

Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 2016, 1:30 pm

Regional District Board Room, 3008 Fifth Avenue, Port Alberni, BC

AGENDA

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1.	CALL TO ORDER		
	Recognition of Traditional Territories.		
2.	APPROVAL OF AGENDA (motion to approve, including late items required 2/3 majority vote) Late Business: 5. (a) ACRD EOC Update – Dan Holder, Tim Pley 8. (h) Determination of Official Election Results – Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Vote 8. (i) Bylaw F1126, Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016 16. (a) Motion to Go In-Camera		
3.	DECLARATIONS (conflict of interest or gifts)		
4.	ADOPTION OF MINUTES		
	a. Board of Directors Meeting – October 26, 2016	8-18	
	THAT the minutes of the Board of Directors meeting held on October 26, 2016 be adopted.	16 17	
	b. Long Beach Airport Advisory Committee – October 24, 2016	16-17	
	THAT the minutes of the Long Beach Airport Advisory Committee meeting held on October 24, 2016 be adopted.	18 10	
	c. Beaver Creek Water Advisory Committee – October 31, 2016	18-19	
	THAT the minutes of the Beaver Creek Water Advisory Committee meeting held on October 31, 2016 be adopted.		

5. <u>PETITIONS, DELEGATIONS & PRESENTATIONS (10 minute maximum)</u>

a. ACRD – EOC Update – Tim Pley, City of Port Alberni CAO, Dan Holder, Emergency/Fire Service Coordinator

6. CORRESPONDENCE FOR ACTION

a. **REQUEST FOR APPOINTMENT**

20-21

Vancouver Island Regional Library, November 1, 2016 regarding request for the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District appointment and alternate appointment to the Vancouver Island Regional Library for the year 2017.

Possible Motion:

THAT the Board of Directors appoint ______as Director and ____as Alternate Director to the Vancouver Regional Library Board for 2017.

b. **REQUEST FOR LETTER OF SUPPORT**

22-24

City of Port Alberni, November 2, 2016 regarding request for a letter of support for the City's Sewage Treatment Project to be added to their application for the Canada-British Columbia Clean Water and Wastewater Fund.

Possible Motion:

THAT the Board of Directors forward a letter of support to the City of Port Alberni for the City's Sewage Treatment Project application for the Canada-British Columbia Clean Water and Wastewater Fund.

c. **REQUEST FOR LETTER OF SUPPORT**

25-31

Central Westcoast Forest Society, November 1, 2016 regarding request for a letter of support for the Ah'ta'apq Creek Habitat Restoration Project in Hot Springs Cove.

Possible Motion:

THAT the Board of Directors forward a letter of support to Central West Coast Forest Society for their Ah'ta'apq Creek Habitat Restoration Project in Hot Springs Cove.

7. CORRESPONDENCE FOR INFORMATION

a. MINISTRY OF COMMUNITY, SPORT AND CULTURAL DEVELOPEMENT

2017 Local Government Grants Program-Infrastructure Planning Grants and Clean Water and Wastewater Fund

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	Nominations for AVICC Executive Committee; Call for Presentations	
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THAT the Board of Directors receive items a-g for information.

8. REQUEST FOR DECISIONS & BYLAWS

a. REQUEST FOR DECISION 53-75 Finance Warrant No. 570

THAT the Board of Directors approves Finance Warrant Number 570 in the amount of \$1,789,001.11 dated October 31, 2016.

b. REQUEST FOR DECISION Clean Water and Wastewater Fund Application for Bamfield Water System 76-77

THAT the Board of Directors submit an application to the Clean Water and Wastewater Fund to help fund a water treatment plant to address the high levels of Trihalomethanes (THMs) in the Bamfield Water System that currently exceed the Canadian Drinking Water Guidelines.

c. REQUEST FOR DECISION Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors – Strategic Planning Session

THAT the Board of Directors of the ACRD agree to conduct a one-day strategic planning session in December for the purpose of defining priorities for the five-year financial plan.

d. **REQUEST FOR DECISION**

80-90

Climate Action Charter

(Board Direction Requested)

e. **REQUEST FOR DECISION**

91-97

Tabled Resolution – Blue Dot Initiative Project – Right of a Healthy Environment

THAT the Blue Dot Initiative Project – Right of a Healthy Environment resolution tabled at the October 12, 2016 Regular Board of Directors meeting be lifted from the table.

VOTE ON MOTION TO LIFT FROM THE TABLE, if the vote is in the affirmative, the following motion is back on the table for consideration by the Board:

WHEREAS the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District understands that people are part of the environment, and that a healthy environment is inextricably linked to the well-being of our community;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District recognizes its responsibility, within its jurisdiction, and in so doing will continue to implement and improve its strategic plans and by-laws to protect the local environment and supports a healthy environment by undertaking actions such as, but not limited, to the following:

- Consideration of the precautionary principle, with cost-effective measures, where threats of serious or irreversible damage to human health or the environment exist;
- Taking into consideration full cost accounting which includes costs to human health and environment, when evaluating reasonably foreseeable costs of proposed actions and alternatives;
- Ensuring infrastructure and development projects to protect the environment, including water quality and landfill diversion plans;
- Selection criteria in evaluation of future contracts would obtain environmental impacts that allow for potential benefits of environmentally sound business practices;
- Addressing climate change by investigating further reductions in corporate greenhouse gas emissions and implementing adaptation measures:
- Promoting appropriate and responsible development, including responsibly increasing density, in accordance with the Official Community Plan;

- Prioritizing trail and parks and public transit as modes of transportation in accordance with the ACRD Health Network transportation;
- Promoting access to food that is locally and sustainably sourced through our regional agriculture plan;
- Working with member municipalities and electoral areas to improve waste diversion, including recycling and composting, and waste reduction; and
- Establishing a unified Regional Parks Plan and maintaining accessible green spaces by providing high quality active and community parks.

The Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District shall review these objectives, targets, timelines and actions regularly, and evaluate progress towards fulfilling this declaration.

The Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District shall consult with residents as part of this process.

f. **REQUEST FOR DECISION**

98-102

Bylaw 856-10, Sproat Lake Fire Protection Service Area Amendment, 2016

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give first reading to Bylaw 856-10, cited as Sproat Lake Fire Protection Service Area Amendment, 2016.

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give second reading to Bylaw 856-10, cited as Sproat Lake Fire Protection Service Area Amendment, 2016.

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give third reading to Bylaw 856-10, cited as Sproat Lake Fire Protection Service Area Amendment, 2016.

g. REQUEST FOR DECISION

103-107

Bylaw 24-1, Bamfield Fire Protection Specified Area Amendment, 2016

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give first reading to Bylaw 24-1, cited as Bamfield Fire Protection Specified Area Amendment, 2016.

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give second reading to Bylaw 24-1, cited as Bamfield Fire Protection Specified Area Amendment, 2016.

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors give third reading to Bylaw 24-1, cited as Bamfield Fire Protection Specified Area Amendment, 2016.

h. LATE ITEM: REQUEST FOR DECISION

Determination of Official Election Results – Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Vote

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors receive the Determination of Official Election Results as presented for the Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Voting held on November 5, 2016.

i. LATE ITEM: REQUEST FOR DECISION

Bylaw F1126, Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors adopt Bylaw F1126, cited as Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016.

9. PLANNING MATTERS

9.1 ELECTORAL AREA DIRECTORS ONLY

a. **RE16007, PELLETIER & CRAWFORD, 6770 BEAVER CREEK ROAD**Rezoning Application – Report and Bylaws P1346 and P1347

108-121

THAT Bylaw P1346, Regional District of Alberni-Clayoquot Zoning Text Amendment Bylaw be read a first time.

THAT Bylaw P1347, Regional District of Alberni-Clayoquot Zoning Atlas Amendment Bylaw be read a first time.

THAT the public hearing for Bylaws P1346 and P1347 be delegated to the Director for Electoral Area 'E', the Alternate Director or the Chairperson of the Regional District.

THAT the Board of Directors confirm that adoption of Bylaw P1346 and P1347 are subject to:

A covenant being registered on the property title which restricts the use of cottages to vacation rental and limits the number of days a cottage may be rented in one calendar year to 180 days; and

Meeting all technical referral agency requirements.

10. REPORTS

10.1 STAFF REPORTS

a.	Administration Department Monthly Staff Report – November 3, 2016	122-124
b.	Financial Department Report – November 2, 2016	125-126
C.	Environmental Services Department Report – November 3, 2016	127-129
d.	Staff Action Items Report – November 4, 2016	130-136

THAT the Board of Directors receives the Staff Reports a-d.

10.2 COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Salmon Beach Committee Meeting November 9, 2016
 - T. Bennett (Verbal)
- b. Transportation Committee Meeting November 8, 2016
 - J. McLeman (Verbal)
- c. Alberni Valley & Bamfield Services Committee Meeting
 - November 8, 2016 J. McNabb (verbal)

THAT the verbal reports a-c be received.

10.3 OTHER REPORTS

a. Coastal Community Network – T. Bennett

137-149

Application for \$10,000 for the Coastal Sustainability Charter Program Stage 1.

THAT this report be received.

11. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

12. LATE BUSINESS

13. **QUESTION PERIOD**

14. RECESS

Motion to recess the Regular Board of Directors Meeting in order to conduct the Regional Hospital District Meeting.

15. RECOVENE

16. <u>IN-CAMERA</u>

Motion to close the meeting to discuss matters relating to:

Negotiations and related discussions respecting the proposed provision of a regional district service that are at their preliminary stages and that, in the view of the committee, could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the regional district if they were held in public.

17. RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE BOARD FROM IN-CAMERA

18. ADJOURN

Next Board of Directors Meeting: Wednesday, November 26, 2016, 1:30 PM

Regional District Board Room



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REQUEST FOR DECISION

To: Board of Directors

From: Wendy Thomson, Manager of Administrative Services/

Chief Election Officer

Meeting Date: November 9, 2016

Subject: Determination of Official Election Results – Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Vote

Recommendation:

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors receive the Determination of Official Election Results as presented for the Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Voting held on November 5, 2016.

Desired Outcome:

To report the official results of the Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Voting (referendum).

Background:

The Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District (ACRD) conducted an Assent Voting (referendum) within the Bamfield Water System Service Area on November 5, 2016.

Qualified electors within the Bamfield Water System Service Area were asked the following question:

Are you in favour of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District (ACRD) adopting Bylaw F1126, "Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016" to enable the ACRD to borrow \$600,000 for the construction of a Water Treatment Plant for the Bamfield Water System?
YES/NO

Attached please find the Determination of Official Election Results for the Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Voting.

As per Section 158 (1) of the *Local Government Act*, the Chief Election Officer must report the results of the Assent Voting to the local government within 30 days after the declaration of official election results.

<u>Time Requirements – Staff & Elected Officials:</u>

Minimal.

Financial:

n/a

Late Item: 8. (h)

Policy or Legislation:

Local Government Act applies

Submitted by:

Wendy Thomson, Manager of Administrative Services/

Chief Election Officer

Approved by:

Russell Dyson, Chief Administrative Officer



Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District

DETERMINATION OF OFFICIAL ELECTION RESULTS

Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Assent Vote (Referendum) November 5, 2016

	YES	NO
Advance & Mail Ballot Voting Opportunities: October 26, 2016, Bamfield Fire Hall November 1, 2016, ACRD Office	30	3
General Voting Opportunity: November 5, 2016, Bamfield Fire Hall	47	10
TOTAL NUMBER OF VOTES	77	13

This determination of official election results was made by the Chief Election Officer on Tuesday, November 8, 2016 and is based on ballot accounts as amended or prepared by the Chief Election Officer.

Chief Election Officer

Wender Thomson



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REQUEST FOR DECISION

To: Board of Directors

From: Wendy Thomson, Manager of Administrative Services

Meeting Date: November 9, 2016

Subject: Bylaw F1126, Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016

Recommendation:

THAT the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Board of Directors adopt Bylaw F1126, cited as Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016.

Desired Outcome:

To adopt a loan authorization bylaw in order for the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District (ACRD) to borrow up to a maximum of \$600,000 for the Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant project.

Background:

The Bamfield Water System has been under a water advisory placed by Island Health (VIHA) since November of 2013 as the water system supplies water that does not meet the Canadian Drinking Water Standards for water quality. The Bamfield Water Committee, Regional District Board, Staff, Engineers and Consultants have all worked together to develop a plan which meets the terms and conditions as set out by VIHA.

The plan is to meet the terms and conditions as set out by VIHA by installing a treatment plant at an estimated cost of \$1.5 million. The ACRD Board allocated \$1 million in Community Works Funding, borrowing for approximately 1/3 of the project is required to enable the treatment plant to be completed.

On August 24, 2016, the ACRD Board of Directors gave three readings to Bylaw F1126, Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016. Approval of the Inspector of Municipalities was obtained on September 9, 2016. Prior to the Board considering adoption of this loan authorization bylaw, consent of the electorate is required.

The ACRD Board of Directors chose Assent Voting (referendum) as the method for gaining approval from qualified electors within the Bamfield Water System service area. Assent voting was conducted on Saturday, November 5, 2016. Qualified electors within the Bamfield Water System service area were asked the following question:

Are you in favour of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District (ACRD) adopting Bylaw F1126, "Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization, 2016" to enable the ACRD to borrow \$600,000 for the construction of a Water Treatment Plant for the Bamfield Water System?
YES/NO

The Referendum was successful with the highest number of votes cast being in favour of the borrowing. Bylaw F1126 is now presented for adoption by the ACRD Board of Directors.

Late Item: 8. (i)

If the Board adopts this bylaw, there will be a one-month quashing period. Following the quashing period, the ACRD can commence with this project.

<u>Time Requirements – Staff & Elected Officials:</u>

This is a significant project to undertake with considerable communications and community engagement anticipated. Administration, finance and environmental services staff will all be engaged throughout the project.

Financial:

Paid for by the participants of the Bamfield Water System service area.

Policy or Legislation:

Local Government Act and Community Charter apply.

Submitted by:	Wendy Thomson
•	Wendy Thomson, Manager of Administrative Services
Approved by:	
,	Russell Dyson, Chief Administrative Officer

Late Item: 8. (i)



Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District Loan Authorization Bylaw

Bylaw No. F1126

A bylaw to authorize the borrowing of the estimated cost of constructing a water treatment plant for the Bamfield Water System

WHEREAS the Regional Board of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District has established by Bylaw No. 837, a service for the purpose of providing a water system to the Bamfield Water System Service Area;

AND WHEREAS it is deemed desirable and expedient to construct a water treatment plant for the Bamfield Water System serving the Bamfield Water Service Area;

AND WHEREAS the estimated cost of constructing the water treatment plant for the Bamfield Water System including expenses incidental thereto is the sum of \$1,500,000 of which the sum of \$600,000 is the amount of debt intended to be borrowed by this bylaw;

AND WHEREAS the maximum term for which a debenture may be issued to secure the debt created by this bylaw is for a term not to exceed twenty (20) years;

AND WHEREAS the authority to borrow under this bylaw expires five years from the date on which this bylaw is adopted;

AND WHEREAS the Regional Board of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District has obtained the approval of electors in accordance with the *Local Government Act*;

NOW THEREFORE, the Regional Board of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District in open meeting assembled, enacts as follows:

1. The Regional Board is hereby empowered and authorized to undertake and carry out or cause to be carried out the construction of a water treatment plant for the Bamfield Water System serving the Bamfield Water Service Area generally in accordance with plans on file in the regional district office and to do all things necessary in connection therewith and without limiting the generality of the foregoing:

- a) To borrow upon the credit of the Regional District a sum not exceeding six hundred thousand (\$600,000);
- b) To acquire all such real property, easements, rights-of-way, licenses, rights or authorities as may be requisite or desirable for or in connection with the construction of the said water treatment plant for the Bamfield Water System.
- 2. The maximum term for which debentures may be issued to secure the debt created by this bylaw is twenty (20) years.
- 3. This bylaw may be cited as "Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization Bylaw No. F1126, 2016".

READ A FIRST TIME THIS	24 th	day of	August,	2016.
READ A SECOND TIME THIS	24 th	day of	August,	2016.
READ A THIRD TIME THIS	24 th	day of	August,	2016.

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of Bylaw No. F1126, "Bamfield Water System Treatment Plant Loan Authorization Bylaw No. F1126, 2016" as read a third time by the Regional Board of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District on the 24th day of August, 2016.



RECEIVED the approval of the Inspector of Municipalities this 9th day of September, 2016.

RECEIVED the approval of the electors of the Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District on the 5th day of November, 2016.

RECEIVED AND FINALLY PASSED AND A	ADOPTED this	day of,
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Chairperson	Chief Administrative Officer
Water System Treatment Plan	o be a true and correct copy of Bylaw F1126, "Bamfield t Loan Authorization Bylaw No. F1126, 2016" as adopted Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District on the day of
	Chief Administrative Officer

Late Item: 8. (i)