



Note from Director Planning and Building:

The RGS minor amendment proposal is being advanced by the City of Delta. There are no local issues of concern for Burnaby regarding the proposal. Matters of regional interest will be considered through the review process of the Metro Vancouver Board.

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Mayor Mike Hurley and Council
City of Burnaby
4949 Canada Way
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Dear Mayor Hurley and Council:

Referred to:

Planning and Development Committee (2019.06.25)

Copied to:

City Manager

Dir. Corporate Services

Dir. Planning and Building

Re: Metro 2040 Land Use Designation Amendment Request from the City of Delta – MK Delta Lands Regional Growth Strategy Amending Bylaw No. 1283, 2019

On February 12, 2019, the City of Delta submitted a request to Metro Vancouver to amend *Metro 2040: Shaping Our Future (Metro 2040)* for a 62.7 ha (155 ac) property located at 7969 Highway 91 Connector, by changing the regional land use designation from “Agricultural” to “Industrial” and to include the lands within the Urban Containment Boundary.

At its May 24, 2019 regular meeting, the Board of Directors of the Metro Vancouver Regional District (Metro Vancouver) adopted the following resolutions:

That the MVRD Board:

- a) initiate the regional growth strategy amendment process for the City of Delta’s proposed regional growth strategy amendment for the property located at 7969 Highway 91 Connector;*
- b) give first and second readings to “Metro Vancouver Regional District Regional Growth Strategy Amending Bylaw No. 1283, 2019”;*
- c) direct staff to notify affected governments as per Metro Vancouver 2040: Shaping Our Future Section 6.4.2; and,*
- d) direct staff to request additional information from City of Delta staff as laid out in the report dated March 15, 2019, entitled “Metro 2040 Land Use Designation Amendment Request from the City of Delta – MK Delta Lands”.*

As required in both the *Local Government Act* and *Metro 2040*, amendment processes include a notification period to allow all affected local governments to provide comment on the proposed amendment. Following the comment period, Metro Vancouver will review all comments received, and consider third and final reading of the amendment bylaw.

The proposed amendment is a Type 3 minor amendment to *Metro 2040*, which requires an amendment bylaw be passed by Metro Vancouver by a 50%+1 weighted vote. No regional public hearing is required. For more information on regional growth strategy amendment procedures,

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please refer to Sections 6.3 and 6.4 in *Metro 2040*. A Metro Vancouver staff report* providing background information and an assessment of the proposed amendment regarding consistency with *Metro 2040* is enclosed.

You are invited to provide written comments on the proposed amendment. Please provide your comments by Friday, September 6, 2019. Comments can be provided via Council resolution.

As per MVRD Board resolution (d), Metro Vancouver staff will be in contact with City of Delta staff to request additional information, as laid out in the report dated March 15, 2019.

If you have any questions with respect to the proposed amendment, please contact Gord Tycho, Senior Planner, Regional Planning by email at Gordon.Tycho@metrovanancouver.org or by phone at 604-456-8805.

*Available in Clerks Office

Yours sincerely,



Sav Dhaliwal
Chair, Metro Vancouver Board

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Encl: Report dated May 15, 2019, titled "Metro 2040 Land Use Designation Amendment Request from the City of Delta – MK Delta Lands" (Doc #29622457)