

MAYOR REPORT TO COUNCIL

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DATE: August 12, 2019

TO: COUNCIL

NAME AND TITLE: Lyn Hall, Mayor

SUBJECT: Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) Student Mentorship Report

ATTACHMENT(S): FCM Student Mentorship Opportunity Report

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That Council receive for information the attached report from **Kristen Hirsh-Pearson** who attended the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) AGM and conference May 30 – June 2, 2019 in Quebec City under the 2019 student mentorship program.

DISCUSSION:

The City of Prince George attends three annual local government conventions, namely the North Central Local Government Association (NCLGA), the Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) and the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM). The Student Mentorship Program was established in January 2017 and each year since then, budget has been allocated to allow one (1) student to be selected to attend each of the three (3) conferences.

At the March 25, 2019 Closed Council meeting, Council identified **Kristen Hirsh-Pearson** as one of the successful applicants to the 2019 student mentorship program. As per the requirements of the mentorship program, recipients must provide summaries of their experiences. The attached report summarizes Kristen's experience during her attendance at the Federation of Canadian Municipalities (FCM) AGM and conference May 30 – June 2, 2019 in Quebec City.

Kristen is present to provide a verbal update to Council and to answer any questions regarding her report.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED:



Mayor Lyn Hall

MEETING DATE: August 19, 2019