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MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 47

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Re: Burnaby Chamber of Commerce - Submission Regarding Big Bend Area

In reference to the possible agricultural uses in the area as discussed on page 6 of the report, it should be noted that several pertinent points were raised by Mr. D. Fisher of the Canadian Department of Agriculture and Mr. T. Lum of the B. C. Farm Association at a meeting held with this department on 26 July, 1971. Should Council be interested in receiving an informed account of the present and potential agricultural development in the area, Mr. Fisher has suggested that he would be more than willing to appear before Council to make a presentation at Council's earliest convenience.

We would reassure Council that Mr. Fisher's expert knowledge and eloquence combine to give a most valuable insight into the agricultural resource potential.

Respectfully submitted,

Wall Church

DIRECTOR OF PLANNING.

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