# Have Your Say.

# Notice of Public Hearing

### Thursday May 2, 2024 | 6:00 pm

### Learn more.

Review the proposed land use bylaw amendment from April 18, 2024 - May 2, 2024.

**Online:** rdck.ca/landuseapplications

In Person: RDCK Office, 202 Lakeside Drive, Nelson, BC

Mon - Fri: 8:30 am - 4:30 pm

(Closed for lunch 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm)

### Tell us what you think.

Make a verbal submission at the public hearing or send a written submission before 4:00 pm on May 2, 2024.\*

### Attend a public hearing.

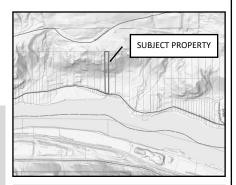
**Online:** Via Webex | Email zgiacomazzo@rdck.bc.ca

for an emailed access invitation.

**Phone:** 1.604.449.3026 | Code: 2771 382 7620 **In Person:** Castlegar District Community Complex - Columbia Room (2101 6th Avenue, Castlegar, BC)

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\*All written submissions are public information pursuant to the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.



**From:** Rural Residential (R3/RR) **To:** Country Residential (R2/CR1)

### **Location and Legal Description:**

4135 Broadwater Road, Robson, Electoral Area 'I'

LOT 1 DISTRICT LOT 4599 KOOTENAY DISTRICT PLAN NEP79219 (PID: 026-447-185)

**Bylaw 2801** Being a bylaw to amend Kootenay-Columbia Rivers Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 1157, 1996 from Rural Residential (RR) to Country Residential '1' (CR1).

**Bylaw 2802** Being a bylaw to amend Regional District of Central Kootenay Zoning Bylaw No. 1675, 2004 from Rural Residential (R3) to Country Residential (R2).



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### REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL KOOTENAY BOX 590, 202 Lakeside Drive, NELSON, BC V1L 5R4

ph: 250-352-8165 fax:: 250-352-9300 email: rdck@rdck.bc.ca

**RDCK Planning File No. Z2106J** Amendment to OCP Bylaw No. 1157, 1996 Amendment to Zoning Bylaw No. 1675, 2004 Date: July 8, 2021

You are requested to comment on the attached Amendment Bylaw(s) for potential effect on your agency's interests. We would appreciate your response WITHIN 30 DAYS (PRIOR TO August 8, 2021). If no response is received within that time, it will be assumed that your agency's interests are unaffected. This referral notice has also been provided to adjacent property owners within 100 metres (328 feet) or greater of the subject property for review and comment.

**PURPOSE OF THE BYLAW:** To amend the Official Community Plan land use designation from Rural Residential to Country Residential

One and to rezone subject property from			-	
amendments to remedy a non-conforming dwelling unit on the subject property. The intent is to remedy this non-conformity to				
allow for two dwellings units to be sited on the subject property. The site is located south of Keenleyside Dam in an area surrounded				
by rural residential parcels. A small portion of the forward section of the lot falls within a non-standard flooding erosion area and				
Clearwater flood hazard priority.				
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(026-447-185)				
AREA OF PROPERTY AFFECTED ALR ST	ATUS ZONI	NG DESIGNATION	OCP DESIGNATION	
2.1 hectares N/A	Rural	Residential (R3)	Rural Residential (RR)	
APPLICANT/AGENT:				
DANIEL & FAITH SONNTAG				
OTHER INFORMATION: ADVISORY PLAN	INING COMMISSION PLEASE NO	TE:		
If your Advisory Planning Commission pl	ans to hold a meeting to discus	s this Bylaw Amendment	t application, please note that the	
applicants must be provided with an opp	ortunity to attend such meeting	in accordance with Secti	on 461, subsection (8) of the <i>Local</i>	
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RETURN TO: STEPHANIE JOHNSON PLANNER, RPP MCIP

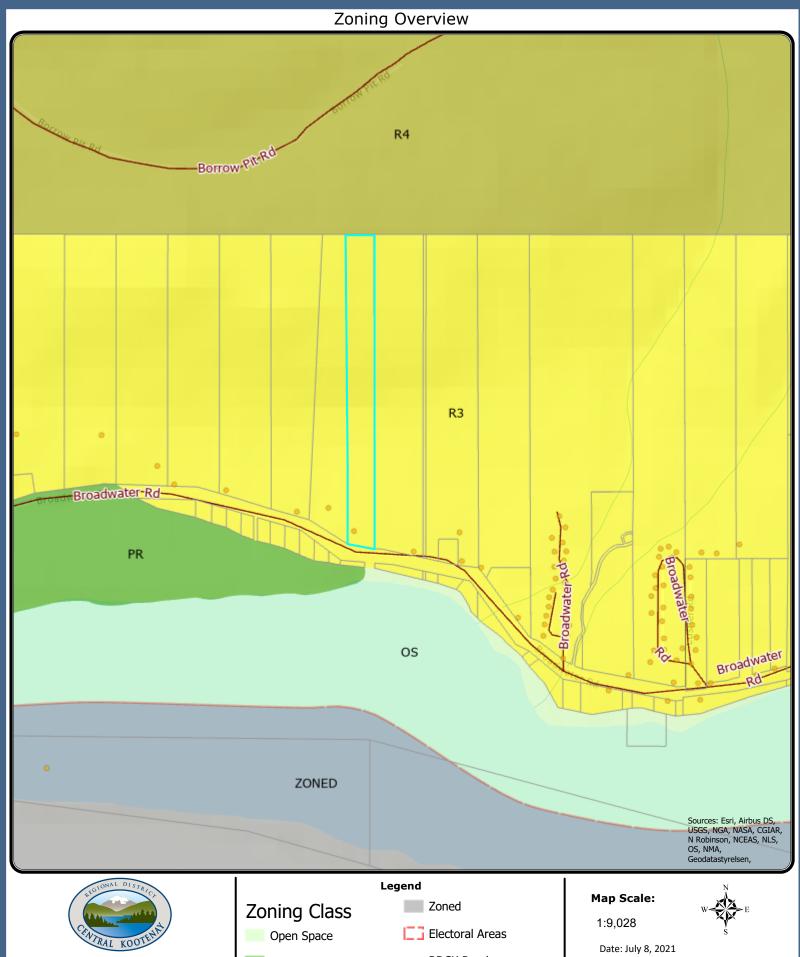
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# Zoning Class Open Space Parks and Recreation Residential 3 Residential 4 Zoned Electoral Areas Cadastre Civic Address

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# Air Photo



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### Legend

Electoral Areas

— RDCK Roads

Cadastre

Civic Address

### Map Scale:

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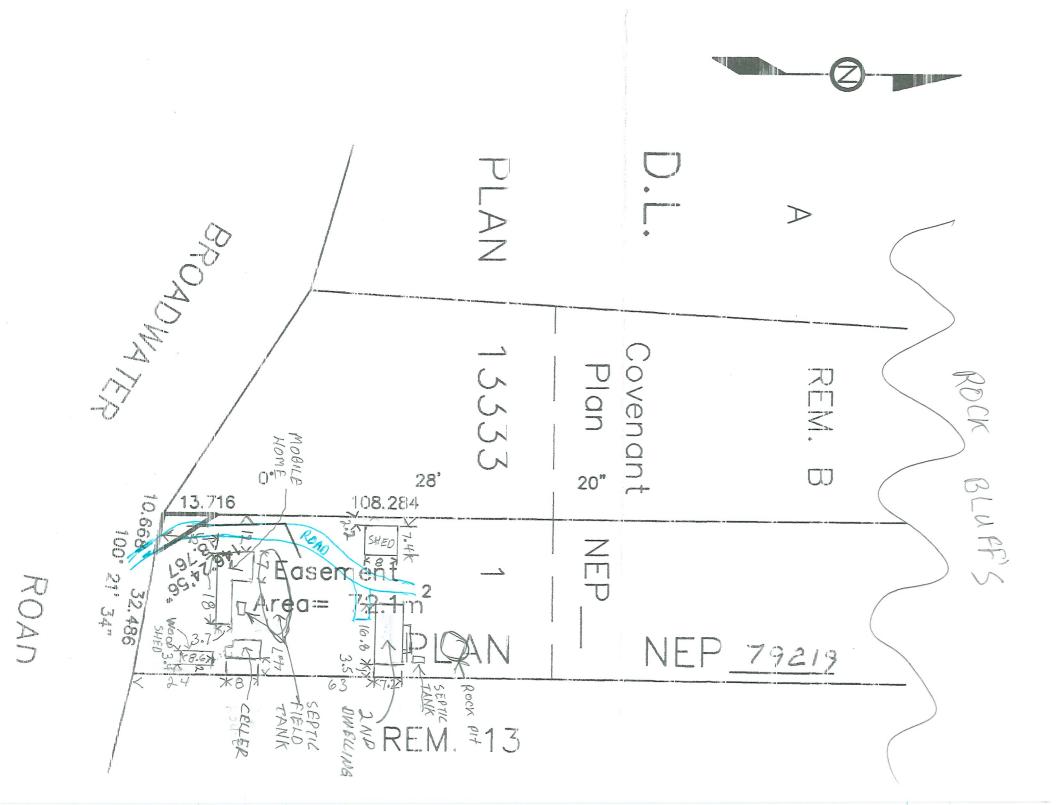


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### DIVISION 11 COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL (R2)

### **Permitted Uses**

1100 Land, buildings and structures in the Country Residential (R2) zone shall be used for the following purposes only:

Dwellings:

One-Family

Two-Family

Accessory Uses:

Accessory Buildings and Structures

Accessory Tourist Accommodation

**Home Based Business** 

Horticulture

Keeping of Farm Animals

Sale of Site Grown Farm Products

Portable Sawmills for processing of material harvested on site only

### **Development Regulations**

### 1101

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Date of Report: March 3, 2022

Date & Type of Meeting: March 18, 2021, Rural Affairs Committee

**Author:** Stephanie Johnson, Planner

Subject: LAND USE BYLAW AMENDMENTS

**File:** Z2106J-07695.170-SONNTAG-BA000052

Electoral Area/Municipality Electoral Area 'J'

### **SECTION 1: EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

This report seeks the Board's consideration of an application to amend the Official Community Plan (OCP) Bylaw's land use designation, and to rezone the subject property at 4135 Broadwater Road, Electoral Area 'J'.

The application seeks to amend the OCP designation from Rural Residential (RR) to Country Residential One (CR1), and to rezone the subject property from Rural Residential (R3) to Country Residential (R2). The applicant seeks the above bylaw amendments to remedy an existing non-conforming and unauthorized dwelling unit on the subject property under a stop work order.

Staff recommends that the Board give first and second readings to *OCP Amendment Bylaw No. 2801, 2021* and *Zoning Amendment Bylaw No. 2802, 2021*.

### **SECTION 2: BACKGROUND/ANALYSIS**

GENERAL INFORMATION			
<b>Property Owners:</b>	Faith and Daniel Sonntag		
<b>Property Location:</b>	4135 Broadwater Road, Electoral Area 'J'		
Legal Description:	LOT 1 PLAN NEP79219 DISTRICT LOT 4599 KOOTENAY LAND DISTRICT		
	MANUFACTURED HOME REG. # 12974 (026-447-185)		
<b>Property Size:</b>	2.1 hectares (ha)		
OCP Designation:	Rural Residential (RR)		
Zoning:	Rural Residential (R3)		

ORIENTATION	ZONING	LAND USE
North	Rural Resource (R4)	Open space and resource land uses
East	Rural Residential (R3)	Residential land uses
South	Rural Residential (R3) & Open Space	Residential land uses, Broadwater Road
	(OS)	and Columbia River
West	Rural Residential (R3)	Residential land uses

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### **Site Context**

The subject property is designated Rural Residential (RR) under the *Electoral Area 'J' Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 1157, 1996* and zoned Rural Residential (R3) under the *RDCK Zoning Bylaw No. 1675, 2004*. The 2.1 ha in size subject property is located south of Keenleyside Dam in an area surrounded by rural residential parcels. A small portion of the forward section of the lot falls within a non-standard flooding erosion area and Clearwater flood hazard priority. A residence and an unauthorized, non-conforming dwelling unit and two accessory structures currently exist on the subject property

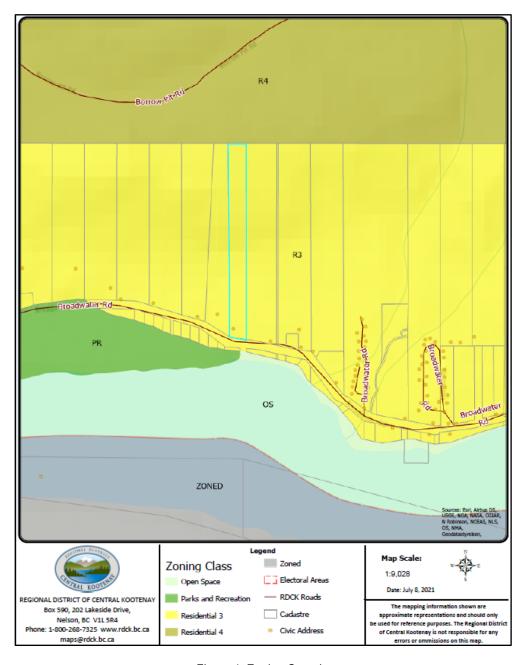


Figure 1: Zoning Overview

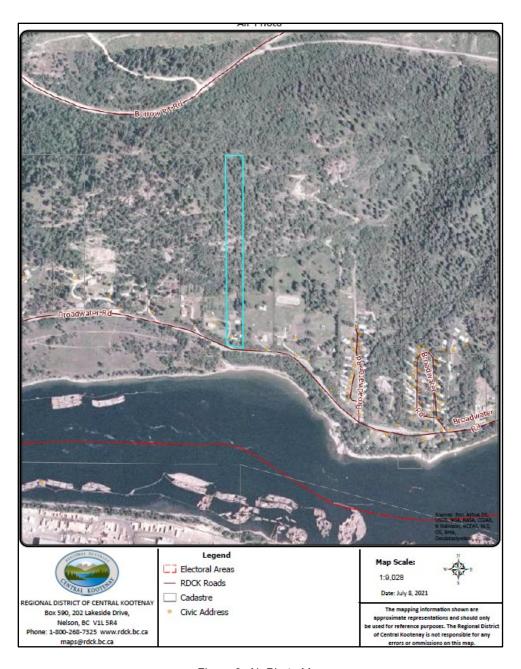


Figure 2: Air Photo Map

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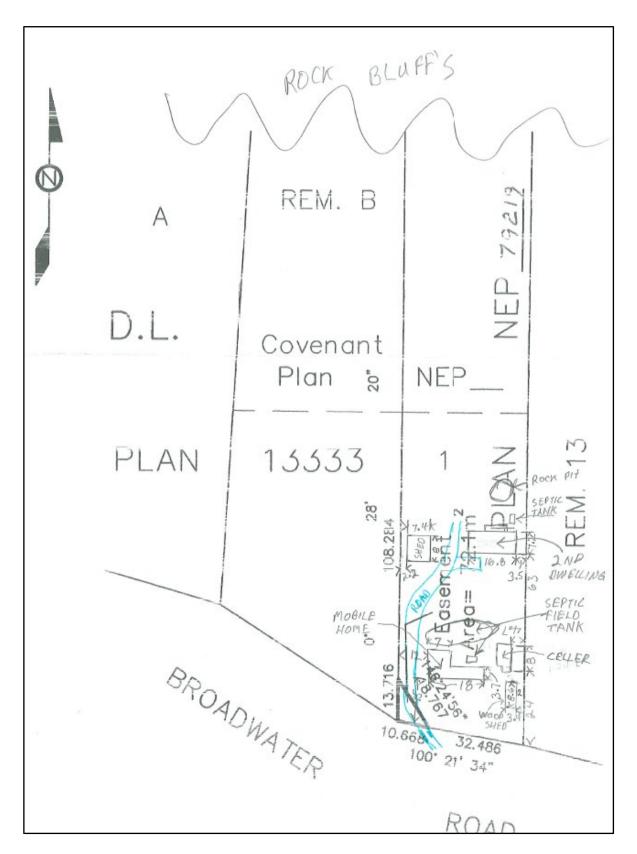


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SECTION 3: DETAILED ANALYSIS				
3.1 Financial Considerations – Cost and Resource Allocations:				
Included in Financial Plan: Yes	No Financial Plan Amendment: Yes No			
<b>Debt Bylaw Required</b> : Yes	No <b>Public/Gov't Approvals Required:</b> Yes No			
The \$1,800 fee for an OCP amendment bylaw and Zoning amendment bylaw was paid pursuant to the RDCK's				
Planning Procedures and Fees Bylaw No. 2457,	. 2015.			

### 3.2 Legislative Considerations (Applicable Policies and/or Bylaws):

If the amending bylaw receives second reading, it will be advertised in a locally circulating newspaper and a Public Hearing will be held to allow for public comment, in accordance with Section 464 of the *LGA*.

### 3.3 Environmental Considerations

No additional environmental impacts are anticipated on this already developed site.

### 3.4 Social Considerations:

If approved, this development proposal would enable two additional residential dwellings to be constructed on the subject property. This would increase local housing stock, and provide some benefit in addressing local housing needs.

### 3.5 Economic Considerations:

No economic considerations are anticipated.

### 3.6 Communication Considerations:

In accordance with the RDCK's *Planning Procedures and Fees Bylaw No. 2547, 2015*, a sign describing the proposal was posted on the subject property, and notices were mailed to nearby properties within a 100 metre radius of the subject property on July 8, 2021. To date, no comments have been received in response to the above notice circulation and sign posting.

A referral was sent to the following internal RDCK departments, local first nations, external stakeholders and agencies, and the Local Area Director.

The following referral responses have been received:

### **Building Department**

This additional "dwelling has been converted from a shop building to a dwelling without a building permit per [Stop Work Order] SWO00124. No objection to rezoning of the property to permit the second dwelling conditional to obtaining all subsequent required building permits for the second dwelling and detached garage".

### Penticton Indian Band (PIB)

The PIB circulated a standard referral response requesting a referral processing fee (i.e. \$500) to commence their review process.

### Interior Health Authority (IHA)

"An internal file search produced no documentation on the existing two onsite sewage disposal systems. As such, we cannot determine if the systems meet with today's standards as per the Sewerage System Standard Practice Manual, Version 3. We recommend as a part of bringing the property to conform with the requirements of the RDCK, that both sewerage systems are assessed and upgraded, if required, to meet with today's standards in order to ensure that the systems are functional and will not cause a health hazard. Therefore, a compliance inspection completed by an Authorized Person under the BC Sewerage System Regulation (B.C. Reg. 326/2004) should be conducted to assess the current state of both sewerage systems prior to approving the OCP amendment and rezoning.

Interior Health is committed to working collaboratively with the Regional District of Central Kootenay to support healthy, sustainable land use planning and policy creation. Please feel free to contact me directly if you have any

further questions or comments".

### Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure (MOTI)

"The interests of [the] MOTI are unaffected".

### BC Hvdro

"Please note that we have no concerns with the [proposal]".

### FortisBC Inc.

"There are FortisBC Inc (Electric) ("FBC(E)") primary distribution facilities along Broadwater Road. All costs and land right requirements associated with changes to the existing servicing are the responsibility of the applicant. For any changes to the existing service, the applicant must contact an FBC(E) designer as noted below for more details regarding design, servicing solutions, and land right requirements. Otherwise, FBC(E) has no concerns with this circulation".

### Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development (MFLNRORD)

The Ministry's "has determined that this project should not impact the Resource Management Division's legislated responsibilities. It is the responsibility of the landowner to ensure that any liability associated with buildings within a non-standard flooding erosion area and Clearwater flood hazard priority are their sole obligation. Vegetation clearing should adhere to the least risk timing windows for nesting birds (i.e. construction activities should occur only during least risk period). Nesting birds and some nests are protected by the Provincial Wildlife Act Sec.34 and Federal Migratory Bird Act. Nesting periods can be identified by a qualified professional. General least risk windows for bird species are designed to avoid the nesting period. If nests are present at this site or adjacent to it and will be impacted by the works, the following work windows apply:

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"Since this land use application includes no new plans for development, the property owner is not required to" undertake any "additional archaeological work or permitting for a development to proceed".

### 3.6 Staffing/Departmental Workplace Considerations:

The proposed public consultation process does not commit Planning Services to any new staffing or departmental workplace considerations.

### **3.7 Board Strategic Plan/Priorities Considerations:**

The application falls under the operational role of Planning Services.

### **SECTION 4: OPTIONS & PROS / CONS**

### **Planning Discussion**

Please find the following rationale behind the staff recommendation:

- That the amendment bylaws are to remedy the existing unauthorized and non-conforming residential use and building, which is currently under a stop work order.
- The provision of housing would be considered a priority under the RDCK's 'Housing Needs Assessment' and implementation action plan.
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Planning Manager – Digitally approved by Nelson Wight.

General Manager of Development and Community Sustainability – Digitally approved by Sangita Sudan.

Chief Administrative Officer – Digitally approved by Stuart Horn.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

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  - 3.2.1.2 Zoning shall limit subdivision pursuant to Section 996 of the Municipal Act on land outside the Agricultural Land Reserve.

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- 3.2.1.3 Clustering of residential development shall be permitted in order to create separation between neighbouring developments and to ensure that they do not form continuous development.
- 3.2.1.4 Zoning regulations shall provide for a mix of residential lot sizes.
- 3.2.1.5 An adequate supply of potable water as specified in regulation, must be proven for each new lot created by subdivision.
- 3.2.1.6 The Approving Officer is requested to ensure that before a subdivision is approved, it must be demonstrated that where required through regulation, withdrawal of ground water for new lots will not adversely affect the supply to existing and potential water users.
- 3.2.1.7 Flood proofing regulations on setback of buildings and structures from water bodies and elevation of ground floors above water bodies shall be articulated either through zoning regulations or by adoption of a Floodplain Management Bylaw pursuant to Section 969 of the Municipal Act.
- 3.2.1.8 A conservation zone may be assigned to land covenanted or deeded against further development or use, including common property in strata title subdivisions.
- 3.2.2 Suburban Residential Policies (As shown on Schedule 'B' Land Use Designations)
  - 3.2.2.1 The principal use shall be residential.
  - 3.2.2.2 The minimum lot size shall be 2000 square metres.
  - 3.2.2.3 One dwelling unit shall be permitted per 2000 square metres of site area.
  - 3.2.2.4 Shall be serviced by a community water system.
  - 3.2.2.5 In areas where individual septic systems are adversely affecting the environment or the quality of water, a sewer system may be required where the minimum lot size for a single detached dwelling shall be 700 square metres.
- Country Residential 1 Policies (As shown on Schedule 'B' Land Use Designations)
  - 3.2.3.1 The principal use shall be residential and/or agriculture.
  - 3.2.3.2 One dwelling unit shall be permitted per lot and one additional dwelling shall be permitted for every one (1) hectare of lot area over one (1) hectare.
  - 3.2.3.3 The minimum lot size shall be one (1) hectare.
  - 3.2.3.4 The clustering of development in either single detached or multiresidential dwellings subject to the maintenance of buffers on non-

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agricultural lands will be considered and encouraged by the Board of the Regional District.

- 3.2.4 Country Residential 2 Policies
  - 3.2.4.1 The principal use shall be residential and/or agriculture.
  - 3.2.4.2 One single detached dwelling or duplex shall be permitted per lot. In addition, if a lot is developed with a single detached dwelling, a manufactured home may be placed on the lot to provide temporary accommodation for a relative of the occupant of the principal dwelling. Lands within the Agricultural Land Reserve shall comply with the Agricultural Land Commission Act, Regulations and Orders.
  - 3.2.4.3 The minimum lot size shall be one (1) hectare with the exception of Lot 19, District Lot 1239, Kootenay District Plan 5230 which shall be .39 hectare.
- 3.2.5 Rural Residential Policies (As shown on Schedule 'B' Land Use Designations)
  - 3.2.5.1 The principal use shall be residential or agricultural.
  - 3.2.5.2 One dwelling unit shall be permitted per lot and one additional dwelling shall be permitted for every two (2) hectares of lot area over two (2) hectares.
  - 3.2.5.3 The average lot size for subdivision of Rural Residential land shall be at least two (2) hectares.
  - 3.2.5.4 Within this designation a number of different zones may be applied allowing differing levels of uses accessory to residential uses.
  - 3.2.5.5 The clustering of development in either single detached or multiresidential dwellings subject to the maintenance of buffers on nonagricultural lands will be considered and encouraged by the Board of the Regional District.
- 3.2.6 Remote Residential Policies (As shown on Schedule 'B' Land Use Designations)
  - 3.2.6.1 The principal use shall be residential or agricultural.
  - 3.2.6.2 Non-ALR lands greater than ten (10) hectares in area that are limited by access, topography and/or natural hazards shall be designated Remote Residential.
  - 3.2.6.3 Lands designated Remote Residential shall have a minimum lot size of two (2) hectares. One single detached dwelling or duplex is permitted and one additional single detached dwelling or duplex shall be permitted per every additional four (4) hectares of lot area.
  - 3.2.6.4 Within this designation a number of different zones may be applied allowing differing levels of uses accessory to residential uses.
  - 3.2.6.5 The clustering of development in either single detached or multiresidential dwellings subject to the maintenance of buffers on non-

### REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL KOOTENAY

# Bylaw No. 2801

A Bylaw to amend Kootenay Columbia Rivers Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 1157, 1996

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend Kootenay Columbia Rivers Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 1157, 1996, and amendments thereto.

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Regional District of Central Kootenay, in open meeting assembled, HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

### **APPLICATION**

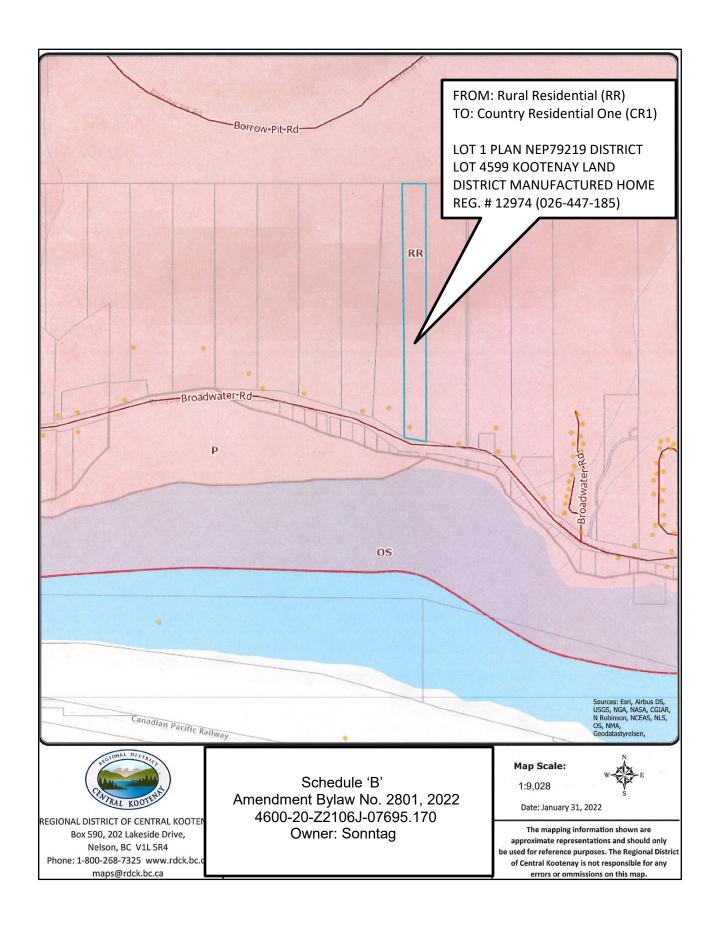
- That Schedule 'B' of Kootenay Columbia Rivers Official Community Plan Bylaw No. 1157, 1996 be amended by changing the Land Use Designation of LOT 1 PLAN NEP79219 DISTRICT LOT 4599 KOOTENAY LAND DISTRICT MANUFACTURED HOME REG. # 12974 (026-447-185) from Rural Residential (RR) to Country Residential One (CR1), as shown on the attached Map.
- 2 This Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon its adoption.

### **CITATION**

This Bylaw may be cited as "Kootenay Columbia Rivers Official Community Plan Amendment Bylaw No. 2801, 2022."

READ A FIRSTTIME this		day of		, 2022
READ A SECOND TIME this		day of		, 2022
WHEREAS A PUBLIC HEARING	was held this	[Date] day of	[Month]	, 2022.
READ A THIRDTIME this	[Date]	day of	[Month]	, 2022.

ADOPTED this	[Date]	day of	[Month]	, 20XX.
Aimee Watson		Mik	e Morrison, Corpo	rateOfficer



### **REGIONAL DISTRICT OF CENTRAL KOOTENAY**

# Bylaw No. 2802

A Bylaw to amend Regional District of Central Kootenay Zoning Bylaw No. 1675, 2004

WHEREAS it is deemed expedient to amend the Regional District of Central Kootenay Zoning Bylaw No. 1675, 2004, and amendments thereto.

NOW THEREFORE the Board of the Regional District of Central Kootenay, in open meeting assembled, HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

### **APPLICATION**

- 1 That Schedule 'A' of Regional District of Central Kootenay Zoning Amendment Bylaw No. 1675, 2004 be amended by changing the Zoning Designation of LOT 1 PLAN NEP79219 DISTRICT LOT 4599 KOOTENAY LAND DISTRICT MANUFACTURED HOME REG. # 12974 (026-447-185) from Rural Residential (R3) to Country Residential (R2), as shown on the attached Map.
- 2 This Bylaw shall come into force and effect upon its adoption.

### **CITATION**

This Bylaw may be cited as "Regional District of Central Kootenay Zoning Amendment Bylaw No. 2802, 2022."

READ A FIRSTTIME this		day of		, 2022.
READ A SECOND TIME this		day of		, 2022.
WHEREAS A PUBLIC HEARING	was held this	[Date] day of	[Month]	, 20XX.
READ A THIRDTIME this	[Date]	day of	[Month]	, 20XX.

Attachment C

ADOPTED this	[Date]	day of	[Month]	, 20XX.	
Aimee Watson, Board Chair			Mike Morrison, Corporate Officer		

