City of Courtenay 830 Cliffe Ave. Courtenay, BC V9N 2J7

November 8, 2024

Dear Mayor Bob Wells and City of Courtenay Councillors,

The Indigenous Women's Sharing Society (IWSS) is writing to request support from the City of Courtenay for Doris Weislein's memorial. Doris Weislein was an important community member, a City Freeman, and played many other inspiring roles in the community, and it is important to our society to respectfully honour her memory. We request that the City have the facility fees waived for a memorial service for Elder Doris Weislein, and request that if possible, City staff support by helping set up the venue before the event.

The event is scheduled for December 13, 2024 from 6:30-9:30pm at the Florence Filberg Centre in Courtenay.

On behalf of the board and staff at IWSS, I thank you for your support in this matter and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Sarah Ravensbergen Board of Directors

Indigenous Women's Sharing Society