



**REPORT TO GANGES SEWER LOCAL SERVICES COMMITTEE
MEETING OF FRIDAY, 26 OCTOBER 2007**

SUBJECT **ESTABLISHMENT OF GANGES SEWER COMMISSION**

PURPOSE

To advise the Ganges Sewer Local Services committee (GSLSC) that the Capital Regional District (CRD) Board has approved a motion that all sewer and water local service committees be renamed service commissions. CRD staff, in concert with the CRD solicitor, will be updating and sending new commission bylaws to the Board for approval for each local service.

BACKGROUND

The CRD Board has directed staff to rename local service or service committees to service commissions. A new commission bylaw is required which will be updated to be consistent with other commission bylaws and when adopted, will repeal the existing Bylaw No.1906, "Ganges Sewer Local Services Committee Bylaw, 1991".

ALTERNATIVES

The committee may direct staff to forward a new Ganges sewer commission bylaw to the CRD Board for adoption.

The committee may wish to propose changes to the new commission bylaw prior to staff forwarding the bylaw to the Board for adoption.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications associated with the new bylaw.

SUMMARY/CONCLUSIONS

The CRD Board has directed staff to rename local service or service committees to service commissions. A new commission bylaw is required which will repeal the existing committee Bylaw No. 1906.

RECOMMENDATION

That the Ganges Sewer Local Services committee direct staff to draft a new Ganges sewer commission bylaw, repealing Bylaw No. 1906, and submit the bylaw to the CRD Board for adoption.

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