DISTRICT OF SAANICH MINUTES OF THE COUNCIL MEETING HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS SAANICH MUNICIPAL HALL, 770 VERNON AVENUE MONDAY, JANUARY 13, 2014 AT 7:30 PM

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MOVED by Councillor Brownoff and Seconded by Councillor Brice: "That:

- 1. Saanich Council write the Prime Minister of Canada, Premier of BC and the Ombudsman for Canada Post, to request they re-evaluate the financial and social impacts that Canada Post's premature announcement can have on municipalities and taxpayers, and consideration be given to:
- a. the "grandfathering" of current home delivery service and reviewing the number of days per week for delivery;
- b. the need to review this change in service with an "Age Friendly" lens, Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design, safe walking distance and walking area, maintenance of infrastructure (including graffiti) and maintaining site locations (i.e. overgrown vegetation, etc.), litter and security of contents; and 2. the Federation of Canadian Municipalities be asked to establish a working group to address this issue with all levels of government prior to cancellation of home delivery of mail across Canada."