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Trilateral Joint Planning Area 1 Committee - 2024 November Meeting Update

PURPOSE OF BRIEFING

The purpose of this briefing is to update Intergovernmental Affairs Committee on the work of the Trilateral Joint Planning Area 1 Committee from their meeting held on 2024 November 29.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

The Trilateral Joint Planning Area 1 Committee was hosted by Rocky View County Administration. Councillors Gian-Carlo Carra and Raj Dhaliwal represented The City of Calgary at the meeting. Deputy Reeve Don Kochan and Councillor Greg Boehlke represented Rocky View County, with Mayor Peter Brown and Councillor Ron Chapman representing the City of Airdrie.

The purpose of the meeting was for the Committee to endorse the Context Study scope, Engagement Strategy, Change Management Plan and to confirm next steps.

The administration team presented an update on the project and informed the Committee of an upcoming visioning session on 2024 December 13, intended to capture the Committee's vision for the area and form the basis of the Context Study.

Some Committee members expressed concern with the current uncertainty around the future of the Calgary Metropolitan Region Board (CMRB) following the Government of Alberta's announcement at the 2024 November 22 CMRB Board meeting. It is unclear how this will impact the statutory Growth Plan which directs the work to complete the Context Study for the Joint Planning Areas.

The Committee agreed to proceed with the visioning session on 2024 December 13 and directed administration to revisit the scope of the Context Study following the completion of the visioning session.

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General Manager Debra Hamilton concurs with the information in this Briefing.