

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VERNON

**MINUTES OF A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING
HELD TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 2018**

PRESENT: Mayor A. Mund

Councillors: B. Spiers, J. Cunningham, S. Anderson,
C. Lord, D. Nahal, B. Quiring

Staff: W. Pearce, CAO
S. Blakely, Manager, Legislative Services
K. Flick, Director, Community Infrastructure & Dev.
J. Rice, Manager, Public Works, Parks and Airport
B. Bandy, Real Estate Manager
D. Law, Director of Financial Services
R. Miles, Manager, Long Range Planning & Sustainability
E. Morrison, Transportation Planner*
A. Watson, Manager, Transportation*
K. Kryszak, Parks Planner*
K. Poole, Manager, Economic Development & Tourism
A. Chew, Manager, Tourism
D. Lees, Senior Bylaw Compliance Officer*
**Attended as required*

Others: Media
Member of the Public
Representative from the Okanagan Indian Band*

CALL TO ORDER Mayor Akbal Mund called the meeting to order at 8:40 am.

AGENDA ADOPTION Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Spiers:

THAT the Agenda for the February 13, 2018, Committee of the Whole meeting be adopted.
CARRIED.

ADOPTION OF THE MINUTES Moved by Councillor Lord, seconded by Councillor Cunningham:

THAT the minutes of the Committee of the Whole meeting of Council held January 22, 2018, be adopted, as presented.
CARRIED.

BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

GENERAL MATTERS

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS

**VERNON TRAIL
NETWORK AND RAIL
TRAIL INTEGRATION
(6135-17)**

Rob Miles, Manager, Long Range Planning & Sustainability lead a review of the report entitled '*Vernon Trail Network and Rail Trail Integration*'.

The following points were noted:

- Review of existing Trail Network Plans
- Summary of recent Rail Trail acquisitions
 - Opportunities for the City of Vernon
- Summary of various considerations when developing a Trail Network Plan
 - Economic Development & Tourism
 - Wayfinding
 - Regional Collaboration
- Review Next Steps
 - Interjurisdictional Teams

Moved by Councillor Cunningham, seconded by Councillor Lord:

THAT Council direct Administration to identify a staff representative from the Transportation Department, from the Economic Development and Tourism Department, and from the Long Range Planning and Sustainability Department to participate in the development of a strategy for integration of the City's trail network and the Okanagan Rail Trail at such time as a new interjurisdictional development group is established to address further implementation of the Okanagan Rail Trail initiative;

AND FURTHER, that Council direct Administration to forward the report titled "Vernon Trail Network and Rail Trail Integration" dated January 31, 2018 from the Manager, Long Range Planning and Sustainability to the Regional District of North Okanagan, for its information.

CARRIED.

**PROPOSED TRAFFIC
BYLAW #5600
(8300-07)**

Ms. Ellen Morrison, Transportation Planner reviewed changes proposed with Traffic Bylaw #5600.

The following points were noted:

- Administration prepared the proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600 based on:
 - The City's existing bylaws;
 - A review of other communities;
 - Internal review; and,
 - Public participation held for updated Small Wheeled Transport provisions.

- In terms of existing bylaws, Administration incorporated the existing Traffic Bylaw, Parking Facility Bylaw, and components of the Horse Drawn Carriage Bylaw.
- Administration also reviewed bylaws from a variety of other communities, but the main communities included the City of Kelowna, City of West Kelowna, City of Surrey, and City of Kamloops.
- The bylaw underwent an internal review between a variety of departments, including Bylaw Compliance, Operations, and Engineering and Development.
- Through public participation events for the Small Wheeled Transport bylaw update, Administration found that the public supports allowing Small Wheeled Transport on pedestrian facilities, bicycle facilities, and roadways assuming all users practice due diligence. The City would implement an educational campaign to coincide with the bylaw implementation, and would monitor safety data to determine whether adjustments may be needed in the future.
- Based on all data reviewed, Administration prepared the proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600.
- Council was provided with attachments including a large table showing the existing bylaw provision, proposed bylaw provision, and reason for change (if any).
- Administration recommends Council receive the proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600, and defers consideration of the proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600 to the Committee of the Whole Meeting of February 26, 2018.

Moved by Councillor Lord, seconded by Councillor Nahal:

THAT Council receive the internal memorandum titled "Proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600", dated February 1, 2018 from the Transportation Planner, for information;

AND FURTHER, that Council defer consideration of the proposed Traffic Bylaw #5600 to the Committee of the Whole Meeting of February 26, 2018.

CARRIED.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS

COUNCIL INFORMATION UPDATES

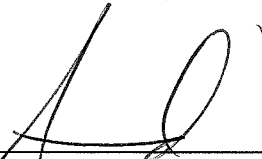
G.V.A.C./R.D.N.O. REGULAR MEETINGS

INFORMATION ITEMS


CLOSE

Mayor Akbal Mund closed the meeting at 9:28 am.

CERTIFIED CORRECT:



Mayor:



Acting Corporate Officer: