



# Memo

**TO:** Mayor and Council

**SUBJECT:** 2022 Firesmart Community Funding

**DATE:** September 24, 2021

**FROM:** Chief Administrative Officer

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## **BACKGROUND**

The Town of Lake Cowichan is submitting a grant application under the FireSmart Community Funding & Supports program for a 2022 by the deadline date of October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021.

The proposed project which is the subject of this application is intended to increase community resiliency by undertaking community based FireSmart planning and activities that reduce the community's risk from wildfire.

## **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

A council resolution that reads as follows is required as a condition of the application:

that Council approve the making of a grant application under the 2022 Community Funding and Supports Program through UBCM for an amount of up to \$150,000;

and that it further provides assurance that it would support all the proposed activities under the plan and would undertake the overall proper fiscal management of the grant.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joseph A. Fernandez'.

Joseph A. Fernandez