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## FEBRUARY 2024 BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

### Delegations

#### Northwest Invasive Plant Council (NWIPC)

At its February 8<sup>th</sup> meeting the Board received a presentation from the Northwest Invasive Plant Council (NWIPC) to provide an update on invasive plant management in the region.

#### Search and Rescue

Search and Rescue Presidents from the Houston, Fort St. James, and Nechako Valley Teams along with the Regional Director for the BC Search and Rescue Association provided a presentation regarding Search and Rescue capabilities at its February 22<sup>nd</sup> Board meeting.

### District of Houston – Letter of Support Request

The Board provided a Letter of Support to the District of Houston for their funding application to the Northern Healthy Communities Fund – Capacity Building Program.

### Letter to Ministry of Forests Re: Old Growth Deferral on Crown Agricultural Land Reserve (ALR) Land

The Board is writing a letter to the Ministry of Forests requesting information regarding old growth deferral and old growth management areas encompassing Agricultural Land Reserve (ALR) Land.

### 2024 Budget

The Board reviewed its major and minor services and gave first and second reading to its Five-Year Financial Plan Bylaw at its February 22<sup>nd</sup> Board meeting.

### RDBN Board support for Northern Development Initiative Trust Applications

At its February 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting the Board provided support to the following organizations for their applications to Northern Development Initiative Trust: Bulkley Valley Cross Country Ski Club, Bulkley Valley Kayak and Canoe Club, and Nechako Valley Sporting Association.

### Emergency and Disaster Management Act (EDMA)

At its February 22<sup>nd</sup> meeting the Board received an update regarding advocacy on the *Emergency and Disaster Management Act* and the Premier’s Expert Taskforce meetings to date.

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