

**Date:** 15/02/2024

**To:** Emergency Preparedness Committee

**And To:** Murray Daly, Chief Administrative Officer

**From:** Stephanie Masun, Manager of Emergency Program Services

**Date of Meeting:** Emergency Preparedness Committee\_Feb29\_2024

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## Short Summary:

2024 UBCM Community Emergency Preparedness Fund EOC Equipment and Training Application

## Voting:

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## Memorandum:

The UBCM 2024 Community Emergency Preparedness Fund (CEPF) is accepting applications for Emergency Operations Centres Equipment and Training. Staff propose applying for up to \$14,000 to support the EOC's ability to mobilize and to increase overall capacity through enhanced training and equipment upgrades.

## Attachments:

N/A

## Financial Implications:

In kind contribution of staff time.

## Policy Implications:

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## Alignment with Strategic Plan:

- ☐ **Infrastructure and Asset Management:** To establish a systematic, predictable approach to managing the regional district's assets and infrastructure that builds on current asset management data and condition assessments.
- ☐ **Enhanced Communications and Engagement:** To build trust and credibility of the regional district by enhancing our communications and engagement with citizens, stakeholders, and volunteers.

- ☐ **Effective and Responsive Land Use Planning and Development:** To ensure our land use planning and development is responsive to future growth and housing needs, anticipates risks and hazards associated with climate change and provides efficient and consistent processes for landowners and developers.
- ☐ **Relationships with First Nations:** To foster a healthy and inclusive region by building and strengthening our relationships with First Nations and embracing the principles of reconciliation.

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### **CAO Comments:**

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### **Options:**

1. Endorse recommendation;
2. Other action.

### **Recommendation:**

That the Cariboo Regional District submit an application for up to \$14,000 for the 2024 UBCM Community Emergency Preparedness Fund – Emergency Operations Centres Equipment and Training grant.