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Via email: breems@crd.bc.ca (Original will follow via mail)

Capital Regional District 625 Fisgard Street, PO Box 1000 Victoria, B.C. V8W 2S6

ATTENTION: Mr. Brent Reems

Senior Manager, Legislative & Corporate Services

Dear Mr. Reems

Re: Regional Coordination on Invasive Species Removal

At the Regular Meeting of Council held Monday, August 28th, 2017, Colwood City Council considered correspondence from the Capital Regional Invasive Species Partnership (CRISP), asking that CRD local governments examine the feasibility of assuming administrative responsibility for the Capital Regional Invasive Species Partnership, including disbursement of Provincial Funding and annual reports on invasive species removal.

There was discussion that the City of Colwood Public Works Department performs a considerable amount of invasive species removal and identification.

Colwood Council passed the following motion:

"That Colwood Council request that the Capital Regional District Board investigate and prepare a report on the implications, feasibility, added benefits to Colwood residents and recommendation to house the duties of a Regional Invasive Species Coordinator within the CRD."

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Sincerely,

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OFFICE HOURS:

8:30 am - 4:30 pm