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COUNCIL REPORT

TO:

CITY MANAGER

DATE:

2009 February 24

FROM:

DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

SUBJECT:

NOISE AND WATERCOURSE BYLAWS

PURPOSE:

To recommend the amendment of the Burnaby Noise or Sound Abatement and

Watercourse Bylaws to reflect current enforcement mandate.

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the Burnaby Noise or Sound Abatement Bylaw and Burnaby Watercourse Bylaw be amended as noted in this report.

REPORT

As a normal part of reviewing the bylaws, it has been noted that the Burnaby Noise or Sound Abatement Bylaw and the Watercourse Bylaw have either the Medical Health Officer, Chief Public Health Inspector and/or Director Engineering and their designates authorized to enforce the noted bylaws. In reflecting to the currency of the enforcement of the subject bylaws and the Medical Health Office and Chief Public Health Inspector are now part of the Provincial organization, it is recommended that Council amend the Burnaby Noise or Sound Abatement Bylaw and the Watercourse Bylaw to authorize Director Engineering and/or his designate only to enforce the subject bylaws.

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DIRECTOR ENGINEERING

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