



**DATE**: August 24, 2020

**TO:** Chair and Directors

Regional District Board

**FROM:** Russell Dyson

Chief Administrative Officer

Supported by Russell Dyson Chief Administrative Officer

**FILE**: 1700-02/2020/451

R. Dyson

RE: Amendment to Function 451, Funding to Dawn to Dawn Action on

Homelessness Society for the Purchase of a Condominium Unit

## Purpose

The purpose of this report is to provide the Comox Valley Regional District (CVRD) Board with a request from Dawn to Dawn Action on Homelessness Society regarding the purchase of a condo unit.

## Recommendation from the Chief Administrative Officer:

THAT the \$90,000 allocated for the purchase of a three bedroom condominium unit for a family be amended to the purchase of a one bedroom condominium unit;

AND FINALLY THAT the amendment be reflected as an addendum to the Comox Valley Coalition to End Homelessness five year action plan (2020 – 2024).

## **Executive Summary**

- Participants in the service are the City of Courtenay, the Village of Cumberland, Vancouver Island portion of Baynes Sound Denman/Hornby Islands (Electoral Area A), Lazo North (Electoral Area B) and Puntledge Black Creek (Electoral Area C).
- The 2020-2024 financial plan includes an allocation of \$90,000 to be used towards the purchase of a three bedroom condominium unit for a family.
- The leadership team of the Comox Valley Coalition to End Homelessness supports the
  amendment to fund a one bedroom condominium unit. This comes following the
  August 11, 2020 recommendation from the CVRD Board for reallocated funding to the Comox
  Valley Transition Society and Dawn to Dawn Cumberland affordable rental housing project.

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