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MEMORANDUM

To: Chair and Directors, Policy Committee
And To: John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer
From: Alice Johnston, Corporate Officer
Date of Meeting: Policy Committee_Apr12_2018
File: 530-02
Subject: Code of Conduct

Item for Discussion:

Whether the Board's Code of Conduct is still necessary in light of the CRD's Workplace Bullying and Harassment Policy.

Background:

At the last Policy Committee meeting, staff were requested to review the Board's Code of Conduct to determine if it is still necessary now that the CRD will be adopting the Workplace Bullying and Harassment Policy. The Code of Conduct goes further than the Bullying and Harassment Policy; a copy is attached for the Committee's convenience.

In addition, the conduct of elected officials has been an ongoing issue of discussion around B.C., and recently UBCM, LGMA and the Province have developed a brochure entitled, "Foundational Principles of Responsible Conduct for B.C.'s Local Governments" which can be viewed at the link below.

https://www2.gov.bc.ca/assets/gov/british-columbians-our-governments/local-governments/governance-powers/foundational_principles_responsible_conduct.pdf

Attachments:

CRD Board Members' Code of Conduct