

# MINUTES OF THE GOVERNANCE & REGIONAL SERVICES COMMITTEE MEETING

## October 10, 2024 Regional District Office, Cranbrook, BC

PRESENT: Board Chair R. Gay Electoral Area C

Director T. McDonald Electoral Area A Director S. Doehle Electoral Area B Director J. Walter Electoral Area E Director S. Clovechok Electoral Area F Director R. Schnider Electoral Area G Director W. Price City of Cranbrook Director N. Blissett City of Cranbrook Alternate Director K. McIsaac City of Fernie City of Kimberley Director D. McCormick Director S. Fairbairn District of Elkford Director A. Miller District of Invermere Director D. Wilks District of Sparwood Director M. Doherty Village of Canal Flats

Director M. Gray Village of Radium Hot Springs

ABSENT: Director N. Milligan City of Fernie

STAFF: S. Tomlin Chief Administrative Officer

T. Hlushak Corporate Officer

C. Thom Executive Assistant (Recording Secretary)

#### **Call to Order**

Chair Rob Gay called the meeting to order at 4:31pm.

## **Adoption of the Agenda**

MOVED by Director Miller SECONDED by Alternate Director McIsaac

THAT the agenda for the Governance & Regional Services Committee meeting be adopted.

CARRIED

## **Adoption of the Minutes**

#### September 5, 2024 Meeting

MOVED by Director Miller SECONDED by Director Schnider

THAT the Minutes of the Governance & Regional Services Committee meeting held on September 5, 2024 be adopted as circulated.

CARRIED

Director Mike Gray arrived to the meeting at 4:32pm.

## **New Business**

#### **Cheque Register - September 2024**

51967 MOVED by Director Gray SECONDED by Director Wilks

THAT the cheque register for the RDEK General Account for September 2024 in the amount of \$3,143,550.32 be approved as paid.

CARRIED

#### **Yellow Bin Recycling Program Continuation**

MOVED by Director Gay SECONDED by Director Schnider

THAT staff prepare a plan to phase out the Yellow Bin Recycling Program in 2025.

OPPOSED: Director Wilks

**CARRIED** 

#### **Rural Transfer Station Network Optimization and Options**

51969 MOVED by Director Miller SECONDED by Director Doherty

THAT staff prepare a plan for an optimized transfer station network that develops or expands existing sites, considers new sites for development if existing cannot be expanded, and proposes closure of low volume and undevelopable sites.

**CARRIED** 

## **Adjourn to Closed**

MOVED by Director Miller SECONDED by Director Clovechok

THAT the meeting adjourn to a Closed Governance & Regional Services Committee meeting to consider the following matter:

Yellow Bin Program Contract – Section 90(1)(j) of the Community Charter – information that is prohibited, or information that if it were presented in a document would be prohibited, from disclosure under section 21 of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

	CARRIED
The meeting adjourned to closed at 4:57pm.	
Chair Rob C. Gay Tina Hlushak, Corporat	e Officer