VILLAGE OF HARRISON HOT SPRINGS MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF COUNCIL

- DATE: Monday, December 5, 2022
- TIME: 7:00 p.m.
- PLACE: Council Chambers, Memorial Hall 290 Esplanade Avenue, Harrison Hot Springs, BC

IN ATTENDANCE: Mayor Ed Wood

Councillor John Buckley Councillor Leo Facio Councillor Allan Jackson Councillor Michie Vidal

Deputy Chief Administrative Officer/CO, Debra Key Community Services Manager/Deputy CO, Rhonda Schell Finance Manager, Scott Schultz Operations Manager, Tyson Koch

ABSENT:

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Wood called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. Mayor Wood acknowledged the traditional territory of Sts'ailes

2. INTRODUCTION OF LATE ITEMS

None

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Facio Seconded by Councillor Buckley

THAT the agenda be approved.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-01

4. ADOPTION OF COUNCIL MINUTES

Moved by Councillor Jackson Seconded by Councillor Vidal

THAT the Regular Council Meeting Minutes of November 21, 2022 be adopted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-02

5. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

None

6. CONSENT AGENDA

None

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7. DELEGATIONS/PETITIONS

None

8. CORRESPONDENCE

(a) Letter dated December 1, 2022 from Tourism Harrison River Valley Re: Request for Support – Grant Application BC Destination Development Fund

Moved by Councillor Facio Seconded by Councillor Vidal

THAT the letter dated December 1, 2022 from Tourism Harrison River Valley be received.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-03

9. BUSINESS ARISING FROM CORRESPONDENCE

Moved by Councillor Jackson Seconded by Councillor Facio

THAT a letter be forwarded to Tourism Harrison River Valley expressing Council's support in their application to seek funding under the BC Destination Development Fund to upgrade the electrical grid along the waterfront of Harrison Lake.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-04

10. <u>REPORTS OF COUNCILLORS, COMMITTEES, COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE AND</u> <u>COMMISSIONS</u>

Councillor Buckley

- Agassiz Harrison Healthy Communities No Report
- Fraser Valley Regional District Board (Alternate Municipal Director) No Report
- Harrison Agassiz Chamber of Commerce No Report
- Attended the Fraser Valley Regional District Region-Wide Elected Officials Orientation session in Chilliwack on November 30, 2022

Councillor Facio

- Fraser Health No Report
- Fraser Valley Regional District Board (Municipal Director)
 - o Attended the Fraser Valley Regional Board meeting on November 24, 2022
 - Attended the Fraser Valley Regional Hospital Board meeting on November 24, 2022
- Fraser Valley Regional Library Board (Alternate Municipal Director) No Report
- Attended the Fraser Valley Regional District Region-Wide Elected Officials Orientation session in Chilliwack on November 30, 2022

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Councillor Jackson

- Fraser Valley Regional Library Board (Municipal Director) No Report
- Tourism Harrison No Report
- Reported on the establishment of the Communities in Bloom Committee

Councillor Vidal

- Community Futures North Fraser Board of Directors
 O Attended a meeting on November 29, 2022
- Corrections Canada Citizen's Advisory Committee No Report
- Kent Harrison Joint Emergency Program Committee No Report
- Attended the Fraser Valley Regional District Region-Wide Elected Officials
 Orientation session in Chilliwack on November 30, 2022

MAYOR'S REPORT

- Reported on the Streamkeepers Society release of chum into the Miami River on November 22,2022
- Commented on the role of a full time Fire Chief and Manager of Public Safety

Mayor Wood excused himself from Council Chambers at 7:18 p.m. due to a conflict of interest stating that he has confidential reasons

Deputy Mayor Buckley assumed the position of Chair.

11. REPORTS FROM STAFF

(a) Report of Chief Administrative Officer - November 10, 2022 Re: Code of Conduct Review

Moved by Councillor Facio Seconded by Councillor Vidal

THAT Council add Code of Conduct Policy No. 1.33 to an upcoming Committee of the Whole Meeting for the purpose of review and reconsideration of the policy in accordance with Section 113 of the Community Charter.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-05

Mayor Wood re-entered Council Chambers at 7:26 p.m.

12. BYLAWS

None

13. NEW BUSINESS

None

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14. QUESTIONS FROM THE PUBLIC (pertaining to agenda items only)

Questions from the public were entertained.

15. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Councillor Facio Seconded by Councillor Vidal

THAT the meeting be adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

Ed Wood Mayor

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY RC-2022-12-06

ber - Debra Key Corporate Officer