



Corporate Report

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2005

REGULAR COUNCIL

TO: Mayor & Council **DATE: February 21,
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**FROM: General Manager,
Engineering** **FILE: 0410-01**

**SUBJECT: Provincial Grant for Tsunami Response
Planning**

RECOMMENDATION

That Council support the application to the Province for a grant of up to \$10,000 for tsunami preparedness planning.

BACKGROUND

The Province has announced a grant program to assist municipalities with tsunami preparedness planning. This program will provide up to \$10,000 per municipality for such planning. Subject to Council support, staff will submit a grant application to identify areas that would be affected by a tsunami, develop a public warning and evacuation plan, identify and sign safe evacuation routes and prepare public education materials. A Council resolution in support is required as part of the grant application.

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Cc: Fire Chief

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