## THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SUMMERLAND

## BYLAW NUMBER 2025-016 MUNICIPAL AND REGIONAL DISTRICT TAX BYLAW

Consolidated for Convenience to include: Bylaw No. 2025-023

WHEREAS the Council of the Corporation of the District of Summerland wishes to raise revenue for the purposes of financing tourism marketing, programs and projects;

AND WHEREAS, under the *Provincial Sales Tax Act*, a municipality may request that the Lieutenant Governor in Council make a regulation imposing, on behalf of the municipality, an additional tax not exceeding three (3) percent of purchase price of accommodation sold within the municipality;

NOW THEREFORE, The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Summerland, in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

- 1. The Lieutenant Governor is hereby requested to make a regulation under section 240 of the *Provincial Sales Tax Act* declaring that effective March 1, 2026 to March 1, 2031, section 123 of the said Act applies in respect of accommodation purchase within the Corporation of the District of Summerland<sup>1</sup>.
- 2. The tax to be imposed under the provisions of the regulation is requested to be three (3) percent of the purchase price of accommodation
- The funds paid to the Corporation of the District of Summerland under the provisions of the regulation shall be applied to tourism marketing, programs and projects delivered by Destination Summerland.
- 4. This bylaw comes into force and effect on March 1, 2026<sup>2</sup>.
- 5. This bylaw may be cited as "Municipal and Regional District Tax (MRDT) Bylaw No. 2025-016".

Read a first, second, and third time this 8th day of July, 2025.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Bylaw No. 2025-023

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