

CORRESPONDENCE  
2021 MARCH 08



February 26, 2021

Mayor Mike Hurley  
City of Burnaby  
4949 Canada Way  
Burnaby, BC V5G 1M2

Dear Mayor Hurley:

**Re: 2020 Resolution(s) Referred to UBCM Executive**

A resolution sponsored by your community was included in the 2020 Resolutions Book for consideration at the annual UBCM Convention.

Due to a lack of time at the Convention, delegates did not have an opportunity to consider your resolution. UBCM Policies provide that all resolutions not considered at Convention are referred automatically to the UBCM Executive for their consideration and action.

At the recent February Executive meeting, the Executive considered the resolutions referred to them from the 2020 Convention, including your resolution. The Executive were provided with the Resolutions Committee comments and recommendations, as outlined within the Resolutions Book, to assist them in their deliberations.

Upon review, the Executive decided to refer NR27 Benefits of Public Car Insurance back to Burnaby. The Executive feel the motion would benefit from full member debate. Without the opportunity to discuss the merits of the motion, or receive direction from the membership it is difficult to know if the membership would be supportive of the motion. It is for these reasons that the Executive have advised that the resolution be referred back to you, as the sponsor, with a recommendation to re-submit it for 2021. You may wish to re-submit the resolution as it stands, or you may wish to make changes to provide additional clarity. Either way, UBCM would require your council to approve a motion to re-submit the resolution for 2021.

Should you have any questions, please contact Jamee Justason, Resolutions and Policy Analyst, at 604-270-8226 Ext. 100 or [jjustason@ubcm.ca](mailto:jjustason@ubcm.ca)

Yours truly,

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

Brian Frenkel  
UBCM President

**Note from City Clerk's Office:**  
Council approval is required  
for re-submission to UBCM

*Enclosure*

Copy to:  
City Manager  
Dir. Corporate Services  
Dir. Planning & Building

**CITY OF BURNABY**  
  
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**CLERK'S OFFICE**

**2020 NR27 Benefits of Public Car Insurance****Burnaby**

Whereas public car insurance creates local jobs and significant investments in municipalities through road safety and improvement, grants-in-lieu, and community grants while providing greater control to municipalities to plan for risks and costs;

And whereas jurisdictions with only private insurance options have experienced significant rate hikes year after year while accident benefits dramatically decline:

Therefore be it resolved that UBCM request the provincial government to preserve public car insurance, including jobs and local investments, in British Columbia.

**CONVENTION DECISION: NOT CONSIDERED - AUTOMATIC REFERRAL TO EXECUTIVE**

**EXECUTIVE DECISION: REFERRED BACK TO SPONSOR**