

# CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ESQUIMALT Minutes - Draft

# **Special Meeting of Council**

Monday, May 4, 2020	6:00 PM	Esquimalt Council Chambers

Ministerial Order 083 of April 26, 2020 was repealed and replaced by **Ministerial Order No. M139 - May 1, 2020.** 

Division 2 - Open meetings - municipalities 3. (1) A council, or a body referred to in section 93 [application of rule to other bodies] of the *Community Charter,* is not required to allow members of the public to attend an open meeting of the council or body. (2) For the purposes of Division 3 [*Open Meetings*] of Part 4 [*Public Participation and Council Accountability*] of the *Community Charter,* if a council or a body does not allow members of the public to attend an open meeting under subsection (1) of this section, the open meeting is not to be considered closed to the public. (3) This section applies despite (a) Division 3 [*Open Meetings*] of Part 4 [*Public Participation and Council Accountability*] of the *Community Charter,* and (b) any applicable requirements in a municipality procedure bylaw of a council.

Present 7 - Mayor Barbara Desjardins Councillor Ken Armour Councillor Meagan Brame Councillor Jacob Helliwell Councillor Lynda Hundleby Councillor Tim Morrison Councillor Jane Vermeulen

Councillor Armour, Councillor Brame, Councillor Helliwell, and Councillor Hundleby attended the meeting by conference call.

Staff: Laurie Hurst, Chief Administrative Officer Rachel Dumas, Manager of Corporate Services / Recording Secretary

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Desjardins called the Special Council meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

#### 2. LATE ITEMS

There were no late items.

## 3. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

Moved by Councillor Morrison, seconded by Councillor Hundleby: That the agenda be approved as circulated. Carried Unanimously.

#### 4. MOTION TO GO IN CAMERA

Moved by Councillor Hundleby, seconded by Councillor Vermeulen: That Council convene In Camera pursuant to Section 90 of the Community Charter to discuss:

• The acquisition, disposition or expropriation of land or improvements, if the council considers that disclosure could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the municipality;

• The receipt of advice that is subject to solicitor-client privilege, including communications necessary for that purpose;

• Negotiations and related discussions respecting the proposed provision of a municipal service that are at their preliminary stages and that, in the view of the council, could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the municipality if they were held in public;

• Personal information about an identifiable individual who holds or is being considered for a position as an officer, employee or agent of the municipality or another position appointed by the municipality.

In accordance with Section 90(1)(a), (e), (i) & (k) of the Community Charter, and that the general public be excluded. Carried Unanimously.

#### 5. ADJOURNMENT

Moved by Councillor Brame, seconded by Councillor Hundleby: That the Special Council meeting be adjourned at 6:01 P.M. Carried Unanimously.

MAYOR BARBARA DESJARDINS THIS DAY OF , 2020 RACHEL DUMAS, CORPORATE OFFICER CERTIFIED CORRECT