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ELECTOR RESPONSE FORM – ALTERNATIVE APPROVAL PROCESS

PRINCE GEORGE AQUATIC CENTRE MECHANICAL AND BUILDING ENVELOPE UPGRADE PHASES 1A, 1B, 2, 3 AND 4 LOAN AUTHORIZATION BYLAW NO. 9468, 2024

By completing this elector response form I <u>oppose</u> the municipal council's intention to adopt **Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical and Building Envelope Upgrade Phases 1a, 1b, 2, 3 and 4 Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 9468, 2024,** which authorizes the borrowing not to exceed the sum of twenty-two million one hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$22,150,000) to be repaid over a period not exceeding twenty (20) years, in order to finance the cost of the **Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical and Building Envelope Upgrade** as described on page 2 of this form, unless a referendum vote is held.

Full name of e	elector:	
		(Please print)
Signature of e	elector:	
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Choose one:		I am a resident elector (see page 2 for eligibility requirements)
		I am a non-resident property elector who lives in another community but who owns property i the City of Prince George located at:
		(Address of Property, including postal code)
		(see page 2 for additional eligibility requirements)

The deadline for submitting this elector response form to the City of Prince George is <u>5:00 p.m. on Tuesday</u>, <u>August 9, 2024</u>. In order for this elector response form to be considered, all three (3) pages of this elector response form package must be submitted.

Electors may submit this form by hand delivery, by mail, by facsimile (fax), or by email as a PDF document attachment, as follows.

Address for delivery or mail:	Attention: Corporate Officer City of Prince George Legislative Services Division 5 th Floor - 1100 Patricia Blvd. Prince George, BC V2L 3V9	
Facsimile (fax) number:	(250) 561-0183	

PDF submission email address: <u>cityclerk@princegeorge.ca</u>

If submitting this form to the City of Prince George by facsimile (fax) or by email as a PDF document attachment, then please ensure that the transmission was completed.

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The municipal council may proceed with the adoption of **Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical and Building Envelope Upgrade Phases 1a, 1b, 2, 3 and 4 Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 9468, 2024**, unless five thousand, five hundred and twelve (5,512) electors submit a completed copy of this elector response form to the City of Prince George by the deadline established. **A person may not sign more than one elector response form in relation to this alternative approval process.** Additional information can be found below about the subject of this alternative approval process, as well as the elector qualifications.

Additional information about Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical and Building Envelope Upgrade Phases 1a, 1b, 2, 3 and 4 Loan Authorization Bylaw No. 9468, 2024:

Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical and Building Envelope Upgrade Phases 1a, 1b, 2, 3 and 4 is a component renewal and upgrade project that will incorporate the additional phases to Project #3108 Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical & Building Envelope Upgrades to extend its useful service life and includes improving energy efficiency, lowering operating costs, bringing asset up to current code. The project will include the following works to reduce energy consumption and greenhouse gas emissions and increase the building life expectancy with increased insulation, triple glazed windows and durable metal cladding systems. Repairs to the structural steel/columns and dive tank sparger system. Replacement of main entry soffits, curtain wall and air handling units cooling coils. Addition of energy recovery on air handling units. Replacement of health/life safety items including deck, lobby and visitor area tile, handrails, plumbing fixtures, fire alarm system and sprinkler heads. Replacement of moveable bulkheads, change room tiles, overhead and underwater light fixtures and emergency system lighting, in addition to interior repainting, hydronic piping reconfiguration, increased access controls, accessibility improvements, and reconfigured reception desk.

The project is to address immediate and upcoming facility asset reinvestment; to condense the number of interruptions to facility users and events; meet current code requirements, improve energy efficiencies; reduce greenhouse gas emissions; extend the expected useful service life further; and consider life cycle operational cost savings.

The interest rate on Bylaw No. 9468 assumes an interest rate of 4.87%. All loan agreements will be for a term no longer than twenty (20) years.

Capital Plan	Project	Project Description	Cost of Project
Project #			
3108	Prince George Aquatic Centre Mechanical	The project works for	\$22,150,000
	and Building Envelope Upgrade Phases 1a, 1b,	mechanical and	
	2, 3 and 4	building envelope	
		upgrade to extend its	
		useful service life and	
		includes improving	
		energy efficiency,	
		lowering operating	
		costs, and bringing	
		asset up to current	
		code.	

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Additional information about elector eligibility:

In order to sign this elector response form a person must either be a resident elector or a non-resident property elector (not both).

A **resident elector** is an individual who is qualified to vote in a jurisdiction by virtue of living in the jurisdiction. To sign this elector response form as a resident elector a person must:

- be a Canadian citizen;
- be at least 18 years of age;
- have lived in British Columbia for at least the last six (6) months; and
- live within the City of Prince George.

A **non-resident property elector** is an individual who does not live in a jurisdiction but is entitled to vote in an election there by virtue of owning property in that jurisdiction. To sign this elector response form as a non-resident property elector a person must:

- be a Canadian citizen;
- be at least 18 years of age;
- have lived in British Columbia for at least the last six (6) months; and
- have been a registered owner of property within the City of Prince George for at least the last thirty (30) days.

Note that if a property is owned by more than one individual, only one of them may sign an elector response form. If a property is owned by more than one individual, then the person signing this elector response form declares that they have received the written consent of the majority of the property owners to sign and submit this elector response form. No individual is eligible to sign this elector response form in relation to property owned through or in conjunction with a corporation.

For more information on the above elector qualifications, please see the Voter's Guide, available from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing or its website at:

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/british-columbians-our-governments/local-governments/governancepowers/voter_guide_english.pdf

Important Notice: The personal information on this form is collected by the City of Prince George for the purposes of conducting an alternative approval process, under the authority of sections 26(c) and 26 (d) of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act. If you have any questions about the collection of your personal information, please contact the Corporate Officer, at 1100 Patricia Boulevard, Prince George, BC, or by telephone 250-561-7600.