



**April 16, 2020**

## **APRIL 16 BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS**

### **2019 Audited Financial Statements Approved; Honourarium increases approved for Volunteer Fire Departments**

#### **2019 Audited Financial Statements Approved**

The Regional District of Fraser-Fort George Board of Directors the 2019 Audited Financial Statements. Some highlights of the financial statement include:

- Total financial assets at Dec 31, 2019 were \$136,867,457
- Total liabilities at Dec 31, 2019 were \$99,181,785
- Total revenue for 2019 was \$48,577,975
- Total expenses for 2019 were \$39,535,994

#### **Honourarium increases approved for Volunteer Fire Departments**

The Regional District approved increases for honourariums as well as increases for attendance to emergency call outs and training events paid at various Volunteer Fire Departments within the region. The purpose of the increases are to recognize and support the administrative and operational needs of the various volunteer fire departments. Directors commented that they were pleased to be able to support this initiative as it shows the great value the Regional District places on volunteers that make our communities stronger.

#### **Community Grants**

The Board approved the following requests for Community and Recreation Grants:

- \$2000 to the Nukko Lake PAC for swimming lessons
- \$7500 to the Nadsilnich Lake Community Association for Utilities, programs, equipment, maintenance and insurance
- \$20,000 to the Buckhorn Volunteer Firefighters Association for install and repair of equipment
- \$9391 to the Pineview Recreation Commission for hall maintenance and upgrades
- \$1900 to the Penny Community Historical Association for the installation of security doors
- \$3000 to the Robson Valley Spay and Neuter Society for program expenses

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