

AGENDA REPORT TO BOARD OF DIRECTORS

MEETING DATE: FEBRUARY 16, 2015

: Item:

Board of Directors Annual Review: Policy

Presenters:

Andrew Lalka, Secretary-Treasurer

Scott Courtice, Managing Director, Government Services

Purpose of Report:

For Approval

Item #:

8a)

Recommendation:

That the Board of Directors approve the "Board of Directors Annual Review" policy as attached.

Background:

Establishing an annual Board of Directors self-assessment is a governance best practice, and has been requested by the USC Board.

Report:

The purpose of this review is o survey a broad number of factors that contribute to good governance, and to identify areas of improvement. As we are in the first year of a new Board of Directors structure, identifying areas of improvement will be extremely helpful for Government Services staff as we develop new training modules and Board processes.

Legislative History:

Governance and Development Committee discussed a review last year, and received a draft of this policy before it came to the full Board.

Next Steps:

We will send a survey to the Board after the policy is approved. We'll present the results to the Board and integrate what we learn into training and new Board procedures.

Sign-Offs:

Board Chairperson Review:	Isaac Jacobi, Chairperson	Jean Joan!
USC General Manager Review:	Cathy Clarke, General Manager	
Secretary-Treasurer Review:	Andrew Lalka	Add
Legislative Review:	Scott Courtice, MD Government Services	