTE this 17th day of November, 2011.

Chairman

Chief Administrative Officer

2 Bylaw No. 2519.02, 2023 adopted December 21, 2023

3 Bylaw No. 2519.02, 2023