

THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VERNON

**RECORD OF A PUBLIC HEARING OF COUNCIL  
HELD MONDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2018 COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
3400 – 30 STREET, VERNON, B.C.**

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PRESENT: Mayor Cumming

Councillors: K. Fehr, B. Quiring, K. Gares,  
S. Anderson, D. Nahal, A. Mund

Staff: W. Pearce, CAO  
P. Bridal, DCAO/Corporate Officer  
J. Nicol, Legislative Committee Clerk  
K. Flick, Director, Community Infrastructure & Development  
E. Stranks, Manager, Engineering Dev. Services  
E. Morrison, Transportation Planner  
S. Knuhtsen, Manager, Building & Licensing  
A. Watson, Manager, Transportation  
K. Poole, Manager, Economic Development and Tourism

Others: Members of the Public

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Mayor Cumming called the Public Hearing to order at 5:31 p.m.

Mayor Cumming advised that as the legislative requirements were not met, the Public Hearing for **“7250 Hitchcock Road Rezoning Amendment Bylaw Number 5728, 2018”** has been **postponed** until December 10, 2018.

**RECESS** Mayor Cumming called a short recess at 5:32 pm.

**RECONVENE** Mayor Cumming reconvened the Public Hearing at 5:35 pm

Mayor Cumming outlined the procedures to be followed.

Corporate Officer, Patti Bridal advised that Notice of the Public Hearing was published in the **Friday, November 2, 2018, Wednesday, November 21, 2018 and Friday, November 23, 2018** issues of the Morning Star Newspaper, as required by the *Local Government Act*.

**A. “Zoning Text (Additional Setbacks from City) Amendment Bylaw Number 5730, 2018”**

Administration provided a brief overview of the application.

Prior to the Public Hearing no written submissions were received.

Mayor Cumming called a first time for representation from the public in attendance with regard to:

**“Zoning Text (Additional Setbacks from City) Amendment Bylaw Number 5730, 2018”**

Mayor Cumming called a second, third and final time for representation from the public. There being none, Mayor Cumming closed the Public Hearing for:

**“Zoning Text (Additional Setbacks from City) Amendment Bylaw Number 5730, 2018”**

**B. “Zoning Text (Cannabis) Amendment Bylaw Number 5731, 2018”**

Administration provided a brief overview of the application.

Prior to the Public Hearing one written submission was received, as follows:

Date	Name
November 22, 2018	Susan Lehman on behalf of the Board of Directors, Downtown Vernon Association

Mayor Cumming called a first time for representation from the public in attendance with regard to:

**“Zoning Text (Cannabis) Amendment Bylaw Number 5731, 2018**

SPEAKER NAME	COMMENTS
Russ Stevenson	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Owns ‘Herbs Healing Centre’</li> <li>• Has a problem with processing as plants would need to be moved ‘live’</li> <li>• Would like processing and cultivation on same property</li> <li>• Would mean a lot less traveling around town</li> <li>• Does not make sense to not have both processing and cultivation on same property</li> </ul>

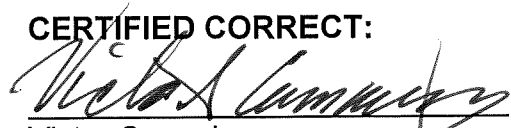
Mayor Cumming called a second, third and final time for representation from the public. There being none, Mayor Cumming closed the Public Hearing for:

**“Zoning Text (Cannabis) Amendment Bylaw Number 5731, 2018**

**CLOSE:**

The Public Hearing closed at 6:09 pm.

**CERTIFIED CORRECT:**

  
 Victor Cumming  
 Mayor

  
 Patti Bridal  
 DCAO/Corporate Officer