

MINUTES OF THE BAMFIELD WATER ADVISORY COMMITTEE HELD ON TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 2015, 5:30 PM

Bamfield Volunteer Fire Department Hall, 352 Pachena Road, Bamfield, BC

COMMITTEE Keith Wyton, Director, Electoral Area "A" (Bamfield)

PRESENT: Brad Anholt

Lisa Herbig
J.P. Hastey
Eric Clelland
John Mass
Barry Otterson

REGRETS:

STAFF PRESENT: Andrew McGifford, Acting Manager of Finance/Manager of

Environmental Services

Daniel Fredlund, Maintenance Technician Leadhand

Randy Fraser, Contractor, Environmental Services Department

Les Butler, Water Services Contractor

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 5:30 pm.

The Chair recognized the meeting is being held in the Huu-ay-aht First Nation Traditional Territories.

2. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

MOVED BY: B. Anholt SECONDED BY: L. Herbig

THAT the agenda be approved with the addition of a discussion regarding a proposed new Subdivision for South Bamfield Road.

CARRIED

3. REPORTS

a. Bamfield Water System Financial Statement – August 31, 2015

MOVED BY: B. Otterson SECONDED BY: B. Anholt

THAT the Bamfield Water System Financial Statement dated August 31, 2015 be received and future statements show the breakdown of Administration costs and wages costs.

CARRIED

b. Build Canada Small Communities Fund Application Report

MOVED BY: L. Herbig
SECONDED BY: B. Otterson

THAT the Bamfield Water Advisory Committee receives this Report for information.

CARRIED

Proposed Water Treatment and System Assessment Report – Chris Downey,
 Koers Engineering (verbal)

Committee members requested that 2013 Proposed Water Treatment and System Assessment report be imbedded in these minutes and forwarded to members. *Link to the report* - http://www.acrd.bc.ca/cms/wpattachments/wpID367atID1881.pdf

MOVED BY: L. Herbig
SECONDED BY: B. Otterson

THAT the Manager of Environmental Services/Acting Manager of Finance be directed to prepare an overall financial forecast to provide for existing system maintenance and up keep and proceed with the Treatment Plant.

CARRIED

Committee members had the following questions regarding if the Proposed Water Treatment Plants – does the proposed treatment plant go the referendum? who decides to go ahead with the plant? A follow-up report is requested for the next meeting of the Bamfield Water Advisory Committee meeting.

MOVED BY: B. Anholt SECONDED BY: J. Mass

THAT the Huu-ay-aht First Nations be approached with regards to having discussion on the possibility sharing of the Proposed Water Treatment Plant.

CARRIED

MOVED BY: J. Mass SECONDED BY: B. Anholt

THAT the cost of a data logger to record data history be explored in order to provide documentation to Island Health that turbidity meets drinking water standards.

CARRIED

4. **NEW BUSINESS**

a. The proposed new subdivision for South Bamfield Road was discussed with regards to needs, concerns and upgrades needed for homes and fire flow.

Alberni-Clayoquot Regional District staff requested to follow-up with Planning and report back to the Committee. Staff also requested to provide a breakdown of where PILT is from – Federal buildings.

b. Roll Report

John Mass, John Thomas and Less Butler to re-inspect line to ensure anomalies are revisited and information to repair provided to the Bamfield Water Advisory Committee.

5. ADJOURN

MOVED BY:

J. Mass

SECONDED BY:

J.P. Hasty

THAT this meeting be adjourned 7:30 pm.

CARRIED

Certified Correct:

Keith Wyton,

Chairperson

Andrew McGifford,

Manager of Environmental Services/

Acting Manager of Finance