

Utility Commission

MINUTES

Tuesday, June 21, 2022 Committee Room 2 City Hall

PRESENT

Len Kelsey Commissioner, Chair

Councillor Patrick Johnstone Commissioner
Maya Chorobik Commissioner
Lino Siracusa Commissioner

REGRETS

Sally Bhullar-Gill Commissioner
Mayor Jonathan Cote Commissioner
Lisa Spitale Commissioner

STAFF

Emilie Adin Director, Climate Action, Planning, and Development

Ronald Au Senior Financial Services Analyst

Rod Carle General Manager, Electrical Operations

Steven Faltas Business Process Manager, Electrical Operations
Nayel Halim Community Energy and Emissions Specialist

Phil Kotyk Manager, Fiber Networks
Craig MacFarlane Manager of Legal Services

Lynn Roxburgh Acting Supervisor of Land Use Planning and Climate

Action

Meredith Secton Policy Planner

Patrick Shannon Manager, Purchasing Harji Varn Chief Financial Officer

Katie Stobbart Committee Clerk

1. CALL TO ORDER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Len Kelsey opened the meeting at 2:02 p.m. Rod Carle recognized with respect that New Westminster is on the unceded and unsurrendered land of the Halkomelem speaking peoples. He acknowledged that colonialism has made invisible their histories and connections to the land. He recognized that, as a City, we are learning and building relationships with the people whose lands we are on.

2. MOTION TO MOVE INTO CLOSED MEETING

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Utility Commission will now go into a meeting which is closed to the public in accordance with Section 90 of the Community Charter, on the bases that the subject matter for all agenda items relate to matters listed under sections:

- (1)(a) 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;
- (1)(c) labour relations or other employee relations;
- (1)(k) 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.

Carried.

All Commissioners voted in favour of the motion.

3. CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

There were no changes to the agenda.

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

4.1 Minutes of May 17, 2022

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the May 17, 2022 Minutes of the Utility Commission be adopted.

Carried.

All Commissioners present voted in favour of the motion.

5. CONSENT AGENDA

5.1 Electrical Purchases and Sales Report

May 2022

5.2 Financial Statements

MOVED and SECONDED

THAT the Utility Commission adopt items 5.1 and 5.2 on Consent.

Carried.

All Commissioners present voted in favour of the motion.

6. CORRESPONDENCE

There were no items.

7. REPORTS AND PRESENTATIONS

There were no items.

8. **NEW BUSINESS**

There were no items.

9. **END OF MEETING**

The meeting ended at 4:36 p.m.

10. <u>UPCOMING MEETINGS</u>

Remaining scheduled meetings for 2022, which take place at 2:00 p.m. unless otherwise noted:

- September 20
- October 18
- November 22

