

Minutes of the KDKM

Neighbourhood Association

Wednesday January 14, 2015

Tolko Mill, Kelowna

Present: Lisa Masini, Saskia Makela, Sue Parfitt, Gail Swintak, Heather Rice, Tamara Terlesky, Maria Tokarchuk, Brent Rogers.

Regrets: Sepi Mashkuri, Tess Letailleur

- Minutes from September 2014 presented. Approved by Saskia and seconded by Sue.
- Treasurer's report: \$687.79 in account as of December 31, 2014. Some membership dues for 2015 were collected by Maria.
- Welcome to presenter Andrew Powell. Andrew presented his proposal for new provincial electoral boundaries within the Central Okanagan. Presentation today was part of his objective to present to local neighbourhood associations and request support for his proposed change in boundaries to the Electoral Boundaries Commission.
 - o Following the presentation there was unanimous support for Lisa's motion to provide Andrew Powell a letter from KDKM to the BC Electoral Boundaries Commission supporting the proposed changes to the electoral boundaries in the Central Okanagan.
- Social Media – Sue Parfitt has volunteered to manage the KDKM facebook page. Saskia has administration access and will share with Sue. Goal with FB is to increase buzz around KDKM through more frequent posts, more pictures on the page and updating the logo.
- The proposal for the development at 1000, 1040 and 1060 Manhattan Drive was noted to have been withdrawn (article in the Daily Courier). KDKM has not yet taken a position (for or against) this proposal. Some discussion ensued regarding possibly preparing a letter from KDKM indicating issues that concern our neighbourhood (ex. Parking, traffic).
- Lisa Masini is collecting email addresses to initiate more frequent information to the community about events that pertain to our neighbourhood. Heather would like to also consider KDKM business cards be created for passing out to neighbours. Sue makes a motion to accept the proposal to create business cards. Lisa seconds. Possible future community events could include Hallowe'en, welcoming to new residents with tour/orientation to Knox, Parks Alive etc...
- Brief discussion on Second Crossing. Article in Daily Courier indicates that the Provincial Government has allocated \$2 million dollars for a 3-year planning study with possible build date for 2033.
- Next meeting scheduled for March. Guest speaker Garth Letcher (RCMP crime prevention supervisor) to be in attendance.