**Mt. View Colquitz Community Assoc. – mvcca.ca**

**Regular Meeting, March 18th 2025**

**7:00 – 9:00 pm Pearkes Recreation Center, 3100 Tillicum Road - Owen Room**

**DRAFT MINUTES**

**Attendance:** C. Hamill, R. Jeffries, D. Larose, D. Oostland, B. Wapola, C. White

**Minutes** of previous regular meeting (Feb. 2025) accepted with change to Treasurer’s report.

**Reports**

Treasurer - D. Oostland provided written report current balance = $2528.28. S. Laming will be added to the bank

 account (making it 3 signators on file). C. Hamill submitted bills for cost of new website and 100 rack cards.

 Motion approved to pay bills.

SCAN (Saanich Community Assoc. Network) D. Oostland reported the ‘Conversations for One Planet Region’ idea

 to be considered at April meeting, concerns raised about the placement of bike lanes and incomplete routes.

 SCAN is looking for suggestions for guest speakers

Mt. View Garden - F. Nelson has planned a garden clean up for Sunday, Mar. 30 at 1pm (weather permitting).

**Correspondence (and news)**

Tillicum pedestrian overpass – Mr. Boissonneault (MoTI) expects the project design to be available soon and for

 construction to begin in the fall of 2025.

Saanich has made available a Council Voting Dashboard, see council meetings webpage.

Ravine Way update – North side of roadway old trail is now covered up with gravel. Spaces remain open under Carey bridge and Vernon bridge, for bridge maintenance.

Discussion of Rifflandia Festival offer to give 15% of ticket dales to groups that sell tickets.

**Old Business and business arising from agenda**

**Cadillac six storey 104 units rental was well received at Advisory Design Panel meeting. May be approved soon.**

**We have a supply of rack cards for display at the Uptown and Tillicum libraries, as well as in four “little libraries” in**

 **our area.**

3308 and 3312 Tennyson Ave. – our ‘no objection’ comments were sent to Planning.

3383/3444 Harriet and 3442 Whittier   R. Jeffries reminded us how important it is to advocate for road safely on Whittier and for a traffic light at Whittier and Boleskine. Project is likely to go to Council soon.

**New Business**

Uptown Douglas Pre-Zoning and Network Design -sent to Planning our support for proposed C-6DE zone change of use. Planning wants to prohibit automobile, boat, truck and trailer sales, rentals, maintenance, repair and storage

as permitted use. Current owners would not be effected. Discussion of car lot locations, due to soil contamination, the land is expensive to use for housing.

Capital Works Guide 2025 now available.

Some discussion of economy uncertainty and impact of Trumps tariffs

Meeting adjourned at 8:00 p.m.

Announcements

March 30 - 1 pm community garden clean up (weather permitting)

April 15 - next meeting

April 19 - Saanich Earth Day