

Cobble Hill Parks Commission Minutes Monday, April 3, 2017 Youth Hall, 3665 Watson Avenue, Cobble Hill, BC

Present: John Krug - Chair, Jennifer Symons, Bill Turner, Annie Ingraham, Gord Dickenson,

Alan Seal, Ruth Koehn, Shelley Balme, Dennis Cage

Regrets: Matteus Clement, Regional Director, Cobble Hill

John Krug Called the meeting to order at 7:03 p.m.

Moved/seconded that the agenda is approved as amended to include the Historic Church. Carried

Moved/seconded that the minutes of the March 6, 2017 are adopted as circulated. Carried

Volunteer Hours: 52

Correspondence: The Cobble Hill Parks Commission cannot send a letter to the Island Corridor Foundation, as the train tracks area north of Train Station Park is not a Parks function.

Business arising From the Minutes:

 Cobble Hill Common: The Cobble Hill Parks Commission had met on site along with Director Clement and tentatively laid out the band shell location, picnic location and the underground electrical and irrigation locations. Any further action will need to be expedited by Parks Staff.

Reports:

- Invasive Species in Cobble Hill Parks Draft Report by Graham Gidden: Generated a lot of interest and is being circulated among the Commission Members.
- Traffic Study Meeting at Ecole Cobble Hill: The consultant reported that the location was safe for parents to drop off their children.

New Business:

- Quarry Nature Park Parking Study: The Commission is developing a form for the purpose of determining the parking situation at Quarry Nature Park.
- Tour of William Shearing Park: The improvements planned by Staff will make the Park more effective and attractive for the local residents. It would be desirable to remount the existing sign along with the newly designed one.
- Historic Church: Funding has been received from the BC | Canada 150 Grant. This will be used in the conversion of the Historic Church to a museum.

Adjournment: 8:30 p.m.

The next meeting of the Cobble Hill Parks Commission will be Monday, May 1, 2017 at 7:00 p.m. in the Youth Hall.

Submitted by John Krug