

Appointment and term of office for municipal directors

- 198** (1) After the first appointment under section 41 (2) (e) [*first board for regional district*], each municipal director is to be appointed at pleasure by the council from among its members.
- (2) The term of office of a municipal director
- (a) begins when the person takes office in accordance with section 202 (3) [*oath or affirmation of office*], and
 - (b) continues until the earliest of the following:
 - (i) another director taking office in the original director's place;
 - (ii) the director ceasing to be a member of the council before the next general local election;
 - (iii) November 30 in the year of a general local election.

Election and term of office for electoral area directors

- 199** (1) After the first election under section 41 (2) (f) [*incorporation of new regional district*], elections for electoral area directors are to be conducted in accordance with Part 3 [*Electors and Elections*].
- (2) The term of office of an electoral area director elected at the time of the general local election
- (a) begins on the first Monday after November 1 following the election or when the person takes office in accordance with section 202 (3) [*oath or affirmation of office*], whichever is later, and
 - (b) ends immediately before the first Monday after November 1 in the year of the next general local election or when the director's successor takes office, whichever is later.

Alternate directors: municipalities

- 200** (1) The council of a municipality may appoint a council member as an alternate director.
- (2) The alternate director may take the place of, vote and generally act in all matters for an absent municipal director, including a matter delegated to that director by the board.
- (3) If there is more than one municipal director, the authority under subsection (1) may be exercised either

- (a) by specifying, for each municipal director, the council member who is the alternate director for that municipal director, or
 - (b) by appointing a number of alternate directors and establishing a system to determine which alternate director is to act in the place of any absent municipal director.
- (4) As a restriction on subsection (3) (b), at any one time, an alternate director may act in place of only a single municipal director.
 - (5) If the council appoints an alternate director, the municipal corporate officer must notify the regional district corporate officer of the appointment in writing.
 - (6) An alternate director holds office as alternate director until another council member is appointed as a replacement and the regional district corporate officer has been notified of the new appointment.
 - (7) If the seat of a municipal director becomes vacant through resignation, disqualification or death, the alternate director appointed under subsection (1) becomes the municipal director in place of the director whose seat became vacant until a new director is appointed.

Alternate directors: electoral areas

- 201** (1) An electoral area director must appoint an alternate director as follows:
- (a) the appointment must be made within 60 days of
 - (i) the electoral area director being elected, or
 - (ii) the office of the alternate director becoming vacant through resignation, disqualification or death;
 - (b) the person appointed must have the qualifications necessary to be nominated as a director for the electoral area.
- (2) An appointment under subsection (1) takes effect when
- (a) the appointment has been approved in writing by 2 electors who reside in the electoral area that the director represents, and
 - (b) the director notifies, in writing, the regional district corporate officer of the appointment of the alternate.
- (3) If an electoral area director does not appoint an alternate director in accordance with subsection (1), the board must, by resolution, appoint a person who has the qualifications necessary to be