

# SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 53 (Okanagan Similkameen)

## POLICY

No. C-9

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**Adopted:** September 24, 2014

**Reviewed:** February 12, 2020

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### RECLAIMED WATER (EFFLUENT)

#### Preamble:

The Board of Education supports the safe use of reclaimed water for irrigating to assist in water conservation, to ensure potable water throughout the Okanagan, and to decrease operating costs.

#### Policy:

The Board or Education supports the safe use of reclaimed water for the purpose of irrigation of land within the school district.

# SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 53 (Okanagan Similkameen)

## REGULATIONS

No. C-9

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**Adopted:** February 25, 2015

**Reviewed:** February 12, 2020

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### **RECLAIMED WATER (EFFLUENT)**

Use of effluent will be for irrigation purposes only.

Application of reclaimed water will be in accordance with all the requirements of regulatory bodies within British Columbia and Canadian Environmental standards.

The supplier of effluent will maintain the quality of the effluent under the BC environmental protection division standards and the operating agreement set forth by all parties.

The School District will comply with all the conditions in the operational Certificate, pollution control guidelines for application on land.

All staff will be skilled and trained in the use of effluent water.

All signage surrounding the lands will be visibility marked to insure the public's awareness of the use of effluent water.