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**PUBLIC HEARING OF MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 2018 STARTING AT 6:00 P.M.**

**In the Franz Wilhelmsen Theatre at Maury Young Arts Centre
4335 Blackcomb Way, Whistler, BC V0N 1B4**

PRESENT:

Mayor: N. Wilhelm-Morden
Councillors: J. Crompton, J. Ford, J. Grills, C. Jewett
and S. Maxwell

Chief Administrative Officer, M. Furey
General Manager of Infrastructure Services, J. Hallisey
General Manager of Corporate and Community Services, N. McPhail
Acting General Manager of Resort Experience, M. Kirkegaard
Municipal Clerk, B. Browning
Manager of Communications, M. Comeau
Manager of Environmental Stewardship, H. Beresford
Senior Planner, J. Belobaba
Senior Planner, M. Laidlaw
Council Coordinator, S. Termuende

Whistler Housing Authority, General Manager, M. Zucht

ABSENT: Councillor S. Anderson

This Public Hearing is convened pursuant to section 464 of the *Local Government Act* to allow the public to make representations to Council respecting matters contained in "Zoning Amendment Bylaw (Cannabis Retail, Production and Distribution) No. 2159, 2017" (the "proposed Bylaw").

Everyone present shall be given a reasonable opportunity to be heard or to present written submissions respecting matters contained in the proposed Bylaw. No one will be discouraged or prevented from making their views known. However, it is important that remarks be restricted to matters contained in the proposed Bylaw.

When speaking, please commence your remarks by clearly stating your name and address.

Members of Council may ask questions following presentations; however, the function of Council at a Public Hearing is to listen rather than to debate the merits of the proposed Bylaw.

As stated in the Notice of Public Hearing, the purpose of the "Zoning Amendment Bylaw (Cannabis Retail, Production and Distribution) No. 2159, 2017" is to amend "Zoning and Parking Bylaw No. 303, 2015" to

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update cannabis production and distribution regulations.

Presentation by Municipal Staff	Presentation by Senior Planner Jake Belobaba regarding the proposed Bylaw.
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Submissions from the Public	Mayor Wilhelm-Morden called for submissions by the public.
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Nikki Best 2103 Panorama Ridge	<p>Ms. Best asked how the RMOW currently enforces the delivery of non-medical marijuana in Whistler.</p> <p>Ms. Best also asked how the RMOW plans to enforce the delivery of non-medical marijuana in Whistler from neighbouring community retail businesses who are legally permitted to sell it.</p>
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Submissions from the Public	Mayor Wilhelm-Morden called twice more for submissions by the public.
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Correspondence	The Municipal Clerk Brooke Browning indicated that no correspondence was received regarding the proposed Bylaw.
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ADJOURNMENT

Hearing no further comments, the Public Hearing was adjourned at 6:13 p.m.

Mayor, N. Wilhelm-Morden

Municipal Clerk, B. Browning