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To: North Cariboo Joint Advisory Committee

And To: John MacLean, Chief Administrative Officer

From: Beth Holden, Regional Economic & Community Development Officer

Date of Meeting: North Cariboo Joint Advisory Committee_Nov09_2021

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Short Summary:

NDIT Application – Parkland Recreation Commission Kosta’s Cove Trails 2022

Voting:

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Memorandum:

For the North Cariboo Joint Advisory Committee’s consideration, please find the attached application to Northern Development Initiative Trust (NDIT) from the Cariboo Regional District in conjunction with the Parkland Recreation Commission. The request is for \$30,000 under the Community Places stream to support new trails at the popular Kosta’s Cove site. The total project cost is \$45,000 with a \$15,000 contribution from the Cariboo Regional District.

Kosta’s Cove is located at Ten Mile Lake and is included under subregional recreation services. This project has been identified as a goal in the 2022 North Cariboo Recreation and Parks Business Plan and part of the trail projects allocation in the financial plan.

Prior to forwarding the proposal to NDIT for Regional Advisory Committee (RAC) consideration, all Regional Development Account applications require a resolution of support from the local government with jurisdiction in the project.

Attachments:

NDIT Application – Parkland Recreation Commission Trails 2022

Financial Implications:

This project has been identified in the North Cariboo Recreation Budget for 2022 with a \$15,000 financial contribution.

Policy Implications:

Discussion at the Regional District Board provided direction that NDIT applications for projects that fall under sub-regional recreation will be brought forward to the respective joint committee prior to going to the Regional District Board or City Council for ratification.

Cariboo Regional District Policy No. 2017-3A-33 (Northern Development Initiative Trust Applications Policy) states: That in the absence of knowledge of material legal, ethical, or other improprieties, the CRD will support all applications to the NDIT for funding, without regard to the project's merit.

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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Options:

- 1) Endorsement of the recommendation;
- 2) Receipt and other action at the direction of the Committee;
- 3) Defer.

Recommendation:

That the agenda item summary from Beth Holden, Regional Economic & Community Development Officer, dated October 14, 2021, regarding the Cariboo Regional District's application to Northern Development Initiative Trust's Community Places stream for \$30,000 to support new trails at the Kosta's Cove Site, be received. Further that the grant application be submitted as attached.