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**Re: SPC-PUD – June 8<sup>th</sup> | Industry/City Work Plan Update**

CHBA-UDI Calgary Region Association (CHBA-UDI-CRA) offers this letter in support of the GM, Planning & Development Report to SPC-PUD on June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2016. The Report and attachments provide administrations update on the Industry/City Work Plan that was approved by Council on January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2016 with instructions to report back to Council on progress of same, every 6 months.

First and foremost CHBA-UDI-CRA wishes to acknowledge the time and resources that the administration has committed to the Work Plan. This matches the Industry commitment through its enormous number of volunteer hours that have been dedicated to ensuring the success of all initiatives that comprise the Work Plan.

Secondly, we appreciate the opportunity from administration to review and comment on the report while it was in draft form. There were a number of changes that we requested most of which were regarding differences in perception, between industry and administration, as to the status of certain Work Plan initiatives. We feel that most of these have been addressed.

CHBA-UDI-CRA and our Industry look forward to continuing the important work and associated outcomes that will come from the Work Plan. We have agreed with administration that the next report to Council will be at the end of January, 2017. We are hopeful that the next update will contain a number of completed items, improving all aspects of Industry interactions with the City of Calgary.

Yours Truly

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Guy Huntingford', with a stylized flourish at the end.

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