



Date: 03/07/2018

AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

To: Chair and Directors, Cariboo Regional District Board
And To: John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer
From: Alice Johnston, Corporate Officer
Date of Meeting: Cariboo Regional District Board_Jul13_2018
File: 400-60-05

Short Summary:

Request for Support - Review of the Regional Growth Strategy (RGS) Legislation

Voting:

Corporate Vote - Unweighted

Memorandum:

The attached letter, addressed to UBCM Members, from Steve Price, Chair of the Capital Regional District Board, advises of its Board's recent motion as follows:

That a letter be sent to the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing requesting engagement of local governments in a comprehensive review and update of Part 13 of the Local Government Act and related regulations.

The Capital Regional District has also submitted a related resolution for consideration at the 2018 UBCM Convention and asks that the Cariboo Regional District Board provide a letter of support to UBCM and contact the Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing indicating support for local governments to be engaged in review of the RGS legislation.

Attachments:

Letter from Capital Regional District, dated June 26, 2018

Financial Implications:

n/a

Policy Implications:

n/a

Alignment with Strategic Plan:

- Ensuring Sufficient and Sustainable Funding
- Building on our Relationships
- Providing Cost Effective High Quality Services

Focusing on Being Well Governed

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CAO Comments:

It is a reasonable question for the Board to ask whether this re-drafting of legislation dealing with regional growth strategies is a priority for us. It is likely a reasonable concern for the more urbanized regional districts.

Options:

- 1) Receipt
- 2) Receipt and other action
- 3) Defer

Recommendation:

That the agenda item summary from Alice Johnston, Corporate Officer, dated July 3, 2018, regarding a request from the Capital Regional District, for support of a resolution its Board submitted to the 2018 UBCM Convention, relating to local governments being engaged in a comprehensive review of the Regional Growth Strategy (RGS) sections of the *Local Government Act*, be received. *Further action at the discretion of the Board.*