

# MINUTES OF THE DISTRICT OF PORT HARDY REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING NOVEMBER 28, 2017 COUNCIL CHAMBERS, MUNICIPAL HALL 7360 COLUMBIA STREET

PRESENT: Mayor Hank Bood, Councillors Pat Corbett-Labatt, Dennis Dugas, Rick Marcotte,

Fred Robertson, John Tidbury and Leightan Wishart

ALSO PRESENT: Allison McCarrick, Chief Administrative Officer; Heather Nelson-Smith, Director of

Corporate Services; Abbas Farahbakhsh, Director of Operational Services; Adrian

Maas, Director of Financial Services; Leslie Driemel, Recording Secretary

MEDIA: N. I. Gazette MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC: 2

# A. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Bood called the meeting to order at 7:03 pm.

#### **B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

2017-189 AGENDA NOV 28/17 ACCEPTED

# Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT the agenda for the Regular Council meeting of November 28, 2017 be accepted as presented.

# C. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

1. Minutes of the Committee of the Whole meeting held November 9, 2017.

2017-190 COW MEETING MINUTES NOV 9/17 ACCEPTED

# Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT the minutes of the Committee of the Whole meeting held November 9, 2017 be accepted as presented.

2. Minutes of the Special Council meeting held November 14, 2017.

#### 2017-191 SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES NOV 14/17 ACCEPTED

#### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT the Minutes of the Special Council meeting held November 14, 2017 be accepted as presented.

3. Minutes of the Committee of the Whole meeting held November 14, 2017.

#### 2017-192 COMM OF WHOLE MEETING MINUTES NOV 14/17 ACCEPTED

#### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT the Minutes of the Committee of the Whole meeting held November 14, 2017 be accepted as presented.

4. Minutes of the Regular Council meeting held November 14, 2017.

# Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT the Minutes of the Regular Council meeting held November 14, 2017 be accepted as presented.

# D. DELEGATIONS

Brent Borg re: Council Appointment as Fire Chief.

Mayor Bood advised those present that Brent Borg has been appointed as Fire Chief for the District of Port Hardy and commented that Council and staff look forward to working with him in this new capacity.

2017-193 REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING MINUTES NOV 14/17 ACCEPTED Chief Borg updated Council on:

- The Fire Department roster now at 35 members due to the successful recruitment campaign.
- Full training of new recruits will take up to two years.
- Officer appointments: Gavin Texmo, Deputy Fire Chief; Justin Reusch and Kerry Walsh, Captains; Adam Harding, Brad Tolmie, and Kurtis Holm, Lieutenants
- The successful training exercise recently held in Port Hardy and some of the favourable comments received by participants.

# **E. ACTION ITEMS**

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1. Council action items were received for information.

# F. CORRESPONDENCE

- Liz Cookson, Executive Coordinator, AVICC (Nov.17/17) re: 2018 AVICC Convention Resolutions and Executive Committee Nominations, were received for information.
- Treina Topfer, Secretary Port Hardy Lions (Nov.14/17) re: Request for Permission for Timmy's Road Blocks and use of District barriers.

2017-194 PH LIONS TIMMY'S ROAD BLOCKS

#### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT Council approve the request from Port Hardy Lions to hold the Annual Timmy's Road Blocks December 2, 2017 from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm (in front of Esso gas station, by the Chamber of Commerce building and by Robert Scott School) and the request to use of District road barriers.

#### **G. NEW BUSINESS**

No New Business.

# H. COUNCIL REPORTS

Councillors Pat Corbett-Labatt, Dennis Dugas, Rick Marcotte, Fred Robertson, John Tidbury and Leightan Wishart reported on their recent meetings and other activities they attended and/or undertook on behalf of the District.

# I. COMMITTEE REPORTS

- 1. Draft minutes of the First Nations Relations Committee meeting held November 14, 2017 were received for information.
- 2. Draft minutes of the Parks & Recreation Review Committee meeting held November 15, 2017 were received for information.
- Draft minutes of the Operational Services Committee meeting held November 16, 2017 were received for information.
   Recommendation: THAT Council approve placing the Lost at Sea Monument close to the kayak launch area in Tsulquate Park.

Abbas Farahbakhsh, Director of Operational Services reviewed the estimated costs to refurbish and install the monument.

2017-195 LOST AT SEA MONUMENT SITE

### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT Council approve placing the Lost at Sea Monument close to the kayak launch area in Tsulquate Park.

### J. STAFF REPORTS

1. Heather Nelson-Smith, Director of Corporate Services re: 2018 Council Meeting dates.

2017-196 2018 COUNCIL MEETING DATES

#### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT Council approves the following regular Council meeting dates for 2018:

January 9
February 13
February 27
March 13
March 27
April 10
May 8
May 22
June 12
June 26

July 10 July 24- cancelled for summer beak

August 14 August 28 - cancelled for summer break

September 11 - cancelled for UBCM September 25

Convention

October 9 October 23 November 13 November 27

December 11 December 25 - cancelled for Christmas break

2. Heather Nelson-Smith, Director of Corporate Services re: In Camera Release of Information, October 31, 2017.

Heather Nelson-Smith, Director of Corporate Services circulated an updated District of Port Hardy In Camera Release of Information Report (Oct. 31/17) that Council received as information.

#### K. CURRENT BYLAWS AND RESOLUTIONS

1. Bylaw 1068-2016 A Bylaw to Regulate Smoking in the District of Port Hardy. For Third Reading.

Heather Nelson-Smith discussed with Council:

- Public vs private spaces.
- WorksafeBC regulations.
- Required doorway signage.
- Bylaw enforcement to be complaint driven.
- No further comments from public received since last update to Council.

#### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT Bylaw 1068-2016 A Bylaw to Regulate Smoking in the District of Port Hardy. receive Third Reading.

2. A. Maas, Director of Corporate Services (Nov 21/17) re: Annual Financial Plan Amendment Bylaw was received for information.

Bylaw 1072-2017 A Bylaw to Amend the Annual Five-Year Financial Plan for the Period 2017-2021. For First, Second and Third Reading.

### Moved/Seconded/Carried

THAT Bylaw 1072-2017 A Bylaw to Amend the Annual Five-Year Financial Plan for the Period 2017-2021 receive First, Second and Third Reading.

### L. PENDING BYLAWS

A Bylaw to Provide Regulations for the Control of Burning and Smoke.

# M. INFORMATION AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

IN CAMERA RELEASE OF INFORMATION REPORT OCT. 31/17

2017-197 BYL 1068-2016 3<sup>RD</sup> READING

2017-198 BYL 1072-2017 AMEND BYL 1061-2017 ANNUAL FINANCIAL PLAN Information and announcements in the agenda package were received for information.

# N. NOTICE OF IN CAMERA MEETING

No In Camera meeting scheduled.

2017-199 ADJOURNMENT

# O. ADJOURNMENT

Moved THAT the meeting be adjourned.	Time: 7:35pm
CORRECT	APPROVED
DIRECTOR OF CORPORATE SERVICES	MAYOR