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The Honourable Diana Gibson, MLA Oak Bay-Gordon Head Minister of Jobs, Economic Development, and Innovation *Via email: JEDI.Minister@gov.bc.ca*

Dear Minister Gibson:

RE: CONGRATULATIONS ON ELECTION AND MINISTRY APPOINTMENT

On behalf of the Board of Directors of the Capital Regional District (CRD), I would like to extend our congratulations to you on your recent election in the provincial election on October 19, 2024, as well as your appointment as Minister of the Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development, and Innovation.

The CRD values the strong partnerships we have with our provincial representatives, and we believe there are many areas where our efforts align to benefit the communities we serve. I would welcome the opportunity to meet with you to discuss areas of mutual interest, explore potential collaborations, and ensure that we are working together to address the needs and priorities of the residents of the capital region.

We look forward to working together and meeting with you at your earliest convenience. Please feel free to contact me at any time by email crdchair@crd.bc.ca or to coordinate a meeting, please contact Carolyn Jenkinson, Manager Executive Operations by email at cjenkinson@crd.bc.ca or phone 250-360-3125.

Once again, congratulations on your election and all the best in your endeavours.

Sincerely,

Cliff McNeil-Smith

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Chair, Capital Regional District Board

cc: CRD Board

Ted Robbins, Chief Administrative Officer, CRD