

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING December 5, 2016 6:00 P.M. **MUNICIPAL HALL COUNCIL CHAMBERS**

Present: Council: Councillor Dave Heiberg

Councillor Kelly Miller Councillor Nicole Gilliss Councillor Heather Middleton Councillor Travous Quibell

Absent:

Mayor Gwen Johansson

Councillor Caroline Beam

Youth Councillor Tess Herrington

Staff:

CAO, Tom Matus

Special Events Coordinator, Emily Nusse **Corporate Officer, Tammy McKeown**

Other: 8 in Gallery

CALL TO ORDER: 1.

The meeting called to order at 6:02 p.m. with Councillor Dave Heiberg presiding.

ADOPTION OF AGENDA BY CONSENSUS: 2.

DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTEREST: 3.

4. **DISCUSSIONS:**

Budgets and Grant Applications D1 6:06pm Councillor Middleton arrived 6:10pm Councillor Quibell arrived

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- Hudson's Hope Library
 - Discussion in regard to Grants received from other sources
 - Presented last 10 years budget comparison
 - Library to provide updated information to District staff
 - Library would like to see increase to book budget
 - Have applied on Grants for the Youth Program and have applied for Grants from PRRD - most funds are not available for Hudson's Hope Library
 - Library budgets based on Grant request
 - Library to provide updated user numbers to justify increase in request
 - Library to provide note showing what donation line and miscellaneous line include

Community Hall

\$30,000 approved in March for replacement of floors

- Quotes have been received but new issue due to foundations of additions settling - self leveling will not help they need to be lifted
- Attempted to contact Northern Development
 Initiative change of scope due to repairs. May have to re-apply to get proper funding
- Building Inspector to complete inspection and then advise engineer.
- Need transition plan: wait for report from Building Inspector. Report to be forwarded to Council.

• Hudson's Hope Museum

- o Larger request than any previous years
- Received \$8,000 in 2015 and \$12,000 in 2016 in Community Gaming Grants
- Electrician donated time
- 2017 is the first year receiving NDIT project grant
 -have to request reimbursement
- Raised \$12,000 through fundraising
- New collection to be put on display and other items in storage need to be moved to basement.
 New database being installed
- New exhibit will be only one of its kind in BC
- On par to receive 10,000 visitors in 2017, have seen 7-10% increase each year
- Museum sales inventory had to be reduced due to less funding
- Discussion in regard to applying for Tourism
 Funding –utilize museum as info centre in winter months

D2 Recreation Strategic Plan

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- Request for report from Rec Committee itemizing:
 - Operational costs
 - Future expenditures
 - List of ideas from facilities for where money could be used
- Special Event Coordinator to check into potential Grants available and to provide a report in regard to what the Committee is requesting for each of the facilities.
- · Grant availability may change priorities
- Request to PRRD should be made for funding.
- Report requested in regard to number of non-locals using the facilities
- Discussion in regard to new sidewalk, BC Bike application

5. **STAFF REPORTS:**

6. **PUBLIC INQUIRIES:**

7. ADJOURNMENT:

Councillor Heiberg declared the meeting adjourned at 7:28 pm

DIARY Diarized

Conventions/Conferences/Holidays

Beryl Prairie Playground 07/25/16 UBCM resolution- Alternate Director 10/11/16

Certified Correct:

CAO/Tom Matus

Heiberg

hair/Councillor Dave