

CITY OF SURREY

BYLAW NO. 19600

A bylaw to amend the provisions of "Surrey  
Election Procedures By-law, 2011, No. 17393"  
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The Council of the City of Surrey ENACTS AS FOLLOWS:

1. "Surrey Election Procedures By-law, 2011, No. 17393," is hereby amended as follows:
  - (a) **Part 1, Definitions** is amended as follows:
    - i. The definition of "**Acceptable Mark**" is amended by deleting the words "completed arrow" and replacing them with the words "filled in oval".
    - ii. Insert a new definition of "**Data Storage Device**" as follows:

""**Data Storage Device**" means a device which plugs into the vote tabulating unit and into which is pre-programmed;

      - (a) the names of all of the candidates for each of the offices of Mayor, Councillor, and, School Trustee; and
      - (b) the alternatives of "yes" and "no" for each referendum question;

and a mechanism to record and retain information on the number of acceptable marks made for each."
    - iii. The definition of "**General Local Election**" is amended by deleting the word "elections" and replacing it with the word "election".
    - iv. The definition of "**General Voting Day**" is amended as follows:
      - a) Section (b) is amended by deleting the words "Sections 37(5), 38(1)(a) or 142(5) of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Sections 54(5), 55(1)(a) or 152(5) of the *Local Government Act*".
      - b) Section (c) is amended by deleting the words "Section 162 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 174 of the *Local Government Act*".
    - v. The definition of "**Memory Pack**" is deleted in its entirety.
    - vi. The definition of "**Other Voting**" is amended by deleting the words "Section 158 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 170 of the *Local Government Act*".

- vii. The term "**Secrecy Sleeve**" is amended by deleting the word "**Sleeve**" and replacing it with the word "**Folder**".
- (b) **Part 3 – List of Electors** is amended as follows:
- i. Section 3.1 is amended by deleting the words "Section 59 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 76 of the *Local Government Act*".
  - ii. Section 3.2 is amended by deleting the words "Section 57 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Sections 68, 72 and 73 of the *Local Government Act*".
- (c) **Part 4 – Advance Voting Opportunities** is amended in section 4.1 by deleting the words "Section 97(2) of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 107(1) of the *Local Government Act*".
- (d) **Part 6 – Mail Ballot Voting** is amended as follows:
- i. Sub-section 6.4(a) is amended by deleting the words "Section 100 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 110 of the *Local Government Act*".
  - ii. Sub-section 6.8(c) is amended by deleting the words "Sections 50 or 51 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Sections 65 or 66 of the *Local Government Act*".
  - iii. Sub-section 6.9(b) is amended by deleting the words "Sections 50 or 51 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Sections 65 or 66 of the *Local Government Act*".
  - iv. Section 6.13 is amended by deleting the words "Section 116 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 126 of the *Local Government Act*".
  - v. Section 6.15 is amended by deleting the words "Section 117 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 127 of the *Local Government Act*".
- (e) **Part 7 – Automated Voting Procedures** is amended as follows:
- i. Section 7.2 is amended by deleting the word "making" and replacing it with the word "marking" immediately after the word "proper".
  - ii. Sub-section 7.3(b) is amended by deleting the word "sleeve" and replacing it with the word "folder" immediately after the word "secrecy".
  - iii. Section 7.4 is amended by deleting the word "sleeve" and replacing it with the word "folder" immediately after the word "secrecy".


- iv. Section 7.6 is amended by deleting the word "sleeve" in all occurrences and replacing it with the word "folder".
  - v. Section 7.17 is amended by deleting the words "memory pack" and replacing them with the words "data storage devices".
  - vi. Sub-section 7.22(a) is amended by deleting the words "memory packs" and replacing them with the words "data storage devices".
- (f) **Part 8 – Resolution of a Tie After Judicial Recount** is amended in Section 8.1 by deleting the words "Section 141(2) of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 151(2) of the *Local Government Act*".
- (g) **Part 9 – Use of the Corporate Website** is amended as follows:
- i. Section 9.1 is amended by deleting the words "Section 93 of the *Local Government Act*" and replacing them with the words "Section 89 of the *Local Government Act* and Section 59 of the *Local Elections Campaign Financing Act*".
  - ii. Sub-section 9.1(b) is amended by inserting the words "will be available through a link posted on the City website" immediately after the word "organizer".
2. This Bylaw shall be cited for all purposes as "Surrey Election Procedures Bylaw, 2011, No. 17393, Amendment Bylaw, 2018, No. 19600"


PASSED FIRST READING on the 11th day of June, 2018.

PASSED SECOND READING on the 11th day of June, 2018.

PASSED THIRD READING on the 11th day of June, 2018.

RECONSIDERED AND FINALLY ADOPTED, signed by the Mayor and Clerk, and sealed with the Corporate Seal on the 25th day of June, 2018.

  
MAYOR

  
CLERK