LADYSMITH MARITIME SOCIETY - Board of Directors' Meeting Minutes final as amended.

Thursday, May 19, 2022, 09:00 m - 10:30 am

Venue: Welcome Centre - In Person

Directors present: Peggy Barnett(PB), Allison Brind (AB), Ron Dale (RD), Dan Lutz(DL), Alan Newell (AN), Jeff

Reichert (JR), Art Rendell (AR)

Directors by GTM: Marnie Craig (MC)

Directors absent: Kelly Daniels (KD), Jeff Reichert (JR)

Ex Officio: Richard Wiefelspuett (RW)

1) Call to Order – AB – 0905h

2) Approval of Agenda *) – AB - approved

- 3) In Camera (ToL Update*) Directors were updated on recent staff changes and a meeting with the Town of Ladysmith staff. Considerable discussion ensued.
- 4) Approval of Board Minutes of 2022-04-21*) DL motion by DL to approve. Approved as distributed.
- **5)** Treasurer Report *) JR/RW accounts are current. Directors were updated on a \$20K account receivable. Thanks to Anne Newell for her efforts on encouraging member renewals.

6) Committee Reports-Updates from Committee Chairs

- Policy and Procedure *) DL Chapters 1-6 have been posted on Nextcloud for final input from Directors. Chapter 7 will be drafted for next Board meeting.
- HR Committee AB a process will be established for addressing bullying and harassment as well as
 complaints and elevation of complaints to the ED. A workshop is to be developed by RW working with a
 consultant. This workshop will also review the Terms of Reference of the Human Resource Committee.

7) Business Brought Forward

- Project DD0132 Open Boat Shelters Update RW a quote is being sought for dredging, with consultations as appropriate. Discussions are occurring with the grant provider.
- Programs & Events Update *) RW Catherine is onboard as Volunteer Coordinator and Event Planner. Two Dine on the Dock caterers have been booked. All programs and events are moving forward.

8) New Business

Maritime Museum BC – Dorothy - Update*)- AR / RW – after discussion, the draft MOU will be circulated to Directors for decision by GoToMeeting in a week's time. The Working Group is to advise MMBC that LMS is supportive, but concerned about costs in the longer term.

9) Strategic Plan Champion Updates – 2021 Review and 2022 Outlook

- Community Collaboration (Welcome Pole Project Update)*) RW Pole has conceptual design, and will be proceeding.
- Volunteers/Members Discussion Informal Members- Meeting Date RD / RW Volunteer Recognition on April 29 was reviewed. Members meeting will proceed on June 8th, 5-7pm.
- Infrastructure RW PumpOut upgrade is proceeding. Issue is best scheduling within the summer season. Collection efforts are proceeding on a speeding boater in the harbour whose wash damaged the docks.
- Heritage / Archivist Intern Project Concluded MC / RW Board expressed their appreciation for the efforts
 of Kadan Walters, and invite him to the next board meeting for a project report.

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10) Executive Director Update *) - RW

- Operations and Marina Updates on Moorage Contracts / Electricity Meters insurance status of moorers is being confirmed; a proposal on flat rates for electrical power is under development.
- Staff Updates / Summer Students SFN student application has been received.
- Update on MOSS Program and Sailing Dock Plans for 2022 interest is building in the MOSS program.
 - Correspondence Purple Martins options are being explored on moving nesting boxes a bit farther from human interaction.
 - New Members Approval no new members for approval.

Next Meeting – 23 June 2022, 09:00 am – 10:30 am, Welcome Centre

Adjournment – motion by RD to adjourn. Approved.

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