### **MINUTES**

## SPECIAL OPEN COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING BOARD ROOM, SERVICE AND RESOURCE CENTRE, 411 DUNSMUIR STREET, NANAIMO, BC WEDNESDAY, 2014-JAN-08 AT 9:02 A.M.

PRESENT: Acting Mayor W. L. Bestwick, Chair

Members: Councillor G. Anderson (entered the meeting at 9:26 a.m.)

Councillor M. D. Brennan Councillor G. E. Greves Councillor D. K. Johnstone Councillor J. A. Kipp Councillor W. B. McKay

Absent: Mayor J. R. Ruttan

Councillor J. F. K. Pattje

Staff: E. C. Swabey, City Manager

T. M. Hickey, General Manager of Community Services

I. Howat, General Manager of Corporate Services

B. E. Clemens, Director of Finance

B. Prokopenko, Acting Director of Public Works / Senior Manager of

Engineering

P. Cooper, Communications Manager (entered the meeting at 9:49 a.m.)

B. Denbigh, Manager of Roads and Traffic (vacated at 10:08 a.m.)

L. deVries, Manager, Engineering Support Services

D. Duncan, Manager of Financial Planning

D. Fournier, Manager of Infrastructure and Planning

G. Foy, Traffic/Transportation Engineer

W. Fulla, Manager, Finance, Community Services

S. Ricketts, Manager, Construction

P. Rosen, Manager, Engineering Projects

P. Stewart, Design Engineer

C. Jackson, Manager, Legislative Services

D. Smith, Recording Secretary

### 1. CALL THE OPEN MEETING TO ORDER:

The Special Open Committee of the Whole Meeting was called to order at 9:04 a.m.

# 2. <u>ADOPTION OF AGENDA:</u>

It was moved and seconded that the Agenda be adopted. The motion carried unanimously.

## 3. PRESENTATIONS:

(a) Mr. Tom Hickey, General Manager, Community Services, and Engineering and Public Works Staff provided a presentation and a Staff/Council discussion took place regarding the 2014-2018 Financial Plan for Engineering and Public Works.

Councillor Anderson entered the Board Room at 9:26 a.m.

Councillor Kipp vacated the Board Room at 10:20 a.m. Councillor Kipp returned to the Board Room at 10:22 a.m.

Councillor Brennan vacated the Board Room at 10:50 a.m. Councillor Brennan returned to the Board Room at 10:52 a.m.

## 4. **QUESTION PERIOD**:

Mr. Jim Taylor, re: tax increases relating to upgrading infrastructure.

## 5. <u>ADJOURNMENT:</u>

It was moved and seconded at 11:06 a.m. that the meeting terminate. The motion carried unanimously.

CHAIR
CERTIFIED CORRECT:
CORPORATE OFFICER