

# **REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO**

#### MINUTES OF THE REGULAR COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING

#### Tuesday, November 20, 2018 3:00 P.M. RDN Board Chambers

In Attendance:	Director I. Thorpe Director B. Rogers Director K. Wilson Director V. Craig Director V. Craig Director L. Salter Director C. Gourlay Director C. Gourlay Director S. McLean Director S. McLean Director L. Krog Director D. Bonner Director D. Bonner Director T. Brown Director B. Geselbracht Director B. Geselbracht Director E. Hemmens Director J. Turley Director E. Mayne Director A. Fras Director M. Swain Director T. Westbroek	Chair Vice Chair Electoral Area A Electoral Area B Electoral Area C Electoral Area F Electoral Area G Electoral Area H City of Nanaimo City of Parksville City of Parksville District of Lantzville Town of Qualicum Beach
Regrets:	Director S. Armstrong	City of Nanaimo
Also in Attendance:	P. Carlyle R. Alexander T. Osborne D. Pearce D. Wells T. Mayea C. Golding	Chief Administrative Officer Gen. Mgr. Regional & Community Utilities Gen. Mgr. Recreation & Parks Director of Transportation & Emergency Services Gen. Mgr. Corporate Services Legislative Coordinator Recording Secretary

#### CALL TO ORDER

The Chair called the meeting to order and respectfully acknowledged the Coast Salish Nations on whose traditional territory the meeting took place.

#### **APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA**

It was moved and seconded that the agenda be approved as presented.

# ADOPTION OF MINUTES

# Regular Committee of the Whole Meeting - October 2, 2018

It was moved and seconded that the minutes of the Regular Committee of the Whole meeting held October 2, 2018, be adopted.

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# DELEGATIONS

#### Kyle Clifford, President, Gabriola Recreation Society, re 2019 Budget Request

Kyle Clifford provided a brief history of the Gabriola Recreation Society, summarized the current funding model and asked the Board to supplement their annual grant funding with an additional \$8,000 to enable the Society to hire a qualified programmer for their summer programs.

#### COMMITTEE MINUTES

It was moved and seconded that the following minutes be received for information:

Drinking Water and Watershed Protection Technical Advisory Committee - October 25, 2018

District 69 Recreation Commission - October 18, 2018

Agricultural Advisory Committee - September 21, 2018

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATIONS**

**District 69 Recreation Commission** 

#### **District 69 Youth Recreation Grants**

It was moved and seconded that the following District 69 Youth Recreation Grant applications be approved:

- 893 Beaufort Cadet Squadron equipment, ski lessons, transportation and lunch -\$2,500
- Errington War Memorial Hall Association equipment, rent \$1,590
- Family Resource Association recreation passes, bus passes, snacks \$2,500
- Oceanside Minor Lacrosse Association field lacrosse equipment \$2,000

Total - \$8,590

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# **District 69 Community Recreation Grants**

It was moved and seconded that the following District 69 Community Recreation Grant applications be approved:

- Arrowsmith Agricultural Association Family Day \$1,351
- Bow Horne Bay Community Club Lighthouse Fall Fair \$2,500
- Corcan Meadowood Residents Association Halloween event 2019 \$2,355
- Oceanside Women's Hockey Travel Team jerseys \$1,555
- Parksville Golden Oldies Sports Association rental \$500
- Parksville Indoor Slow-Pitch League equipment \$1,600
- Qualicum Beach Community Garden Society raised beds \$1,691
- Ravensong Masters Swim Club pool rental \$1,200

Total - \$12,752

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **RECREATION AND PARKS**

#### UBCM 2019 Age Friendly Communities Grant Application

It was moved and seconded that the Board endorse the grant application to the Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) for the Age Friendly Communities Grant (Stream 1) for the purposes of funding an active aging asset mapping project within the Northern Recreation Services area.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **Gabriola Recreation Society Increase Funding Request**

It was moved and seconded that the Regional District supplement annual grant funding received by Gabriola Recreation Society from the Canada Summer Jobs program for their Summer Student Coordinator position to a maximum combined total of eight thousand dollars (\$8,000) for the 2019 and 2020 fiscal years.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **REGIONAL AND COMMUNITY UTILITIES**

#### **EPCOR Hydrant Maintenance Contract Approval**

It was moved and seconded that the Board enter into a contract with EPCOR Water (West) Inc. to provide hydrant maintenance services in French Creek for the period January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2020 at a total cumulative cost of approximately \$300,000.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### Final Report – 10 Year Action Plan Review for Drinking Water and Watershed Protection

It was moved and seconded that the Board receive the final report on the 10 Year Action Plan Review for the Drinking Water and Watershed Protection program for information.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# Surface Water Quality Trend Analysis for Regional District of Nanaimo Community Watershed Monitoring Network Data (2011-2017)

It was moved and seconded that the Board endorse presentations to the City of Nanaimo, the City of Parksville, the Town of Qualicum Beach and the District of Lantzville councils to provide the results of the report.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# TRANSPORTATION AND EMERGENCY PLANNING SERVICES

#### Fire Services Automatic Response Agreement Renewal

It was moved and seconded that the Automatic Response Agreement for a five-year term from March 1, 2018 to March 1, 2023 be approved.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### NEW BUSINESS

#### Notice of Motion - Bowser Village Centre Wastewater Project

Director McLean served notice that the following motion be considered by the Board at the December 4, 2018 Board meeting:

That staff be directed to bring back a report to the January 8, 2019 Committee of the Whole meeting, regarding the options and implications of undertaking further investigations of land disposal for the Bowser Village Centre Wastewater Project.

# Chair's Appointments to Board Standing and Select Committees, and External Organizations

The Board was advised of the Chair's Appointments to Board Standing and Select Committees, and External Organizations.

#### IN CAMERA

It was moved and seconded that pursuant to Section 90 (1) (a) of the *Community Charter* the Committee proceed to an In Camera meeting for discussions related to Board appointments.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

TIME: 3:28 PM

# ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

TIME: 4:05 PM

CHAIR