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Mayor Nenshi and Members of City of Calgary Council The City of Calgary PO Box 2100, Station M Calgary, AB T2P 2M5

CITY OF CALGARY RECEIVED IN COUNCIL CHAMBER
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CITY CLERK'S DEPARTMENT

Dear Mayor Nenshi & Members of City Council:

Re: C2017-0434 – Proposed Centre City Enterprise Area: Amendment to Land Use Bylaw 1P2007- Bylaw30P2017

BILD Calgary Region, BOMA Calgary and NAIOP Calgary are pleased to acknowledge the effort of Administration, in particular Thom Mahler and Amie Blanchette, in regard to the proposed Centre City Enterprise Area – Land Use Bylaw amendment to create opportunities to provide stimulus for Centre City building owners and businesses in an economic downturn.

As the cover report to Council indicates, this **'represents a balanced approach to a bold idea'** - our Industry Associations wholly concur with this description of Administration's work.

BILD Calgary Region, BOMA Calgary and NAIOP Calgary would respectfully request that Council approve the cover report recommendations and give three readings to the bylaw.

Upon approval of the Centre City Enterprise Area bylaw amendment, our Associations will be pleased to offer implementation and monitoring support to

Administration to ensure the amendment is most effective in achieving its intended outcomes.

On behalf of BILD Calgary Region, BOMA Calgary and NAIOP Calgary:

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Beverly Jarvis, Director of Government Relations, Policy & Projects

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