



PEACE RIVER REGIONAL DISTRICT

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING MINUTES

DATE: April 28, 2016

PLACE: Chetwynd & District Rec Centre – Tamarack Room, Chetwynd, BC

PRESENT:

Directors

Chair McPherson, District of Tumbler Ridge
Vice-Chair Sperling, Electoral Area 'C'
Director Ackerman, City of Fort St. John
Director Fraser, District of Taylor
Director Goodings, Electoral Area 'B'
Director Hiebert, Electoral Area 'D'
Director Lavoie, Village of Pouce Coupe
Director Rose, Electoral Area 'E'
Director Stewart, City of Fort St. John

Alternate Directors

Alternate Director Brownlee, District of Chetwynd
Alternate Director Heiberg, District of Hudson's Hope
Alternate Director Shuman, City of Dawson Creek

Absent

Director Bumstead, City of Dawson Creek
Director Johansson, District of Hudson's Hope
Director Nichols, District of Chetwynd

Staff

Chris Cvik, Chief Administrative Officer
Bruce Simard, General Manager of Development Services
Jeff Rahn, General Manager of Environmental Services
Paulo Eichelberger, Manager of Solid Waste Services
Fran Haughian, Communications Manager / Commission Liaison
Trish Morgan, General Manager of Community and Electoral Area Services
Jennifer Moore, North Peace Economic Development Officer
Brenda Deliman, Recording Secretary

Others

Jo Middleton, Charlie Lake
Sheree Smith, Chetwynd
Archie Shannon, Chetwynd
Amber Mosher, Chetwynd
Darcy Heartt, Dawson Creek
Catie Underhill, TransCanada
Kiera Cushway
Cliff Calliou, Kelly Lake

Bud Middleton, Charlie Lake
Doug Fleming, Chetwynd
Curtis Mosher, Chetwynd
Lorna Wollen, Montney
Jen Slater, Chetwynd
Sandra Cushway
Jeff Ginter, Dawson Creek

Presenters - RCMP

Chetwynd Detachment
Corporal Ruppenthal

Fort St. John Detachment

Inspector Kurvers
Staff Sergeant Perret

Dawson Creek Detachment

Staff Sergeant Guilbault
Sergeant Reinink

Hudson's Hope Detachment

Corporal Romanchych

Presenters – RCMP (continued)

N District Office, Prince George
Staff Sergeant Wallace

Tumbler Ridge Detachment
Constable McElwain

Call to Order The Chair called the meeting to order at 10:00 a.m.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA:

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CW/16/04/01

MOVED Director Hiebert, SECONDED Director Sperling,
That the Peace River Regional District Board agenda for the April 28, 2016 Committee of the Whole meeting, including additional items for the agenda, be adopted as amended:

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Adoption of Agenda**
3. **Presentation**

3.1 RCMP

Re: Policing the Peace River Region
Staff Sergeant Marcel Guilbault, City of Dawson Creek
Inspector Michael Kurvers, Detachment Commander, City of Fort St. John
Corporal Trevor Romanchych, District of Hudson's Hope
Sergeant Olivia Tremblay, Detachment Commander, District of Chetwynd
Aboriginal Advisory NCO, Bill Wallace, N District Office

Handout: Power point presentation; and
2015 / 2016 Hudson's Hope APP Priorities and Initiatives Results

4. **Adjournment**

CARRIED.

PRESENTATION:

3.1

POLICING THE PEACE RIVER REGION

RCMP Officers from Chetwynd, Dawson Creek, Fort St. John, Hudson's Hope, Prince George and Tumbler Ridge provided information on the annual performance plan, initiatives, and community involvement in each area. Topics included:

- Domestic violence
- Traffic safety / impaired driving enforcement
- ATV patrols / boat safety
- Community and youth engagement
- Substance abuse
- Theft
- Staffing levels
- Public education

PRESENTATION: (continued)

3.1 (continued)

POLICING THE PEACE RIVER REGION (continued)

A question and answer period ensued. Topics included:

- Vehicle headlights (blue lights / fog lights)
- False alarms
- Speeding in construction zones
- Pulling over for emergency vehicles

The RCMP power point presentation is available for viewing on the cover of the April 28, 2016 Committee of the Whole agenda on the Regional District website as item 3.1.

<http://prrd.bc.ca/board/agendas/2016/2016-14-588524926/AGENDA.html>

ADJOURNMENT

The Chair adjourned the meeting at 11:28 a.m.

CERTIFIED a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the Regional Board of the Peace River Regional District from a Committee of the Whole meeting held on April 28, 2016 in the Chetwynd & District Rec Centre Tamarack Room, Chetwynd, BC.

Don McPherson, Chair

Jo-Anne Frank, Corporate Officer