Fort Langley Community Association
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FLCA Monthly Meeting Agenda
Tues, June 13, 2023 - 7:30 pm
Fort Langley Community Hall - 9167 Glover Road - Downstairs

Attendance: Alison Hewitt, Amy Read, Betty Stockli, Gralin Doubleday, Pam Sutherland, Peter Steunenberg, Pammela Stuenenberg, Audrey Maschi, Malcolm Weatherston, Susan Mackenzie, Aaron Madaisky
Absent- Andy S, Mike B, Leis R., Megan S.

- **Call to order**

- **Approval of the agenda.**
  Approved: Audrey, Seconded: Janine.
- **Approval of the Minutes:**
  Approved: Pam, Seconded: Betty Stockli...
- **Treasurer's Report:**
  Current Bank Balance $11,739.17

  Banner Grant came through from the Township so we have some funds to look at doing something new with the banners.
  Coming up, we budget about $8,000 in banners.
- **Business Arising from the Minutes:**

1. Waterfront Public Consultation

Online survey sent out by the Township... Sent out to all township residents.
The FLCA proceeding with consultation on the waterfront with the Waterfront Consultation Committee (a group made up of various community members). This survey is up on the website fortlangleycommunity.com. DEADLINE FOR RESPONSES: June 18, 2023
The FLCA will require assistance with sorting through the information to make a presentation at the next council meeting.
Councilor Van Popta advised the room that the Township are trying to reduce confusion in regards to the Waterfront. They want input and a “wishlist” from each user group.

2. Mosquito

Letter of support for Councillor Kunst for dealing with the Mosquitos.
The committee had a meeting on Brae Island. Was informational. The pesticides offered by the Township only target certain kinds of mosquitos, not necessarily the mosquitos in your backyard.
Continued efforts on working with Metro and the Township on a more comprehensive effort to dealing with the bug.
An official commitment for 2024 by the Township has been made with one of the main goals being more advertising for people.
Many comments on how successful the townhall meeting held in May was.

3. Banner

The grant from the Township has come through. A decision needs to be made on whether the FLCA will put together a new “design”.
Remarks were made about the an old banner in front of the cemetery. Have the company take it down next time they are going around changing the banners.
Some residents are wondering why the banners do not go up to Francis and Glover. Discussion on whether it is possible to expand where the banners are in the Fort.

Suggestion that we do a Fort Langley donation box campaign to try to get additional funds for the banners.
The FLCA would like to get a local artist to assist in creation of new banners.
Suggestion that we print off some posters of any new banners that we do and then sell the posters.
NOTE FROM COMMUNITY HALL: Artists can come by and pitch tent on the front lawn of the Hall for free on the weekend and sell their works.
Suggestion to add some more information on the banner program, where we should have more information on the different banners, and some credit to the artists. More education on each set of banners and why they are there.

- **New Business / Discussion**

1. LAND ACKNOWLEDGMENT

DISCUSSION- unceded, ancestral land of the Semiahmoo, Katzie and Kwantlen nations.
Motion to have land acknowledgment at the beginning of each meeting. (PASSED: Audrey; Janine).

2. Round table

Dredging: A couple of meetings and things are progressing- There will be a meeting with all of the user groups soon. John Aldag local MP involved in the process. Next meeting in June.
It is with the user groups of the waterfront to make sure that all of that is going to be taken care of.

CANADA DAY IN FORT LANGLEY.

The Farm Museum presented on what is happening for Canada Day. Everybody is invited to come celebrate on Canada Day.

MEMORY GARDEN.

The landscaping installation on the side of the Fort Langley Hall, opening officially on Saturday at 11am.
The memory garden is to honour all of the volunteers that have helped maintain the Fort Langley Community Hall.

TRUCKING ROUTE UPDATE- Interchange upgrades to Rawlison and Glover approved by Township…

8:30 – meeting adjuourned.
Approved: Pam, Seconded: Betti.

NEXT MEETING JULY 11th, 2023

Suggested that we skip August meeting and go straight to September.