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District of Summerland - Council Highlights

Starting the week of November 14, 2022, the District of Summerland will be producing and distributing “Council Highlights” for media within two days following each regular meeting day of Council. The intent of the highlights document will not be to provide a detailed reproduction of each meeting; rather, it will provide a high-level summary of Council’s discussion and associated decisions.

Often a single meeting day of Council may include a Committee of the Whole in the morning, the regular afternoon meeting, public hearing(s) on key development items, and an evening meeting. The “Council Highlights” document will provide one overall summary which is inclusive of all meetings that day. It should be noted that this document will not replace or modify any regulatory requirement for the official recording and publishing minutes of the meeting, and the final approved minutes should be consulted for the official result of Council’s decisions particularly if there is any inadvertent variance between the “Council Highlights” document and the official minutes, as may occur from time-to-time.

Streaming and recording of Council meetings will continue to occur in accordance with past practice, with this new document being additive to those routine mechanisms which track and report on Council’s deliberations.

If you have any questions of the above, or you want to add or update media contacts to our distribution lists please contact Kendra Kinsley, Corporate Officer for the Corporation of the District of Summerland.

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