

#### THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF PEACHLAND

### **Climate Sustainability and Resiliency Task Force Meeting**

February 14, 2024

3:00 pm

Council Chambers - 4450 6th Street, Peachland

Members Present: Councillor Rick Ingram

Bill Aylesworth
Alex Morrison
Ethel Johnston
Gail Karish
Craig Thompson

Mark Meisner

Members Absent: Councillor Keith Thom

Administration Present: Shawn Grundy, Director of Operations

Karen Babin, Legislative Administrator

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

Councillor Ingram called the February 14, 2024 PCSR Meeting to order at 3:32 pm.

# 2. CONFIRMATION OF AGENDA

PCSR-24/02/14-001

**Moved By** Craig Thompson

THAT the Task Force approve the February 14, 2024 PCSR Meeting agenda as presented.

**CARRIED** 

## 3. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

3.1 Adoption of February 1, 2024 PCSR Task Force Meeting Minutes

PCSR-24/02/14-002

Moved By Mark Meisner

THAT the Task Force adopt the Minutes of the February 1, 2024 PCSR Task Force meeting.

#### **CARRIED**

## 4. PRESENTATIONS

None

#### 5. <u>UNFINISHED BUSINESS</u>

#### 5.1 <u>Action Plan Framework Research</u>

Each Task Force member shared the action plan information they gathered on the region they were assigned. Additional discussion followed with regard to:

- building a framework aligning with the requirements and criteria of the Terms of Reference
- forming sub-committees to work on the process, mitigation plan and resiliency plan
- considering the inclusion of short-, medium- and long-term goals into the recommendations to be presented to Council

#### 5.2 <u>Disaster Risk Reduction - Climate Adaptation Fund</u>

Councillor Ingram, M. Meisner and C. Thompson will meet with Fire Chief Craig and Deputy Chief Aigro to clarify grant applicability and eligibility within this fund.

## 6. <u>NEW BUSINESS</u>

The City of Saanich is exploring the possibility of a class action law suit against the oil and gas industry and is asking other municipalities to join. C. Thompson will investigate and present his findings at the next meeting.

#### 7. ADJOURNMENT

Councillor Ingram adjourned the PCSR meeting at 5:10 pm.

Corporate Officer	
Chair	