



City of Port Moody

Minutes

Transportation Committee

Minutes of the regular meeting of the Transportation Committee held on Wednesday, September 18, 2019 in the Brovold Room.

Present

Councillor Hunter Madsen, Chair
James Atkinson
Tim Barton
Yolanda Broderick
James Clarke
Andrew Hartline
Lori Holdenried
Scott Kirkpatrick
Jeff McLellan
Kathleen Nadalin

Absent

Councillor Steve Milani, Vice-Chair (Regrets)
Katie Maki
Brian Wong – Constable, Port Moody Police Department (Regrets)

In Attendance

Stephen Judd – Manager of Infrastructure Engineering Services
Ian McLellan – Sergeant, Port Moody Police Department
Jennifer Mills – Committee Coordinator
Jeff Moi – General Manager of Engineering and Operations

Also In Attendance

Lesley Evans Ogden (re item 4.1)

1. Call to Order

Call to Order

1.1 The Chair called the meeting to order at 7:02pm.

Minutes

2. Adoption of Minutes

2.1 TC19/010

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

THAT the minutes of the Transportation Committee meeting held on Wednesday, July 17, 2019 be adopted.

Agenda items were varied at this point to address item 4.1.

4. New Business

Delegation – Port Moody Active Transportation Safety Committee

- 4.1 Lesley Evans Ogden gave a presentation on a Plea for Safe, Equitable Kid-Friendly Active Transportation Structure and noted that she is a member of the Port Moody Active Transportation Safety Committee that is working towards solving safety issues regarding foot and cycle transportation, especially around schools.

Ms. Evans Ogden noted that the Committee's biggest concerns are speeding and the connectivity of active transportation routes with other municipalities.

The General Manager of Operations and Engineering noted that traffic calming measures such as flashing yellow lights, street narrowing, and curb extensions have been installed in the area.

The Chair noted that a resolution requesting that municipalities be granted the authority to create 30km/hr zones within their jurisdiction will be submitted at the UBCM Conference next week.

Kathleen Nadalin noted that ICBC offers road safety programs that offer road safety education for students and can help identify areas for safety improvements,

Ms. Evans Ogden left the meeting at this point and did not return.

TC19/011

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

THAT the Port Moody Citizens of Glenayre/College Park – A Plea for Safe, Equitable Kid-Friendly Active Transportation Infrastructure presentation be received for information.

The agenda order resumed at this point.

3. Unfinished Business

Nomination of Age-Friendly Steering Committee Representative

- 3.1 The Chair noted that Lori Holdenried has volunteered to be the Transportation Committee's representative on the Age-Friendly Steering Committee.

TC19/012

Moved, seconded, and CARRIED

THAT Lori Holdenried be appointed as the Transportation Committee Representative on the Age-Friendly Steering Committee.

Suter Brook Public Space Improvements

- 3.2 The Manager of Infrastructure Engineering Services gave a presentation on Suter Brook Village Traffic and Public Space and requested the Committee's feedback on safety and traffic concerns.

Staff and Committee members discussed the many options that could increase safety for all modes of transportation and the following ideas were noted:

- better and more signage promoting free parking in the underground parkade;
- implement paid parking with a higher rate for above-ground spots;
- relocate the parkade entrance to the outside of the Village;
- change Suter Brook Way to a pedestrian and loading area only between Morrissey Road and Brew Street;
- change the parking spots in front of Romer's to loading zone only until 8pm;
- paint bike lanes green;
- change to a one-directional road; and
- create a dedicated commercial loading zone.

Action: The Manager of Infrastructure Engineering Services to incorporate the Committee's feedback into a new report and present at October's meeting with the purpose of creating a recommendation to forward to Council.

Impediments to Taking Public Transit

- 4.2 Councillor Hunter Madsen Attachments:
- a) Memo: General Manager of Operations and Engineering, dated September 12, 2019
 - b) Master Transportation Plan – Discussion Paper #3 – Section 5.0 Transit
 - c) TransLink – Transit-Oriented Communities – A Primer on Key Concepts

- d) Victoria Transport Policy Institute – Evaluating Public Transit Benefits and Costs Best Practices Guidebook – Executive Summary – 2019 03 18
- e) TransLink – Pets on Transit
- f) Youth Focus Committee Report to Council – Requesting Improvements to TransLink Bus Services to Port Moody Schools
- g) Link: <https://www.wsp.com/en-CA/insights/ca-what-if-we-can-design-transit-to-improve-our-health>

File: 0360-20-06

This item was postponed to a future meeting.

Neighbourhood Traffic Calming Policy Update

- 4.3 Attachment: Neighbourhood Traffic Calming Policy
File: 01-0350-03/2010

This item was postponed to a future meeting.

5. Information

6. Adjournment

- 6.1 The Chair adjourned the meeting at 8:59pm.



Councillor Hunter Madsen,
Chair



Jennifer Mills,
Committee Coordinator