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The Honourable Mike Farnworth, MLA Port Coquitlam
Minister of Transportation and Transit
Via email: Mike.Farnworth.MLA@leg.bc.ca

Dear Minister Farnworth:

RE: CONGRATULATIONS ON RE-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 re-election in the provincial election on October 19, 2024, and your appointment as Minister of Transportation and Transit.

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.

A 2023-2026 CRD Board strategic priority is to present options for transportation governance change so residents can access convenient, green, and affordable multi-modal transportation systems to enhance livability. The CRD is seeking approval for the establishment of the Regional Transportation Service for the purpose of providing transportation related services within the capital region, and that participating area approval be obtained by the regional alternative approval process which is scheduled to take place in early 2025.

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 re-election and all the best in your endeavours.

Sincerely,

Cliff McNeil-Smith
Chair, Capital Regional District Board

cc: CRD Board
Ted Robbins, Chief Administrative Officer, CRD