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To: Chair and Directors, Cariboo Regional District Board **And To:** John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer

From: Alice Johnston, Manager of Corporate Services/Deputy CAO **Date of Meeting:** Cariboo Regional District Board_Jan18_2019

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Short Summary:

Request for Comments on Name Change Proposals submitted by the Tsilhqot'in National Government

Voting:

Corporate Vote - Unweighted

Memorandum:

The attached letters from Carla Jack of the BC Geographical Names Office, Ministry of Forests, Lands, Resource Operations and Rural Development, regarding several geographical naming proposals submitted by the Tsilhqot'in National Government, are brought forward for consideration by the Board.

Please note that any comments that the Board may wish to provide, relating to the proposed name changes, are requested by January 31st.

Attachments:

Letters from the BC Geographical Names Office dated December 6th, October 2nd, and July 9th including a detailed list and maps of the proposals.

Financial Implications:

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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:

The Board previously considered a similar letter from Ms. Jack. The following correspondence expands the number of place names. Previously the Board resolved that the proposed change in place names be supported subject to a suitable transition period where both the current name and the proposed name are utilized and that a communication plan be developed to ensure that there is no miscommunication in emergency communications.

We apologize that we missed sending the original correspondence but would recommend that we proceed as the Board previously resolved.

Options:

- 1) Receipt
- 2) Receipt and provide comments to the Ministry

Recommendation:

That the agenda item summary from Alice Johnston, Manager of Corporate Services/Deputy CAO, dated January 7, 2019, and letters from the BC Geographical Names Office regarding proposals submitted by the Tsilhqot'in National Government to change the names of several geographical features located in the Cariboo region, be received. *Further action at the discretion of the Board*.