

For the Committee of the Whole Meeting of September 21, 2017

Date: September 12 2017 From: Mayor Helps and Councillor Alto

Subject: Request for Staff Report on Transit as Part of Sustainable Mobility Strategy

Background

On February 23, 2017 Council directed staff to develop and report back to Council with a Sustainable Mobility Strategy. As a member of the Transit Commission Mayor Helps proposed the motion attached as Appendix A at the September 19th Transit Commission meeting. In order to ensure that the input of the City is included in the process being undertaken by BC Transit and that there is alignment between the Sustainable Mobility Strategy and the business case and implementation plan proposed to be undertaken by BC Transit, the following recommendation is proposed for Council's consideration.

Recommendation

1. That Council direct staff to work with BC Transit staff and to report back on Transit best practices and what is needed from the City's perspective to implement the Transit Futures Plan and drive transformational change in the region with regard to public transit.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mayor Helps

Councillor Alto

Appendix A – Motion to Transit Commission with regard to Rapid Transit Implementation Appendix B – Motion to Transit Commission with regard to Staffing for Victoria Transit Commission