



City of Kelowna Regular Council Meeting Minutes

Date: Wednesday, July 17, 2019
Time: 4:00 pm
Location: Council Chamber
City Hall, 1435 Water Street

Members Present Mayor Colin Basran, Councillor Maxine DeHart, Ryan Donn, Gail Given, Charlie Hodge, Brad Sieben, Mohini Singh, Luke Stack, Councillor Loyal Wooldridge

Staff Present City Manager, Doug Gilchrist; City Clerk, Stephen Fleming; Divisional Director, Planning & Development Services, Ryan Smith; Legislative Coordinator (Confidential) Clint McKenzie

Guests Present City Solicitor, Barry Williamson, Young Anderson

1. Call to Order

Mayor Basran called the meeting to order at 4:06 p.m.
I would like to acknowledge that we are gathered today on the traditional, ancestral, unceded territory of the syilx/Okanagan people.

Mayor Basran advised that the meeting is open to the public and all representations to Council form part of the public record. A live audio and video feed is being broadcast and recorded by Castanet.

2. McCurdy Rd. Supportive Housing Update - Verbal Report Mayor Basran

Mayor Basran:

- Made introductory remarks.
- Provided an update regarding discussions with the Provincial government and BC Housing.
- Identified changes to the operating model made by BC Housing earlier today:
 - Successful applicants will be a range of people experiencing homelessness, including those who have identified they want support in their recovery journey, people with mental illness, people with physical disabilities, and youth ages 19 to 24.
 - Residents will be selected through a screening process.
 - All residents will make a commitment to ongoing recovery as part of their residency. All residents will need to commit to not using illegal drugs as part of their individual wellness plan.

- No overdose prevention site will be located within the McCurdy supportive housing.
- A nurse will be available at the supportive housing site seven days a week.
- Additional staff and security will be available for the first six months of operation to ensure a smooth integration.

- The Mayor thanked Minister Salina Robinson and BC Housing for continuing to work with the City to meet the range of supportive housing needs in our community.

Councillors

-Made individual comments.

Moved By Councillor Hodge/Seconded By Councillor Singh

R715/19/07/17 THAT Council direct the City Clerk to place the rezoning Bylaw No. 11461 for 130 McCurdy Road on an upcoming Council agenda for reconsideration.

Defeated

Opposed – Mayor Basran, Councillors Dehart, Donn, Given, Sieben, Singh, Stack and Wooldridge

3. Termination

This meeting was declared terminated at 5:09 p.m.

Mayor Basran

/cm

City Clerk