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# **Northern Association of Community Councils Inc.**

## **Board of Directors Meeting**

Canad Inns Destination Centre Polo Park, 1405 St. Mathews Ave.

### AMBASSADOR D

Monday, August 21, 2023, from 5:30pm

## **Minutes**

#### Present:

#### **Board of Directors**

Reg Meade, President

Eric Olson, Eastern Chairperson

Helgi Einarsson, Eastern Vice-Chairperson Wanda Mowatt, Eastern Secretary/Treasurer

Glen Flett, Northern Chairperson June Chu, Northern Vice-Chairperson

Freda Parenteau, Northern Secretary/Treasurer

Harold Fleming, Western Chairperson Lorne Huhtala, Western Vice-Chairperson Doug Popowich, Western Secretary/Treasurer

Staff Linda Payeur, Executive Director

Wendy So, Administrative Assistant

#### 1.0 Call to Order

## 2.0 Approval of Agenda

Moved by E Olson, Seconded by G. Flett

**CARRIED** 

## 3.0 Delegations

### 4.0 Approval of Minutes from June 26 & 27, 2023

Moved by G. Flett and seconded by F. Parenteau that the minutes from June 26 & 27 2023 be accepted with changes CARRIED

#### 5.0 Financial

- 5.1 Budget Compare
- 5.2 General Ledger Detail

Motion to accept the August General Ledger

Moved by G. Flett, Seconded by F. Parenteau CARRIED

5.3 Cheque Detail

Motion to accept the July Cheque Detail

Moved by G. Flett, Seconded by W. Mowatt CARRIED

5.4 Bank Reconciliation

Motion to accept the July Bank Reconciliation

Moved by F. Parenteau, Seconded by H. Fleming CARRIED

5.5 Visa Reconciliation

Motion to accept the July Visa Reconciliation

Moved by J. Chu, Seconded by D. Popowich CARRIED

## 6.0 Reports:

6.1 To be presented at each Annual Region's Meeting on August 22, 2023

## 7.0 Correspondence

## 8.0 Staff Report

8.1 Executive Director Linda Payeur Attached

## 9.0 Conference

- Materials to be included in binders for Regional Meetings
- Motion to accept auditor for 2023/2024
- Blanket resolutions will not be used for resolutions tabled in regional meetings

ACTION: Linda to verify if delegate resolutions have been received from all communities

### 10.0 New Business

## 17.0 Next Board of Directors Meeting - Thursday, August 24, 2023

Next Executive Meeting - Friday, September 22, 2023

Adjournment 7:00 pm

# Northern Association of Community Councils Board Meeting Executive Director Report – August 24, 2023

## <u>AGM</u>

- To date we have secured a total of \$15,00.00 in sponsorship with Northwest Company and Vale each committing to Presenting Sponsor level again this year. This is a record figure for NACC sponsorship received throughout its over 50 years.
- We have ALL 42 tradeshow tables booked
- Agenda locked and CAO sessions scheduled.
- The provincial election call has complicated the sponsorship, tradeshow and presentations for the agenda due to the AGM falling during the election blackout period of 60 days.
- Met with Canadinns to discuss final event details and confirm rooms etc.
- Delegate backs, forms, signs, schedules, programs etc. prepared.
- Grand Prize will be:
  - o Return flight for two anywhere Perimeter Air flies. Donated by Perimeter Air.
  - Three-night stay at Canadians. Canadians donated one of the three nights and CanAdvantage points were used for the other two nights.
  - \$300 gift certificate to Canadians tavern, lounge or restaurant. NACC CanadAdvantage used to acquire.
- Purchased 15 silent auction items and anticipate another 5 to 10 to be donated by tradeshow participants, suppliers and member communities.

#### Finance

- Received long awaited NHFI Core funding agreement with drawdown of 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter payments forthcoming.
- Received audit quotes from three of the four accounting firms contacted.
- Mangus Chartered Accountants came in with the lowest quote at \$8,000 followed by Fort Group at \$9,750 and Rawluk & Robert at \$10,500

### <u>IRNR</u>

- IRNR has noted their 10 staff that will be in attendance at our AGM with Eileen Clarke providing opening greetings followed by Paul Doolan.
- The finance department has confirmed that two of their staff will provide consultation/instruction on SAGE for the CAO session scheduled for Wednesday afternoon.
- Monthly virtual update meeting with Jessica Drakul. Further review of 2021 resolutions with another IRNR update to be emailed.

### Staff

- We have Caeli Trumbla, Sara Kirby and Kathryn Countryman secured to assist over the four days of the AGM. Their times will be staggered as they are not able to commit to full days or all days
- I will be taking August 30<sup>th</sup> to September 7<sup>th</sup> off.