

TOWN OF LADYSMITH
MINUTES OF A REGULAR SESSION OF
THE MUNICIPAL SERVICES COMMITTEE
MONDAY, JUNE 16, 2014
5:30 p.m.

**COUNCIL MEMBERS PRESENT:** 

Councillor Bill Drysdale (Chair)

Mayor Rob Hutchins
Councillor Duck Paterson

Councillor Jillian Dashwood

Councillor Glenda Patterson (entered later)

**COUNCIL MEMBERS ABSENT** 

Councillor Steve Arnett Councillor Gord Horth

STAFF PRESENT:

Ruth Malli Joanna Winter

CALL TO ORDER Councillor Drysdale called the Municipal Services Committee meeting

to order at 5:32 p.m.

AGENDA APPROVAL

Moved and seconded:

MS 2014-031 That the agenda for this meeting of the Municipal Services

Committee be approved.

Motion carried.

**MINUTES** 

Moved and seconded:

MS 2014-032 That the minutes of the Municipal Services Committee meeting held

March 17, 2014 be approved.

Motion carried.

DELEGATION Gretchen Hartley, MaryAnn Deacon, Cowichan Valley Hospice Society

Hospice Services in Ladysmith and the Cowichan Region

G. Hartley and M. Deacon, accompanied by volunteers, staff and Board members, provided Council with an overview of the extensive services provided by the Cowichan Valley Hospice Society, with a

focus on the 67 clients served in the Town of Ladysmith.

Ms. Hartley outlined a request for the Town to support the Cowichan Valley Regional District bylaw that will provide funding to the Cowichan Valley Hospice Society. Council thanked Ms. Hartley and

associates for the excellent services provided by the society.

REPORTS City Manager's Report

Moved and seconded:

MS 2014-033 That the City Manager's Report for the months of March, April and

May 2014 be received.

Motion carried.

Financial Update to May 31, 2014 MS 2014-034 Moved and seconded: That the Financial Update to May 31, 2014 be received. Motion carried. Building Inspector's Reports – March, April and May 2014 Moved and seconded: MS 2014-035 That the Building Inspector's Reports for the months of March, April and May 2014 be received. Motion carried. Fire Chief's Report - March, April and May 2014 Moved and seconded: MS 2014-036 That the Fire Chief's Reports for the months of March, April and May 2014 be received. Motion carried. The Committee requested that the Protective Services Committee consider the potential cost savings of reducing the involvement of Ladysmith Fire/Rescue in accident traffic control and report back with any recommendations. Coastal Animal Control Services - March, April and May 2014 Pound Reports Moved and seconded: MS 2014-037 That the Coastal Animal Control Services Pound Reports for the months of March, April and May 2014 be received. Motion carried. The Committee requested that they be provided with the number of dog licences issued for 2014 in Ladysmith. ADJOURNMENT Moved and seconded: That this meeting of the Municipal Services Committee adjourn at MS 2014-038 6:07 p.m. Motion carried. **CERTIFIED CORRECT** Chair (Councillor B. Drysdale) Corporate Officer (S. Bowden)