TOWN OF LADYSMITH

GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE

Mandate –To advise Council on a broad spectrum of issues related to departmental matters

Monday, May 17, 2010 at 5:30 p.m.

Council Chambers, City Hall

A G E N D A Chairperson: Councillor D. Paterson

CALL TO ORDER

1. AGENDA APPROVAL

2. MINUTES

• April 19, 2010

3. DELEGATION

3.1. <u>Geoff Millar, Manager, Economic Development, Cowichan Valley Regional District</u> Re: Update on Regional Tourism Project

4. CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

5. STAFF/ COMMISSION REPORT

- 5.1 Special Occasion License Request
- 5.2 Lot 108 Update Reconfiguration of Fields (Verbal Report)

6. MEMBER SUBMISSIONS

None

7. CORRESPONDENCE None

8. NEW BUSINESS

9. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

ADJOURNMENT

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PRESENT:

TOWN OF LADYSMITH MINUTES OF A REGULAR SESSION OF THE GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE MONDAY, APRIL 19, 2010 6:00 p.m.

Councillor Duck Paterson, Chair Mayor Rob Hutchins Councillor Steve Arnett **Councillor Scott Bastian** Councillor Jillian Dashwood Councillor Lori Evans **Councillor Bruce Whittington** STAFF PRESENT: Rebecca Kalina Ruth Malli Sandy Bowden Joe Friesenhan Felicity Adams Pat Durban CALL TO ORDER Councillor Paterson called the meeting to order at 6:04 p.m. AGENDA APPROVAL 2010-028 It was moved, seconded and carried that the agenda be adopted as circulated. MINUTES 2010-029 It was moved, seconded and carried that Government Services Committee minutes of March 15, 2010 be adopted as circulated. DELEGATIONS

Bruce Avis, Nanaimo Parole Citizen Advisory Committee, and Fred McRae, Correctional Services Canada (CSC), were in attendance to provide an overview of their respective positions.

Mr. Avis stated that Nanaimo Parole Citizen Advisory Committee is a volunteer committee of ten individuals independent of Correctional Services Canada. The

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Committee's function is to provide feedback to CSC on how it functions within various communities.

Mr. McRae noted that CSC focuses on public safety. They also assist offenders to reintegrate themselves into their communities.

The Chair thanked Mr. Avis and Mr. McRae for their presentation.

CITY MANAGER'S REPORT

The City Manager presented a written update on her top 5 strategic priorities for 2010 and responded to questions regarding her report.

DIRECTORS' REPORTS

The Director of Public Works, the Director of Development Services, the Director of Corporate Services and the Director of Parks, Recreation and Culture responded to questions regarding their reports outlining the status of their departmental Top 5 strategic priorities for the first quarter of 2010.

GAS TAX REGIONALLY SIGNIFICANT PROJECTS FUND EXTENSION 2010-2014

Mayor Hutchins reviewed the Cowichan Valley Regional District (CVRD) staff reported dated March 15, 2010 regarding the "Gas Tax". He reported that Ladysmith is involved in a number of the projects funded by the gas tax funds. Mayor Hutchins asked if there are any other projects that should be brought forward to the CVRD. R. Malli, City Manager, stated that staff are also reviewing projects.

VANCOUVER ISLAND ECONOMIC ALLIANCE

It was moved and seconded that Council purchase a membership in the Vancouver Island Economic Alliance for an annual fee of \$500.

2010-031 It was moved, seconded and carried that the motion authorizing the purchase of a membership in the Vancouver Island Economic Alliance for an annual fee of

REPORTS

CORRESPONDENCE

2010-030

\$500 be referred to the Economic Development Commission for review and recommendation.

ADJOURNMENT

2010-032

It was moved, seconded and carried that the meeting be adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Chair (Councillor D. Paterson)

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Corporate Officer (S. Bowden)

Town of Ladysmith



To: From:

> Date: File No:

COMMISSION REPORT

Ruth Malli, City Manager Pat Durban, Director of Parks, Recreation & Culture May 5, 2010

Re: SPECIAL OCCASION LICENSE REQUEST

RECOMMENDATION:

The Parks, Recreation & Culture Commission recommend that Council consider approving the requests for Special Occasion Licences.

PURPOSE:

To provide Council with information from applicants for Special Occasion Licences.

INTRODUCTION/BACKGROUND:

At the Parks, Recreation & Culture Commission meeting held on April 26, 2010 the following applications for Special Occasion Licences were considered.

- 1. Slo-Pitch Food Bank Tournament to be held at Aggie Fields on September 4 and on September 5 from 12:00 to 5:00pm.
- 2. Royal Canadian Legion Picnic to be held at Transfer Beach in the Horseshoe Pitch area on September 12 from 11:00 am to 8:00 pm.

Each group has completed the required application and has confirmed they will ensure this area will be fenced off, that the entrances and exits will be controlled by security, parking attendants will be on site, food will be served, and that tables and chairs will be provided.

SCOPE OF WORK: N/A

ALTERNATIVES: N/A

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: N/A

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS: N/A

CITIZEN/PUNLIC RELATIONS IMPLICATIONS: N/A

INTERDEPARTMENTAL INVOLVEMENT/IMPLICATIONS: N/A

RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS: N/A

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ALIGHNMENT WITH STRATEGIC PRIORITIES: N/A

SUMMARY:

Special Occasion Licence requests for Council to consider approval.

I concur with the recommendation.

Ruth Malli, City Manager

ATTACHMENTS: None.