

QUAYSIDE COMMUNITY BOARD

Minutes - Nov. 27th, 2013

Meeting Location: 13 K de K Court, Westminster Landing Common Room: PLEASE NOTE START TIME 7:00 pm

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Guest - Ken Wilkinson to speak about craft fair and hand out posters

Kim Zimmerman organizing a craft fair- Irg response of regular people with handmade items – 15 to 20 vendors booked already – Dec. 8th, 13th and 20th at the River Market. What kind of entertainment would we like? Add a line to the advertisement to ask if anyone wants a tree to call or email. New Westminster Community Food Action Committee- program to create workshops to instruct people about making specialty/healthy baked items (1st one was Pumpkin Loaf) plus Harvest Box program – for more info on the Harvest Box program http://www.newwestpcr.ca/2013/10/29/harvest-box-new-westminster.php Food Buying Group being checked into- is anyone interested? Let Vickie know at quayside.vickie@gmail.com or Ken at kenw10@telus.net

A. Call to order: 7:30pm

B. Additions to the Agenda

-festival committee at city hall

C. Adoption of the minutes from QCB Oct 30th, 2013

D. Train Report: Brian: letter from Peter Julian asking parliament & minister of health to have the trains stopped at night. Brian talked to Mayor Wright about it as well and was told he'd get back to him. Send the petition to stop the trains at night via email to bldgs. Small spill in the yard that has been reported to the spill emergency line and the city, however neither has been out to deal with it.

MSC: yes

E. Business arising from the minutes:

- **1. Plaza 88 and McInnis overpass**: (City Rep): NIA Gavin will email Gloria D.- people can also email city hall for info about these issues
- **2. Strata Council List Update:** Please ensure you send updates regarding strata councils: sent around a list to update reps and alternates names in order to update the website.
- **3. Resident Association Guidelines from City of New Westminster:** Penny- RA meetings are on the same nights, Penny attended our QCB meeting. A sample of the brochure to list all RA's in NW has been created, we'll have to wait for the minutes to let us know what else was covered. Next meeting is slated for Feb. 26th, which again is our meeting night. Penny will try to attend that meeting and have someone cover our QCB meeting.
- **4. Surrey Port and Coal Transfer:** James: Please be sure to respond to the comments from Port Metro Van. by Dec 18th- we're still looking for a health assessment to address the issues. UBC Professors and Professionals in air quality should be brought in to add their opinions. Lisa Walls is who to email Regional Director of Canadian Environment Assessment Agency
- **F. President's Report:** Penny: Attended the gala for the Royal Westminster Regiment as a rep of QCB as we were named as a sponsor for our raffle donation. It was a very nice function. I am starting to work on the AGM. There will be no meeting in December and I am away the last two weeks of January so the AGM is being moved to Feb. 5th, probably at the River Market.
- **G. Treasurer's report:** Maureen: The only change in our bank account for October is the interest of \$7.05, balance \$7859.21. Outstanding...\$100.80 PO Box, \$60 Remembrance Day wreath, \$1200 New Westminster Regiment 150 and income Landmark \$500 which would leave us with \$8,371.16

H. Regular Business:

- **1. Westminster Pier Park:** (City Rep): James no overpass from 4th as it was too expensive. It's in Limboland right now.
 - **2. Civic (Convention) Centre:** (City Rep): under construction

- **3. Pedestrian Overpass to Queensborough:** (City Rep): James- Freedom of Information that Ted requested on the Marina- they couldn't find any.
- I. Committee Reports and Appointments:
 - 1. Quayside Festival and Sale: James: Suggestion to change the header in the minutes to Festivals from Quayside Festival and sale Light up the Quay (LUTQ)- we are now co-operating with Festivals of Trees. Looking for ten trees to be donated, Norris firs at 6' 5". They are also looking for volunteers. Food bank boxes will be delivered to be placed in lobbies to collect food donations and then they'll be taken to River Market for photo opp under QCB tree. Cocktail Party to say thanks to strata councils after judging LUTQ. To recognize anyone who has done a lot of work in the community. Tentatively Dec. 18th or 19th. In order for your building to be eligible for judging the lights, one designated person from your building must register at lightuptheQuay@quaysideboard.com in order to assist the judging panel. If you wish to register please email us with your name, building name/address and your phone number (cell would be appreciated). \$500 budget for LUTQ MSC- yes
 - 2. Festival of trees is looking for volunteers on Dec. 8th & 12th
 - 3. Traffic, Buses, Boardwalk & Gateway Committee: Michail: NIA
 - **4.Community Policing:** Gavin: 3 NWPD members got service awards- Dec 11th there is a crime free multi housing workshop- register online if you want to go. Like the NWPD on Facebook. Christmas parade on Dec. 7th at 11am. Parade is honoring Fire Dept. Nov 29th –Dec31 Operation Rednose-call 1877-604-NOSE (6673)-Call NWPD if you see problems no call to small- 525-3411
 - 5. Emergency Advisory Committee: Vickie: NTR
 - **6. Website Update:** Penny: Brian sent an email regarding Outlook 365 to Vickie, she will forward it to Penny and James.
 - **7.Off Leash Dogs:** Vickie NTR- haven't yet figured out how to get the reports. Contacting Ted Eddy
- **J. Strata Reports:** Legend: NTA = Nothing to report / NIA = Not in attendance

Anchor Pointe: NIA

Dockside: Virginia- assessed for building envelope, elevators update, hallways

Excelsior: NIA Laguna Landing: NIA

Lido: Nina – moss on roof and gutters to prepare for painting in the spring

Murano: NIA

Promenade: Dorothy- 3rd automatic door to the recreation area

Quaywest: James- waiting for depreciation report-leaks in garage-AGM in two weeks

Quavside Terrace: NIA

Rialto: NIA

Riverbend: NTR

Riviera: Brian- depreciation report- nothing of concern- expecting a minor budget increase

Tiffany Shores: NIA

Tower I: -Burt- AGM on Jan 27th-working on depreciation report, may not be ready by AGM

Tower II: Joy – AGM Dec 9th- voting soon on updating elevator

Westport: NIA

Westminster Landing: Gavin-garbage containers finished- going ahead with gates

The Q: NIA

K. Correspondence received – John Robson playground – Green Drinks for tomorrow

L. Motion to adjourn 9:12

MSC: Yes