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December 19, 2024

The Honourable Ravi Kahlon Minister of Housing and Municipal Affairs PO Box 9047 Stn Prov Govt Victoria, BC V8W 9E2

Dear Minister Kahlon:

RE: Okanagan Falls Incorporation Referendum Recommendation

At the December 19, 2024, Board meeting of the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen, Rick Wilson, Chair of the Okanagan Falls Incorporation Study Committee, and Allan Neilson, Neilson Strategies consultant, presented the Incorporation Study Committee's Final Report to the Board of Directors.

Following this presentation, the Board of Directors resolved the following:

THAT the Board of Directors support the Okanagan Falls Incorporation Study Committee's recommendation:

Based on the results of the Okanagan Falls Incorporation Study and the work of the Okanagan Falls Incorporation Study Committee, the Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen Board of Directors recommend to the Minister of Housing and Municipal Affairs that a referendum be held on the incorporation of Okanagan Falls.

On behalf of the Board of Directors, I am pleased to see the incorporation process reach this point and look forward to the citizens of Okanagan Falls having the opportunity to have their voices heard on this matter.

Sincerely.

Mark Pendergraf

Board Chair

Enc. Incorporation Committee Study Final Report