



Minutes

Area A Parks Commission, May 10, 2018

The meeting came to order at 7:00 PM.

Attending: Brook Adams, Sharon Arnold, Nancy Crichton, Director Kerry Davis, April Tilson, David Lestock-Kay, guest.

Regrets: Libby Connor, David Keir, Bonnie Mills

DISCUSSION: Update on the Hayden Road development covenant and work being done in the area beside the agricultural lands. The natural vegetation has been removed behind some of the recently built homes against the covenant rules. The CVRD has responded to some complaints with letters requiring replanting with native plants including Douglas Firs and other native shrubs and plants. This is a Bylaws matter. Those concerned are advised to contact the Officer with a formal complaint.

DISCUSSION: At the last meeting, concern was raised about the condition of some of the signs – especially that at the south end of Mill Bay. Director Davis explained that the signs are on MOTi property so permission is needed to upgrade them. There has been some discussion about themed signs for the South Cowichan Areas.

MOTION: This Commission supports the move by Economic Development to put up complementary signage in South Cowichan to identify the southern electoral areas. Moved, seconded. CARRIED.

DISCUSSION: Beach access from road ends and allowances. In some places, the home owners try to block user developed trail down to the beaches.

MOTION: That the CVRD investigate the road end of Goulet road for trail development. Moved, seconded. CARRIED.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:00 PM