

Southern Interior Local Government Association Annual Meeting 2017 Late Resolution

Forest Stewardship Plans – Request for Improved Consultation

SPONSOR: Columbia Shuswap Regional District

WHEREAS numerous Forest Stewardship Plans are expiring or are undergoing significant amendments;

AND WHEREAS significant concerns have been raised about the amendments with regard to impacts on domestic water sources and the overall health of watersheds and slope stability;

AND WHEREAS local residents believe that they have not been adequately consulted given that previous Forest Stewardship Plans are now many years old;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Provincial Government ensure that forest tenure holders have comprehensive consultation in potentially affected communities with residents, local government and other stakeholders.
