



**Date:** 18/11/2021

**To:** Solid Waste Management Committee

**And To:** John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer

**From:** Tera Grady, Supervisor of Solid Waste Management

**Date of Meeting:** Solid Waste Management Committee\_Nov26\_2021

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## Short Summary:

Progress Report on the Solid Waste Management Plan Update

## Voting:

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## Memorandum:

Since the May 27<sup>th</sup> update to this Committee, the Solid Waste Advisory Committee (SWAC) has held five meetings. Approved minutes from SWAC meetings are provided in the attachments.

Highlights are listed below:

- June public survey – over 800 responses, good representation from member municipalities and electoral area residents
- June virtual public meetings – six meetings with 44 participants
- October business survey – 26 responses
- Guiding principles for the updated plan have been condensed from thirteen to six
- Eight future options have been identified for consideration:
  - Diversion/Reuse Centers
  - Multi-unit Building Recycling
  - Commercial Recycling
  - Food Waste Diversion
  - Landfill Disposal Bans
  - Upgrades to Rural Sites
  - User-Pay
  - New Curbside Garbage Collection

## Attachments:

1. Minutes from May 26, 2021 SWAC Meeting
2. Minutes from July 7, 2021 SWAC Meeting
3. Minutes from September 8, 2021 SWAC Meeting
4. Minutes from October 6, 2021 SWAC Meeting

### Financial Implications:

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### Policy Implications:

n/a

### Alignment with Strategic Plan:

- ☒ **Communication:** Facilitate communication strategies throughout the entire Cariboo Regional District that meet the needs of residents, community stakeholders, and other levels of government.
- ☒ **Planning:** Intentionally plan services and activities of the CRD to prepare for future needs of residents and community stakeholders.
- ☒ **Economic Sustainability:** Foster an environment to ensure the economic sustainability of CRD communities and the region.
- ☒ **Governance:** Ensure that CRD governance policy and practices are intentional, transparent, and respectful.

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### CAO Comments:

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### Options:

- 1) Endorse recommendation
- 2) Receipt only
- 3) Receipt and other action

### Recommendation:

That the agenda item summary from Tera Grady, Supervisor of Solid Waste Management, dated November 18, 2021, regarding the progress report on the Solid Waste Management Plan update, be received. Further, that the Solid Waste Management Committee endorse the eight future options that have been identified for further investigation.