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May 23, 2018

Lisa Wardley
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Deputy Reeve
Mackenzie County
P.O. Box 640, 4511 – 46 Avenue
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RE: Letter of Support for Emergent FCM Species at Risk Resolution

Dear Ms. Wardley

We understand that federal and provincial Acts of Parliament, such as the Species at Risk Act, include decision-making authority that can supersede municipal authority, which can enable the protection of lands directly impacting municipal operations, without meaningful support.

Therefore, Northern Sunrise County fully supports the Emergent FCM Resolution for meaningful municipal involvement in the Species at Risk Act, to ensure:

1. Opportunities are made available for municipalities to become partners with the Government of Canada on section 11 and 13 agreements under the Species at Risk Act; and
2. The objective of the Species at Risk Act is to ensure the survival and recovery of at-risk species' populations, rather than establishing the permanent protection of lands considered to be at-risk species' critical habitat.

We thank you and the other Northwest Species at Risk Committee partnering municipalities for bringing this national issue to the forefront, at the Federation of Canadian Municipalities 2018 annual conference, in Halifax.

Sincerely,

Carolyn Kalebaba
Reeve
Northern Sunrise County

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May 9, 2018

Lisa Wardley
Chair, Northwest Species at Risk Committee
Deputy Reeve, Mackenzie County
P.O. Box 640
Fort Vermilion, Alberta
T0H 1N0

Dear Ms. Wardley:

Re: Letter of Support – Emergent FCM Species at Risk Resolution

Council of the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87 understands that the federal and provincial Acts of Parliament, such as the Species at Risk Act, include decision making authority that can supersede municipal authority, which can enable the protection of lands directly impacting municipal operations, without meaningful support.

Therefore the Municipal District of Bonnyville No. 87 fully supports the Emergent FCM Resolution for meaningful municipal involvement in the Species at Risk Act, to ensure that:

1. Opportunities are made available for municipalities to become partners with the Government of Canada Section 11 and 13 agreements under the Species Risk Act; and
2. The objective of the Species at Risk Act is to ensure the survival and recovery of at-risk species' populations, rather than establishing the permanent protection of lands considered to be at-risk species' critical habitat.

Council thanks you and the other Northwest Species at Risk Committee partnering municipalities for bringing this national issue to the forefront, at the Federation of Canadian Municipalities 2018 annual conference in Halifax.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "G. Sawchuk", is written over a light blue horizontal line.

Greg Sawchuk
Reeve



BIG LAKES COUNTY

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May 9, 2018

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RE: Letter of Support for Emergent FCM Species at Risk Resolution

Dear Ms. Wardley

We understand that federal and provincial Acts of Parliament, such as the Species at Risk Act, include decision-making authority that can supersede municipal authority, which can enable the protection of lands directly impacting municipal operations, without meaningful support.

Therefore, *Big Lakes County* fully supports the Emergent FCM Resolution for meaningful municipal involvement in the Species at Risk Act, to ensure:

1. Opportunities are made available for municipalities to become partners with the Government of Canada on section 11 and 13 agreements under the Species at Risk Act; and
2. The objective of the Species at Risk Act is to ensure the survival and recovery of at-risk species' populations, rather than establishing the permanent protection of lands considered to be at-risk species' critical habitat.

We thank you and the other Northwest Species at Risk Committee partnering municipalities for bringing this national issue to the forefront, at the Federation of Canadian Municipalities 2018 annual conference, in Halifax.

Sincerely,

Ken Matthews
Reeve



Lesser Slave River

May 15, 2018

Lisa Wardley
Chair, Northwest Species at Risk Committee
Deputy Reeve
Mackenzie County
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Fort Vermilion, AB T0H 1N0

RE: Letter of Support for Emergent FCM Species at Risk Resolution

Dear Ms. Wardley

We understand that federal and provincial Acts of Parliament, such as the Species at Risk Act, include decision-making authority that can supersede municipal authority, which can enable the protection of lands directly impacting municipal operations, without meaningful support.

Therefore, the Municipal District of Lesser Slave River No. 124 fully supports the Emergent FCM Resolution for meaningful municipal involvement in the Species at Risk Act, to ensure:

1. Opportunities are made available for municipalities to become partners with the Government of Canada on section 11 and 13 agreements under the Species at Risk Act; and
2. The objective of the Species at Risk Act is to ensure the survival and recovery of at-risk species' populations, rather than establishing the permanent protection of lands considered to be at-risk species' critical habitat.

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Sincerely,

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Murray Kerik
Reeve