

## **Mayne Island Improvement District**

Agenda - Meeting of the Board of Trustees Date: Tuesday, April 11th, 2023 @ 1:00 pm

Location: Meeting Room, Fire Hall, 520 Felix Jack Rd

- 1. CALL TO ORDER
- 2. REQUEST FOR ADDITIONS AND MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA
- 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS BOARD MEETING

February 21<sup>st</sup>, 2023-Regular Board Meeting

- 4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS
- 5. CORRESPONDENCE

None

- 6. **REPORTS** 
  - 6.1 Administrative & Finance Katherine Somerville, CAO -Health Centre Taxation Bylaw 215
  - 6.2 Fire Department Kyle Stobart, Fire Chief
  - 6.3 Occupational Health & Safety Committee Kyle Stobart, Fire Chief

#### 7. TRUSTEE DELEGATE & COMMITTEE REPORTS

- 7.1 Fire Hall Operations Delegate Trustee McKinnon -MIVFA Lease
- 7.2 Finance Delegate Trustee Peace

-Audited Financial Statements

- 7.3 Human Resources Delegate Trustee Hill
- 7.4 Health Centre Operations Delegate Trustee Milne
- 7.5 Policy Committee Delegate Trustee Milne
  -Policy Committee Meeting Minutes March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023
  -Feedback Form
- 7.4 Garbage Committee Trustee Dearden
- 8. NEW BUSINESS
- 9. COMMUNICATIONS
- **10. NEXT BOARD MEETING DATES**

May 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023

- 11. IN CAMERA
  - -Approval of Minutes
  - -Vaccination Policy
  - -Leave of Absence Policy
- **12. ADJOURNMENT**



<sup>1</sup> Administrative & Finance Report

None.

None.

### 6. REPORTS

5. CORRESPONDENCE

#### 6.1 Administrative & Finance Report<sup>1</sup>

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

MOTION: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to approve the 2023 Health Centre taxation exemptions list as presented.

CARRIED

CARRIED

## The meeting was called to order at 1:02pm by Chairperson, Doug Hill.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Date:

Location:

Present:

MOTION: Trustee Dearden moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to approve the agenda

Trustees Brian Dearden, Doug Hill, Bob McKinnon, Debra Milne,

Katherine Somerville, Corporate Administrative Officer

2. REQUEST FOR ADDITIONS AND MOTION TO APPROVE AGENDA

Janelle Lawson, Administrative Assistant

Tuesday, April 11th, 2023@ 1:00 pm

Meeting Room, Fire Hall, 520 Felix Jack Rd

Wayne Peace (via Zoom)

Kyle Stobart, Fire Chief

Eric Walker, Deputy Fire Chief

as presented.

# 3. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF PREVIOUS BOARD MEETING

MOTION: Trustee Milne moved and Trustee Dearden seconded the motion to approve the minutes from the Board Meeting of February 21st, 2023.



CARRIED

<u>MOTION</u>: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to set October 26, 2023 as the Tax Sale date.

#### Health Centre Taxation Bylaw 215

<u>MOTION</u>: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Dearden seconded the motion to pass Bylaw No. 215 - Mayne Island Tax Bylaw 2023.

#### **Emergency Program**

Ham radio operators have a renewed interest in reinstating the club. They had moved out of the building approximately 5 years ago. An MOU is in place with the Emergency Program regarding the use of space at the firehall. CAO has requested they provide a letter to the Board outlining their intentions.

#### **Cloud Storage**

A discussion was held regarding cost neutral option to move from desktop to the Cloud version of the District accounting software. The Board agrees in principle as long as the data is stored in Canada. A Bylaw will be brought to the next meeting.

#### Asset Disposal & Destruction

A discussion was held regarding the used electrical items in storage. These items are from the building of the new hall. They have no value to the District and cannot be sold due to the potential liability this may cause.

<u>MOTION</u>: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Dearden seconded the motion to dispose of these old assets of no value to the District.

#### CARRIED

MOTION: Trustee Dearden moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to approve the CAO Report.

#### 6.2 Fire Department Report<sup>2</sup>

The Fire Chief presented his report. A brief discussion was held regarding the membership and training levels.

<u>MOTION</u>: Trustee Milne moved and Trustee McKinnon seconded the motion to approve the Fire Chief's Report.

#### 6.3 Occupational Health and Safety Committee Reports<sup>3</sup>

Deputy Chief Walker presented the OH&S minutes from February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023. The trustees requested a training report from the Deputy Chief be added to the agenda of all monthly Board meetings.

#### CARRIED

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Fire Department Report

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> OH&S Committee Meeting Minutes – February 14th, 2023

MOTION: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Dearden seconded the motion to accept the OH&S Reports.

CARRIED

#### 7. TRUSTEE DELEGATE REPORTS

7.1 Fire Department Delegate Report

#### MIVFFA Lease

Trustee McKinnon reported on the new bare land lease terms including additional space requested for a Sea Can storage container. The CAO will retain a lawyer for this new lease.

7.2 Finance Delegate Report

#### **Audited Financial Statements**

Trustee Peace presented the 2022 audited financial statements for Board acceptance. <u>MOTION</u>: Trustee Peace moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to accept the 2022 Audited Financial Statements.

#### CARRIED

7.3 Human Resources Delegate Report

Trustee Milne discussed the recent performance reviews to be added to the personnel folders of staff. Some performance reviews were returned to the Board signed by employees.

7.4 Health Centre Delegate Report Nothing to report.

7.5 Policy Committee Delegate Report Policy Committee Minutes March 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2023 Feedback Form

Trustee Milne discussed the progress to date the policy committee has made. Trustee Milne presented the Feedback form for Board review and the approved policy committee meeting minutes from March 2, 2023.

MOTION: Trustee Dearden moved and Trustee Peace seconded the motion to approve the Feedback Form for publication.

#### CARRIED

<u>MOTION</u>: Trustee Peace moved and Trustee Dearden seconded the motion to approve the Trustee Delegate reports.

CARRIED

#### 8. NEW BUSINESS

None.

#### 9. COMMUNICATIONS

None.

#### **10. NEXT BOARD MEETING DATES**

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May 9th, 2023 - Regular Board Meeting

#### 11. IN CAMERA

MOTION: Trustee Milne moved and Trustee McKinnon seconded the motion to go to an in camera session at 2:15 pm.

The regular Board meeting was reconvened at 2:30 pm.

#### 12. OTHER BUSINESS

The following motions were lifted from the in-camera session:

MOTION: Trustee Dearden moved and Trustee McKinnon seconded the motion to suspend the Vaccination Policy.

MOTION: Trustee McKinnon moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion to maintain the requirement that all First Responders be vaccinated for COVID.

MOTION: Trustee Hill moved and Trustee Milne seconded the motion that section 2.1, 2.2, and 2.3 of the Leave of Absence Policy be applicable to all employees returning to work following the

# suspension of the Vaccination Policy.

#### 13. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, Chairperson Hill asked for a motion to adjourn. The board meeting was adjourned at 2:30pm by motion made by Trustee McKinnon.

Approved:

Recorded and transcribed by J. Lawson

Date:

CARRIED

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# Mayne Island Improvement District

#### ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT – APRIL $4^{TH}$ , 2023

Board of Trustees,

The audited financial statements have been reviewed by myself and Trustee Peace. I have Included them in this meeting package for acceptance by the Board. There were no concerns with the audit and the auditor's Management Letter will reflect this. The financial statements must be submitted to the Ministry by May 15<sup>th</sup>.

The Health Centre taxation bylaw will be prepared for the Board meeting. I cannot include the draft in the package as I don't receive the data I need to prepare the bylaw until March 31. I am anticipating no changes from the Board in regards to exemptions and minimum payment. I will be looking for direction from the Board as to whether you will exempt the secondary Church property or not this year.

Trustee McKinnon, Bill Jamieson and staff met to discuss the MIVFFA lease agreement. This agreement does not renew until next year however, the Association would like to add some leased land area in order to accommodate a 20-foot sea can for storage purposes.

I am currently waiting on the electrician for work to repair and upgrade the ballast on the exterior parking lot lighting. The new ballast should provide a much brighter work area. Once this work we may want to consider additional lighting in the front parking area. I have been in contact with the plumber in regards to the water tank work. He is coordinating with the machine operator and will be getting back to me soon.

Sincerely,

Katherine Somerville Corporate Administrative Officer

Ŀ	Health Centre Tax Summary 2023					
	March 30, 2023					
		# of	\$ Amount			
		Properties	Outstanding			
Curren	t Year	0	0.			
Arrear	S	257	11,529.83			
Delinq	uent	80	2,521.37			
Credit	Balances	37	(2,606.50)			
Total Outsta	nding		<u>\$11,444.60</u>			

Attachments:

FD & HC Budget vs. Actual (Prd 3, 2023; Prd 3, 2023) Balance Sheet (Prd 3, 2023) **Action Items:** Engagement Letter

## **Fire Department Report**

#### To: Board of Trustees CAO Sommerville From: Fire Chief Kyle Stobart

Date: MIID Board Meeting February 21<sup>st</sup> 2023 Fire Department summary to date



#### **Mayne Island Fire Rescue**

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Mar 4 19:09 DO-Wires down :12	1							
Mar 12 13:05 First Responder :17	4							
Mar 13 11:55 Road hazard :07	3							
Mar 17 15:01 Open burn complaint :11	1							
Mar 22 02:51 First Responder n/a	Stood down							
Mar 27 11:40 Rescue :12	10							

#### Response

Emergency response numbers have been increasing to seasonal norms. As always MIFR is ready to respond 24/7. First Responder(medical) call volumes have been increasing.

#### Attendance

Pager Responses: 118 hrs. Fire Practice: 170 hrs. Special training/DO/Community Events: 16 hrs.

Practice and Education						
Active personnel	Firefighter 1 & 2 and Exterior	Youth and Work Experience	Firefighters in training			
18	19	4	6			
The 2022 recruit class attended Live Fire training in March. They now need Hazmat training to complete their accreditation to Full-Service Firefighters. One firefighter remains on leave due to vaccination status.						

#### **Equipment and Apparatus**

Utility 1 is scheduled for repairs on April 28. Tender 3 is waiting for notification of parts arrival before booking.

News

MIFR is in the process of becoming a Red Cross training partner, after which we can train First Responders in house.

Training should commence by summer of this year.

On March 30<sup>th</sup> Fire Chief attended a meeting with CRD reps and area Fire Chiefs to try to create consistent open burning practices in the SGI.

Fire Chief Kyle Stobart

#### Mayne Island Fire/Rescue Occupational Health and Safety Committee Meeting



Tuesday February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

#### Present:

Deputy Chief E. Walker - Chair/Recording Secretary, CAO K. Somerville, Fire Fighter R. Edwards

Absent: Fire Chief K. Stobart, Admin Assistant J. Lawson

#### Guests:

None

Meeting called to order at 13:04 hours, February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023

#### 1. <u>Agenda:</u>

K. Somerville moved and R. Edwards seconded the motion to adopt the agenda as presented. **CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY** 

#### 2. Previous Minutes of the OH&S Committee Meeting:

K. Somerville moved and R. Edwards seconded the motion to approve the minutes of the previous meeting, as presented, held January 11<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

#### CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

#### 3. Business Arising from Previous Minutes:

#### a) Repairs to Tender 3 – K. Stobart

E. Walker reported that K. Stobart has taken Tender 3 in for an assessment and that repairs will take place when the replacement parts arrive. Tender 3 remains in service and operational.

#### b) Rear Parking Lot Lighting – K. Somerville

K. Somerville that she is waiting to hear back from the electrician regarding the rear parking lot lighting. <u>ACTION ITEM – K. Somerville to contact electrician regarding the status of the rear parking lot lighting.</u>

#### c) Platform Ladder – E. Walker

E. Walker reported that the platform has arrived at the fire hall and is set up in in service. R. Edwards added that the membership should be briefed on safe use of the ladder. <u>ACTION</u> ITEM – E. Walker to address the membership regarding safe use of the platform ladder.

#### d) Utility 1 Repairs – K. Stobart

E. Walker reported that K. Stobart has taken Utility 1 in for an assessment and that repairs will take place when the replacement parts arrive. Utility 1 remains in service and operational.

#### 4. New Business:

#### Mayne Island Fire/Rescue Occupational Health and Safety Committee Meeting



a) Fire Department Facility Inspection – E. Walker
 E. Walker reported that he would like to schedule a fire department facility inspection, to be completed by the OH&S committee, for next month's OH&S meeting.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 13:14 hours, February 14<sup>th</sup>, 2023.

Agenda for Next Meeting TBA.
 Please submit any items to include on next month's agenda to: ewalker@mayneid.ca or telephone
 250 539 5156; or drop-off at the fire hall.
 Next OHS Meeting will be Tuesday March 7<sup>th</sup> at 13:00 hrs.

E. Walker, Chair Recorded by E. Walker, Recording Secretary



# **Feedback Form**

Your feedback is important to us. Use this feedback form to ask a question, share your thoughts, and/or concerns about a Mayne Island Improvement District (MIID) and/or Mayne Island Fire Department (MIFD) matter. This form will be automatically received by the Board Chair and CAO of the MIID and will be responded to in a timely manner.

Your name:

Your email address:

Your phone number (optional):

Your address (optional):

Your message:

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