#### **MINUTES**

# DEVELOPMENT PROCESS REVIEW COMMITTEE TUESDAY, 2014-SEP-09 AT 11:30 A.M.



Present:

Absent:

Councillor Bill Bestwick Councillor Jim Kipp Councillor Bill McKay

Bob Wall, RW Wall Ltd.
Brian Anderson, Coastal Community Credit Union
Byron Gallant, B. Gallant Homes Ltd.
Greg Constable, Island West Coast Developments
Ian Niamath, Ian Niamath Architects
Keith Brown, Keith Brown & Assoc.
Rod Smith, Newcastle Engineering

#### City Staff:

Dale Lindsay, Director, Community Development
Heidi Davidson, Administrative Coordinator
Nelda Richardson, Manager, Development Support Services & Business Licencing
Mark Willoughby, Acting Manager, Engineering Support Services
Bill Corsan, Manager, Real Estate
Dean Mousseau, Manager, Subdivision & Engineering
Kris Sillem, Manager, Subdivision
Bruce Anderson, Manager, Planning & Design
Deborah Jensen, Planner, Planning & Design
Sheila Herrera, Planner, Planning & Design
Tom Weinreich, Manager, Building Inspections

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 11:30 a.m.

#### LATE ITEMS

It was MOVED and SECONDED that the agenda be amended to include the following items:

- 6 A. Progess Report on Single Point of Contact for Development Applications
- 6 B. Supreme Court Archaeological Requirement and the Impact it may have on Development in Nanaimo
- 6 C. Building Permit Applications

**CARRIED** 

It was MOVED and SECONDED that the issue of including financial information Staff reports that pertain to development be added to the next DPRC agenda as directed by Council at its meeting of 2014-SEP-08.

**CARRIED** 

#### 2. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

It was MOVED and SECONDED that the minutes of 2014-JUN-24 be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

#### 3. LIDAR PRESENTATION

Mark Willoughby provided a PowerPoint presentation and an overview of the City's Lidar program.

#### 4. PUBLIC NOTIFICATION PROCESS

Deborah Jensen provided a PowerPoint presentation and an overview of the current public notification processes as it pertains to the Official Community Plan, re-zoning, development variance permit, development permit and Board of Variance applications.

A discussion ensued regarding the current process, signage requirements, notification boundaries and neighbourhood association referrals.

It was MOVED and SECONDED that the chair and the vice chair of the Nanaimo Neighbourhood Network be invited to a future meeting of the DPRC to discuss neighbourhood associations.

**DEFEATED** 

It was MOVED and SECONDED that following the election (November 2014), the new Council direct Staff to schedule a series of information / educational meetings with the chair and vice chair of the Nanaimo Neighbourhood Network and DPRC members respecting neighbourhood associations.

CARRIED

#### 5. CUSTOMER SERVICE INITIATIVES - SUBDIVISION

Kris Sillem provided a PowerPoint presentation and an overview regarding how the Subdivision Section is meeting the Customer Service Initiatives as determined at the 2013 Developers' Forum.

#### 6. <u>CUSTOMER SERVICE INITIATIVES – REAL ESTATE</u>

This item was deferred to the next meeting.

#### 6 A. SINGLE POINT OF CONTACT FOR DEVELOPMENT APPLICATIONS

This item was deferred to the next meeting.

## 6 B. SUPREME COURT ARCHAEOLOGICAL REQUIREMENT AND THE IMPACT IT MAY HAVE ON DEVELOPMENT IN NANAIMO

This item was deferred to the next meeting.

### 7. <u>NEXT MEETING</u>

Next regular meeting will be Tuesday, 2014-OCT-14 at 11:30 a.m., Board Room, Service & Resource Centre.

#### 8. <u>ADJOURNMENT</u>

The meeting adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

APPRÓVED:

Bill Bestwick, Chair

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