



LADYSMITH

**TOWN OF LADYSMITH
MINUTES OF A REGULAR SESSION OF
THE GOVERNMENT SERVICES COMMITTEE
MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2010 – 6:00 P.M.**

PRESENT:

Councillor Duck Paterson (Chair)
Councillor Jillian Dashwood

Councillor Steve Arnett
Councillor Lori Evans

Councillor Scott Bastian
Councillor Bruce Whittington

ABSENT:

Mayor Rob Hutchins

STAFF PRESENT:

Ruth Malli
Joanna Winter

Pat Durban

Sandy Bowden

CALL TO ORDER

Councillor Paterson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

AGENDA APPROVAL

2010-063

It was moved, seconded and carried that the agenda be adopted as circulated.

MINUTES

2010-064

It was moved, seconded and carried that the Government Services Committee minutes of July 19, 2010 be adopted as circulated.

DELEGATION

Staff Sergeant Roger Plamondon, Ladysmith Detachment, Royal Canadian Mounted Police

S/Sgt Plamondon reviewed the detachment's progress report and discussed local crime statistics and related issues with the Committee.

Chairman Paterson thanked S/Sgt. Plamondon for meeting with the Committee and asked that Council's appreciation be extended to the members of the detachment for their service.

2010-065

It was moved, seconded and carried that the Royal Canadian Mounted Police Ladysmith Detachment Progress Report for April to

June 2010 be accepted.

Trolley Advertising Program

- 2010-066** It was moved, seconded and carried that the Committee recommend to Council that:
- a) Staff be directed to implement the Trolley Advertising program as proposed
 - b) Advertising at Trolley stops be referred to the Heritage Revitalization Advisory Commission for input; and
 - c) Staff be directed to review the Sign and Canopy Bylaw and propose amendments, if required, to accommodate the placement of advertising signage at trolley stops

Fire Chief's Report – July 2010

- 2010-067** It was moved, seconded and carried that the Fire Chief's Report for June 2010 be received.

Building Inspector's Report – July 2010

- 2010-068** It was moved, seconded and carried that the Building Inspector's Report for June 2010 be accepted.

Trolley Report – July 2010

- 2010-069** It was moved, seconded and carried that the Trolley Report for July 2010 be accepted.

Coastal Animal Control Services – July 2010 Pound Report

- 2010-070** It was moved, seconded and carried that the report from Coastal Animal Control Services for June 2010 be received.

MEMBER SUBMISSIONS Councillor Evans – Canada Census Long Form

- 2010-071** It was moved, seconded and carried that it be recommended to Council that a letter be written to the Minister responsible for Census Canada requesting that the mandatory long census form be reinstated for the 2011 census.

CORRESPONDENCE Peter and Cathy Barter, Top Drawer Ladies Consignment Boutique Sandwich Boards

- 2010-072** It was moved, seconded and carried that the Committee recommend to Council that the issues raised in the correspondence from Peter and Cathy Barter dated August 6,

2010 regarding sandwich board signs be referred to staff for review and recommendation.

QUESTION PERIOD

ADJOURNMENT

2010-073

It was moved, seconded and carried that the meeting be adjourned at 6:33 p.m.

Chair (Councillor D. Paterson)

CERTIFIED CORRECT

Corporate Officer (S. Bowden)