Coquitlam

City of Coquitlam MINUTES – REGULAR COMMITTEE MEETING

COUNCIL-IN-COMMITTEE MEETING Monday, May 10, 2021

A Regular Meeting of the Council-in-Committee convened on Monday, May 10, 2021 at 2:02 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 3000 Guildford Way, Coquitlam, BC with the following persons present:

COMMITTEE MEMBERS: Mayor Richard Stewart

Councillor Brent Asmundson

Councillor Craig Hodge
Councillor Steve Kim

Councillor Trish Mandewo Councillor Dennis Marsden Councillor Teri Towner Councillor Chris Wilson Councillor Bonita Zarrillo

OTHERS PRESENT:

Harriette Chang

Students from School District No. 43

STAFF:

Peter Steblin, City Manager

Raul Allueva, Deputy City Manager

Jaime Boan, General Manager Engineering and Public Works

Nikki Caulfield, General Manager Corporate Services

Michelle Hunt, General Manager Finance, Lands and Police Jim McIntyre, General Manager Planning and Development

Lanny Englund, Acting General Manager Parks, Recreation, Culture and

Facilities

Brad Lofgren, Director Public Works

Andrew Merrill, Director Development Services Genevieve Bucher, Manager Community Planning

Demian Rueter, Planner 3 Glen Chua, Planner 2

Jennifer Keefe, Manager Community Recreation and Culture Kathleen Vincent, Manager Corporate Communications

Stephanie Lam, Legislative Services Manager

Julie Hunter, Committee Clerk

Councillor Mandewo, as per the Acting Mayor schedule, assumed the role of Chair.

CALL TO ORDER

ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Minutes of the Council-in-Committee Meeting held on Monday, April 26, 2021

The Committee approved the Minutes of the Council-in-Committee Meeting held on Monday, April 26, 2021.

DELEGATIONS

2. Harriette Chang and Students from School District No. 43 – SUPER Team Leadership

Harriette Chang and members of the SUPER Team from School District No. 43 appeared virtually before the Committee to provide a presentation relative to the advocacy work the Single Use Plastic Elimination Reinforcement (SUPER) Team has undertaken to address single use plastic usage.

The Chair, on behalf of the Committee, thanked the students for their presentation, for their contributions to the community, and for their advocacy.

PRESENTATIONS

3. Engineering and Public Works - National Public Works Week

The Director Public Works spoke to the slides contained in the on-screen presentation entitled "May 16 – 22, 2021 National Public Works Week".

Councillor Zarrillo left the meeting at this time (2:30 p.m.).

On behalf of the Committee, the Chair thanked Mr. Lofgren for his presentation.

REPORTS OF STAFF

4. Report of the General Manager Planning and Development – Southwest Housing Review – Phase 2 – Draft Concepts for Burquitlam-Lougheed Neighbourhood Pockets

The Planner 3 provided introductory comments relative to the report. The Planner 2 spoke to the slides contained in the on-screen presentation entitled "Southwest Housing Review – Draft Concepts for Burquitlam-Lougheed Neighbourhood Pockets".

Discussion ensued relative to the following:

- Support for the proposed creek and green space in the Whiting Way / Appian area
- The desire to reduce the environmental impacts of development
- Support for the proposed road network connections
- The desire to retain as much green space and tree canopy as possible.

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- The potential expansion of Miller Park and the suggestion that it be connected to the nearby SPEA
- Various park amenities that are under consideration
- The benefits of connectivity between parks and trails

Mayor Stewart left the meeting at this time (3:04 p.m.).

- The desire to ensure an appropriate transition of building heights and forms in the area
- Support for the multi-use pathway and continuous green link through the neighbourhoods of Southwest Coquitlam

Mayor Stewart returned to the meting at this time (3:09 p.m.).

- The desire for public art installations in the area
- Opportunities for small neighbourhood businesses on secondary streets
- Development density transfer process
- The desire for employment-generating commercial businesses in the area
- The need for additional park space in Southwest Coquitlam
- The desire for separated bike lanes where feasible
- Lessons learned from the Oakdale Neighbourhood Plan
- Upcoming public consultation regarding the neighbourhood pocket concepts

The Committee received the report of the General Manager Planning and Development dated May 4, 2021 and entitled "Southwest Housing Review – Phase 2 – Draft Concepts for Burquitlam-Lougheed Neighbourhood Pockets" for information.

OTHER BUSINESS

NEXT MEETING DATE - May 17, 2021

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The meeting adjourned 3:29 p.m.

MINUTES CERTIFIED CORRECT

CHAIR

I hereby certify that I have recorded the Minutes of the Council-in-Committee Meeting held Monday, May 10, 2021 as instructed, subject to amendment and adoption.

Julie Hunter Committee Clerk