

# **REGIONAL DISTRICT OF NANAIMO** MINUTES OF THE TRANSIT SELECT COMMITTEE MEETING

# Thursday, March 11, 2021 10:00 A.M. **Held Electronically**

Director S. McLean In Attendance: Chair

> Director K. Wilson Electoral Area A Director M. Young Electoral Area C Director B. Rogers Electoral Area E Director L. Wallace Electoral Area G Director D. Bonner City of Nanaimo City of Nanaimo Director B. Geselbracht City of Parksville Director E. Mayne District of Lantzville Director M. Swain

Alternate

Director T. Westbroek Town of Qualicum Beach

Regrets: Director S. Armstrong City of Nanaimo

> City of Nanaimo Director E. Hemmens City of Nanaimo Director L. Krog Director Z. Maartman City of Nanaimo

Director B. Wiese Town of Qualicum Beach

Also in Attendance: P. Carlyle Chief Administrative Officer

> D. Pearce Gen. Mgr. Transportation & Emergency Services

Gen. Mgr. Corporate Services D. Wells

D. Marshall Mgr. Transit Operations

Superintendent, Fleet & Transit Service Delivery B. Miller Superintendent, Transit Planning & Scheduling E. Beauchamp J. Rose Transportation Manager, City of Nanaimo Senior Regional Transit Manager, BC Transit M. Moore

Deputy Corporate Officer G. Smith N. Gossett-Jackson Recording Secretary

#### **CALL TO ORDER**

The Chair called the meeting to order and respectfully acknowledged the Coast Salish Nations on whose traditional territory the meeting took place.

### APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was moved and seconded that the agenda be approved as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **ADOPTION OF MINUTES**

### Transit Select Committee Meeting - January 14, 2021

It was moved and seconded that the minutes of the Transit Select Committee meeting held January 14, 2021, be adopted.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

## **BC TRANSIT UPDATE**

Myrna Moore, provided a verbal update to the Committee pertaining to announcements that the Government of Canada pledged 14.9 billion in permanent funding for public transit. The funding will include \$5.9 billion in short-term funding that will be disbursed on a project-by-project basis, starting this year. Additionally, the Government of Canada and the Province of BC announced \$3.9 million in joint funding to expand our bus shelters program across the Province.

### **REPORTS**

### **Custom Transit Revised Registration Program Update**

It was moved and seconded that the Custom Transit Revised Registration Program Update be received for information.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### **IN CAMERA**

It was moved and seconded that pursuant to the following sections of the *Community Charter* the Committee proceed to an In Camera meeting:

- 90(1)(e) the acquisition, disposition or expropriation of land or improvements, if the council considers that disclosure could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the municipality;
- 90(1)(m) a matter that, under another enactment, is such that the public may be excluded from the meeting.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

# **ADJOURNMENT**

It was moved and seconded that the meeting be adjourned.		
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TIME: 10:13 AM		
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