

## **Gord Klassen, Alternate Director representing the City of Fort St. John**

Gord Klassen, Councillor for the City of Fort St. John, grew up in Fort St. John, moved away in 1983, then returned with his family in 1998. He was elected as a Councillor for the City of Fort St. John City in 2011 and was recently appointed as an Alternate Director to the Peace River Regional District. He also serves on the North Peace Leisure Pool Civic Properties Commission.

Gord graduated with a Bachelor Degree in Religious Education and worked for over 25 years as a pastor. He served two terms as a Trustee on the School District #60 Board of Education from 2005 to 2011.



He also worked as a support worker with School District #60 for several years. Gord has served his community as Chair of the Fort St. John Hospital Ethics Committee; Chaplain to the Fort St. John Fire Department; an Auxiliary Fire Fighter; Regional Coordinator for Samaritan's Purse Christmas Shoe Box Project; a volunteer on the Focus Group to Address Anti-Social Behaviour; and Parent Advisory Councils at CM Finch, Bert Bowes and also as PAC President at NPSS.

Gord and his wife, Sharon, have been married for over thirty years; together they have three children and four grandchildren.

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### **Peace River Regional Board Appointment:**

- Alternate Director