Minutes of the History and Heritage Committee City of White Rock, via Electronic Means November 4, 2020

PRESENT: K. Wuschke, Chairperson M. Pedersen S. Moir K. Peplow

NON-VOTING ADVISORS:	H. Ellenwood, White Rock Museum and Archives
COUNCIL:	Councillor Chesney (non-voting)
ABSENT:	Chief H. Chappell, Semiahmoo First Nations, Vice-Chairperson
STAFF:	C. Isaak, Director of Planning and Development ServicesE. Keurvorst, Manager, Cultural DevelopmentK. Sidhu, Committee Clerk

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Chairperson called the meeting to order at 3:32 p.m.

- 2. ELECTRONIC MEETING PROCEDURES/ BEST PRACTICES Corporate administration provided an overview of how electronic meetings are to be conducted.
- **3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

2020-HHAC-015 IT WAS MOVED AND SECONDED

THAT the History and Heritage Advisory Committee adopt the agenda for November 4, 2020 as circulated.

CARRIED

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

a) March 4, 2020

2020-HHAC-016 IT WAS MOVED AND SECONDED

THAT the History and Heritage Advisory Committee adopts the March 4, 2020 meeting minutes as circulated.

CARRIED

5.

HERITAGE DESIGNATION

The Director of Planning and Development Services provided an overview of the Heritage Designation request that was referred from Council to the Committee. The following discussion points were noted:

- The differences between a Heritage Register and Heritage Designation
- The costs associated with building a Heritage Register
- Possibility of brainstorming with other municipalities to discuss their process for Heritage Designations. The City of New Westminster was

proposed as a possible template as their municipality is of similar size to White Rock

- Staff noted Bylaws that designate three (3) heritage properties in White Rock but noted it is not an official register. It was further noted the costs to set up a Heritage Register would be approximately \$80,000
- The differences between Heritage Inventory and Heritage Designation
- The implications of researching Heritage Designations as a resident and not on behalf of the committee
- It was confirmed that the Elm Street application had been withdrawn for consideration

<u>Action item:</u> The Committee to self-research Heritage Registers and Designations and bring back their findings for discussion at the next meeting.

<u>Action item:</u> Chairperson Wushke to send links to Heritage Resource Guide and Community Guide to the Committee Clerk to forward to the Committee.

<u>Action item:</u> Director of Planning and Development Services to send links for more information on Heritage Designations to the Committee Clerk to forward to the Committee.

<u>Action item:</u> S. Moir, Committee Member, to research how other communities establish their Heritage Registers and to report back at the next meeting.

6. **OTHER BUSINESS**

- H. Ellenwood provided updates on the working group established by the Committee at the March 4th meeting. He noted they have been working in conjunction with the White Rock Museum on Heritage Presentations to teach new residents the history and heritage of the community. The subcommittee has also been partaking in Virtual Walking Tours, these have now been carried forward by the museum who are now working on a series of YouTube videos.
- K. Peplow addressed the progress of an item previously discussed regarding having English and Semiahmoo language on the street signs in White Rock. It was noted this item was in the 2020 Ideas Session.

2020-HHAC-017 IT WAS MOVED AND SECONDED

THAT the History and Heritage Advisory Committee refer the 2020 Ideas Session to the 2021 Committee Agenda.

CARRIED

7. INFORMATION

The Committee discussed accomplished and outstanding items listed on the action tracking document.

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> The Manager of Cultural Development provided an update on Story Maps and presented the link to the Committee: https://storymaps.arcgis.com/stories/224419e25785493b8db465911dadebba

Action item: H. Ellenwood to work with the Manager of Cultural Development on a Story Map for History and Heritage.

14. CONCLUSION OF THE NOVEMBER 4, 2020 HISTORY AND HERITAGE ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING

The Chairperson declared the meeting concluded at 5:07 p.m.

K. Wuschke, Chairperson

K. Sidhu, Committee Clerk