

Motion Referred from the November 21, 2012, Transportation Select Committee Meeting re Transit Commission Authority

MOVED by Director Fortin, **SECONDED** by Director Hill,

That the Transportation Select Committee recommend to the Capital Regional District Board:

That the Capital Regional District Board assume the responsibility of the Victoria Regional Transit Commission to advocate for greater local government representation and authority over transit planning and operations in the region and to ensure greater consistency with the land use, development and transportation priorities identified in the Regional Growth Strategy.

The Committee discussed the need to provide the Province and the public with a more complete idea of a governance model with the CRD taking on the role of the transit authority, including a flow chart showing what the commission is now and what it would be with the CRD Board as the authority.

The Committee discussed the idea of area caucuses or advisory groups to address community needs.

MOVED by Director Fortin, **SECONDED** by Director Brownoff,

That the main motion be referred to staff and postponed until the next meeting pending receipt of a staff report with more information on the principle of the Capital Regional District Board taking over authority for transit.

CARRIED