

GREENWAYS LIAISON COMMITTEE

Minutes of a Meeting of the Greenways Liaison Committee

April 3, 2025, 3:30 p.m.

Room 100

500 2 Avenue NE, Salmon Arm, BC

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councillor Tim Lavery, Chair; W. Atcheson; M. Mason; K. Cox; B. Browning; A. Bostock; A. Bates;

STAFF PRESENT: Manager of Roads & Parks D. Gerow
Senior Planner C. Larson

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Lavery called the meeting to order at 3:35 p.m.

2. INTRODUCTIONS AND WELCOME

3. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF TRADITIONAL TERRITORY

We acknowledge that we are gathering here on the traditional territory of the Secwepemc people, with whom we share these lands and where we live and work together.

4. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved: M. Mason

Seconded: W. Atcheson

THAT: the Agenda be adopted as presented.

Carried Unanimously

5. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST

6. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

6.1 Greenways Liaison Committee Meeting Minutes of January 23, 2025

Moved: B.

Browning

Seconded: W. Atcheson

THAT: the Greenways Liaison Committee Meeting Minutes of January 23, 2025 be adopted as circulated.

Carried Unanimously

7. PRESENTATIONS

8. NEW BUSINESS

8.1 2025 Budget

The committee supported the 2025 budget as proposed.

9. OTHER BUSINESS

10. ROUNDTABLE UPDATES

10.1 Shuswap Trail Alliance Updates

2025 projects were reviewed and discussed. MRDT contribution and in-kind work from Browne Johnson were noted. Seasonal maintenance has begun, including tree falling at the South Canoe Parking lot. A FireSmart initiative along the Ready Trail is also being planned with committee support. Concerns from the Hillcrest Mews Strata were noted with plans to follow up on signage.

10.1.1 Appendix 1 - Project List as of January 14, 2025

10.1.2 Appendix 2 - Trail Maintenance Proposal 2025

10.2 South Canoe

Skills Park Planning:
Planning the Skills Park area has been initiated.

Trailhead Area:
The trailhead area is developing into a valued public space.

Trail Volunteer Days:
Trail Volunteer Days are planned for April 5, 26 and May 3, 2025.

10.3 Park Hill

A seasonally wet section of the upper south loop was noted for future attention.

10.4 SD83 Trails - Jackson Campus

SD83 supports and has completed legal review with final review anticipated on April 15, 2025. The Jackson project should advance this summer.

10.5 Turner Creek

Culvert Replacement
Expected late this summer season.

10.6 Foreshore Trail

10.6.1 CPKC Crossing at North end

The ongoing discussion regarding the CPKC crossing at the north end was noted, emphasizing the importance of this greenway.

10.6.2 Raven to Canoe

Connections between Raven and Canoe were discussed, including past efforts with discussion suggesting that these may return again as important to

consider in the near future. Challenges with trails in the ALR were noted, with some future research discussed.

10.7 Active Transportation Advisory Committee

Update to be provided at the May, 2025 meeting.

It was noted that alternate trail routes may be challenging and sensitive due to terrain, land claims, multiple jurisdictions, ALR land and private property.

10.8 Cemetery Trails

No update.

11. NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of the Greenways Liaison Committee is scheduled for May 22, 2025 at 3:30 p.m. at South Canoe.

12. ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business on the agenda, the meeting adjourned at 4:49 p.m..

CHAIR