



City of Prince Rupert

MINUTES

For the **COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING** of Council held on, February 23, 2015 in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 424-3rd Avenue West, Prince Rupert, B.C.

PRESENT: Mayor L. Brain
Councillor B. Mirau
Councillor B. Cunningham
Councillor W. Niesh
Councillor G. Randhawa
Councillor J. Thorkelson
Councillor N. Kinney

STAFF: R. Long, City Manager
C. Bomben, Chief Financial Officer

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Mayor called the Committee of the Whole Meeting of February 23, 2015 to order at 7:00 p.m.

2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

MOVED by Councillor Cunningham and seconded by Councillor Niesh that the Agenda for the Committee of the Whole Meeting of February 23, 2015 be adopted as amended.

CARRIED

3. PETITIONS AND DELEGATIONS

a) **Presentation from Ms. Kate Toye, Regional Coordinator, Success by 6 / Prince Rupert Early Years – Re: Success by 6 Council of Partners Steering Committee & Cities Fit for Children Summit.**

Ms. Toye made 3 requests of Council as follows:

- Extended an invite to Council to sit at the table as a guest at their next Council of Partners Planning steering committee, and if Council would like to continue on as a partner then to have a seat on the steering committee;
- Council to proclaim that Prince Rupert is a Child Friendly Community; and to declare this proclamation at the 3rd Annual Children's Day on July 11th, 2015 at Mariner's Park; and
- Request that Council attend the Cities Fit for Children Summit in Vernon, BC on November 12, 13, 2015.

b) David Reeve – Re: Rezoning Request – 1000 Block of 1st Ave. West

David Reeve 1022 – 1st Avenue West. Requested a change in zoning in his neighbourhood from RM2 to R2. Mr. Reeve identified RM2 spot zoning in the city, but would like to see spot zoning of R2 in his neighbourhood to provision the ability to put in a secondary suite and potentially a home based business.

4. QUESTION PERIOD FROM THE PUBLIC

Larry Golden, 1601 – 2nd Avenue West – provided his suggestions in regard to downtown densification, however no question was asked.

Lowthar Schiese, 302 – 5th Avenue West – he provided suggestions in regard to a number of issues, however no question was asked.

5. REPORTS, QUESTIONS AND INQUIRIES FROM MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

6. ADJOURNMENT TO RECONVENE REGULAR COUNCIL MEETING

MOVED by Councillor Kinney and seconded by Councillor Niesh that the meeting be adjourned at 7:33 p.m.

CARRIED

Confirmed:

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MAYOR

Certified Correct:

CORPORATE ADMINISTRATOR