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VICTORIA, B.C.

The City of Victoria
Mayor Lisa Helps
No. 1 Centennial Square
Victoria BC V8W 1P6

Dear Mayor Helps,

Re: Resolution in support for the extension of taxation authority for vacant and derelict buildings to local governments

Please be advised that Summerland Council passed the following resolution at the April 24, 2017 regular council meeting:

THAT the District of Summerland supports the resolution passed by Victoria City Council regarding the Extension of Taxation Authority for Vacant and Derelict Buildings to Local Governments.

The lack of affordable housing and vacant storefronts continues to be a problem in Summerland. Council looks forward to the opportunity to participate in this debate at the 2017 UBCM Convention in September.

Sincerely,

Tricia Mayea
Manager of Legislative Services