



COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT

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The Honourable Doug Donaldson
Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations
& Rural Development
PO Box 9352 Stn Prov Gov't
Victoria, BC V8W 9M1

Dear Minister Donaldson:

RE: Land Use Planning for Crown Lands in Electoral Area B (Rural Revelstoke) and the City of Revelstoke

At the Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD) regular Board meeting held on June 21, 2018, the Board endorsed the following resolution:

"THAT: the Board to support a request to the Province (FLNRORD) to take the lead on, and immediately fund and initiate, a land use plan for Crown land in the City of Revelstoke and Electoral Area B, with the involvement of all key agencies and stakeholders, including the CSRD and the City of Revelstoke."

CARRIED

The Board also adopted a resolution entitled "Resourcing Collaborative Planning on Crown Land" that has been supported at the Southern Interior Local Government Association (SILGA) convention and will be a part of the resolutions debate at the 2018 Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) convention. A copy of this resolution is attached for your reference.

Please accept this letter as a formal request for the Ministry to immediately fund and initiate a land use plan for Electoral Area B and the City of Revelstoke and to look at a cumulative/long term effect of referrals (harvesting and recreational use) on Crown lands in these areas. Thank you for your consideration.

Yours truly,

COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT

Per:

Rhona Martin
Chair

ELECTORAL AREAS

A GOLDEN-COLUMBIA
B REVELSTOKE-COLUMBIA

C SOUTH SHUSWAP
D FALKLAND-SALMON VALLEY

E SICAMOUS-MALAKWA
F NORTH SHUSWAP-SEYMOUR ARM

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REVELSTOKE
SALMON ARM
SICAMOUS