

CITY OF GREENWOOD

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of Council held on Monday November 27, 2017 7:00 pm at City Hall

PRESENT

Mayor: Ed Smith

Councillors: C. Lang, J. Nathorst, L. Cudworth, G. Shaw

Wendy Higashi, CAO

ALSO PRESENT

CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Smith called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Motion: J. Nathorst / C. Lang

THAT the November 27, 2017 agenda with the addition of

14. f, g, and h be adopted.

(211-17)

Carried

QUESTION & ANSWER PERIOD

DELEGATIONS

None

4. a

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Motion: J. Nathorst / G. Shaw

THAT the Regular minutes of November 14, and the Budget

meeting of November 20, 2017 be adopted

as presented.

(212-17)

Carried

CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION

CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

7. a.) June Herbert – Request

Motion: C. Lang / G. Shaw

THAT Council approve Mrs. June Herbert to use her travel trailer as a temporary residence until August 31, 2018 while a house is being

constructed on her property.

(213-17)

Carried

COMMITTEE REPORTS COUNCILLOR REPORTS

Councillor Cudworth:

Public Works Report

Councillor Lang:

Verbal

Movie in the Community Hall and Board of Trade Christmas Light up

Councillor Nathorst

Verbal

Hospital Board meeting

Gerry Shaw:

Graffiti – add paint for tunnel and cleanup for the budget

MAYOR'S REPORT

Greenwood Street Culvert - Contract went out to bid on November 22, 217 Verbal & Submitted Attended the Emergency Services Banquet

Fence installed in Section F of the Greenwood Cemetery – RDKB funded Will be attending a Boundary Community Forest meeting this week.

ADMINISTRATORS REPORT

Verbal

Attended the Fire Department Banquet BC Rural Dividend Program grant

Motion: G. Shaw / C. Lang

THAT Council approve the CAO to prepare for the next

BC Rural Dividend Program Grant.

(214-17)

Carried

SUPERINTENDENT OF **PUBLIC WORKS REPORT**

Read by Councillor Cudworth

Motion: L. Cudworth / J. Nathorst To accept the reports as presented.

(215-17)

Carried

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE

Motion: C. Lang / G. Shaw

THAT the cash disbursement for \$90,593.61be received.

(216-17)

Carried

NEW AND UNFINISHED BUSINESS

14. a) Property Taxes / Utilities / Delinquent, Arrears and Currently Owed

| Property Taxes / Utilities | October 10, 2017 | November 6, 2017 |
|---------------------------------------|------------------|------------------|
| Current Taxes Owing | \$148,764.63 | \$136,164.54 |
| Residential Properties in Arrears: | \$ 60,130.94 | \$ 52,679.60 |
| Taxes not paid in 2 years. This | | |
| includes utilities that were not paid | | |
| and were moved over to taxes. | | |
| Commercial Properties in | \$ 26,437.83 | \$ 26,437.83 |
| Arrears: Taxes not paid in 2 years. | | |
| This includes utilities that were not | | |
| paid and were moved over to taxes. | | |
| Residential Properties Delinquent: | \$ 7,256.48 | \$ 0 |
| Commercial Properties | \$ 0 | \$ 0 |

| Delinquent: | | |
|------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Complete Taxes Owing: | \$ 242,589.88 | \$ 215,281.97 |
| Current Utility Owing | \$ 53,653.65 | \$ 50,909.72 |
| Residential Utility Bills arrears: | \$ 29,274.66 | \$ 28,597.23 |
| Commercial Utility Bills arrears: | \$ 8,214.83 | \$ 8,214.83 |
| Complete Utility Bills Owing | \$ 91,143.14 | \$ 87,721.78 |
| Total amount outstanding | \$ 306,425.11 | \$ 303,009.75 |
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Utility Bills not paid by December 31, 2017 will move over to Taxes in Arrears for 2018.

Staff is in contact with all mortgage holders regarding delinquent taxes.

14. b.) CAO Education for 2018

Motion: J. Nathorst / G. Shaw

THAT Council approve the course "Fundamentals of Local Government Corporate Administration", travel expenses and accommodation for Wendy Higashi, CAO to attend in Kelowna in 2018.

(217-17)

Motion: J. Nathorst / G. Shaw

THAT Council approve the course" Managing People in Local Government Organization" for Wendy Higashi, CAO to attend the in Bowen Island in May 2018.

(218-17)

14. c.) ICBC - Council

Motion: C. Lang / J. Nathorst

THAT the City of Greenwood increase Council's vehicle insurance to business insurance if that Council member travels in excess of six days a month; and

If a Council member has a senior rate class it must be changed to either pleasure use or business use.

(219-17)

14. d.) Kettle River Watershed Management Plan

Motion: J. Nathorst / C. Lang

THAT the City of Greenwood pay \$500 towards the Kettle River Watershed Management Plan.

(220-17)

14. e. Christmas Certificates

Motion: L. Cudworth / G. Shaw

THAT Council direct staff to prepare the Christmas bonuses as outlined in the Christmas Policy #2550(3) for December 2017.

(221-17)

Carried

Carried

Carried

Carried

Carried

14. f.) CBC Greenwood Tower Site

Discussion:

For staff to research the use of the tower Approach Roger's

Fire Department Regional District Insurance

14. g.) 2018 Schedule of Regular Meetings

14. h.) Purchasing Pumps for

Motion: G. Shaw / J. Nathorst

THAT Council approve the amended 2018 Schedule of Regular

meetings.

(222-17)

Motion: G. Shaw / L. Cudworth

THAT Council approve the purchase of two metropolitan 45 MPCs for \$10,740.97 each for Lift Station 1 from Precision Service and

Pumps.

(223-17)

Lift Station 1

Carried

Carried

BYLAWS

15. a.) Utilities Billing and Payment Schedule Bylaw No. 920, 2017

(224-17)

Motion: J. Nathorst / C. Lang

1st, 2nd and 3rd reading of the Utilities Billing and Payment Schedule

Bylaw No. 920, 2017.

Carried

QUESTION PERIOD

In-Camera

Motion: C. Lang / L. Cudworth

THAT Council move in-camera under 90. (1) (e) Land, 90 (1) (g) Legal,

and 90. (1) (c) Labour relations.

(225-17)

17.

Carried

Council moved in-camera at 8:13 pm.

Council returned to the regular Council meeting at 8:58 pm

ADJOURNMENT

Motion: G. Shaw

18.

To adjourn the Regular Council meeting at 8:58 pm.

Carried

(226-17)

Mayor

Certified Correct

Wendy Higashi, CAO