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**CERTIFIED CORRECT COUNCIL RESOLUTION**

Resort Municipality of Whistler  
Regular Council Meeting of September 2, 2014

Moved by Councillor A. Janyk  
Seconded by Councillor J. Grills

**WHEREAS**, grizzly bears and the wild places they inhabit are an iconic and integral part of the Sea to Sky region's natural heritage and image, are culturally significant to First Nations, and there are ecological, economic, and spiritual benefits to conserving and recovering grizzly bears including that they are an "umbrella species", the conservation of which will benefit many other plants, animals and ecosystem values like clean water and recreational opportunities;

**AND WHEREAS**, the community of Whistler was involved in, and supported, the April 2008 Sea-to-Sky LRMP which set a goal of achieving and maintaining Viable status for each of the four Grizzly Bear Population Units that overlap the Sea-to-Sky LRMP plan area, including the two adjacent to Whistler, through the development of Grizzly Bear Recovery Plans;

**AND WHEREAS**, these Grizzly Bear Recovery Plans have not been written and Grizzly Bear Population Units in the Sea to Sky Region remain Threatened;

**THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that the community of Whistler continues to support the management, recovery and long-term viability grizzly bear populations in the Sea to Sky region and encourages the creation and Implementation of Grizzly Bear Recovery Plans as soon as possible.

CARRIED

These are true resolutions of the Council of  
the Resort Municipality of Whistler from the  
Regular Council Meeting of September 2, 2014

Laurie-Anne Schimek  
Deputy Corporate Officer