

**MINUTES OF A COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING OF THE TOWN OF
CRESTON HELD ON TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 2018 IN THE TOWN OF
CRESTON COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 238 - 10TH AVENUE, NORTH AT 4:30 P.M.**

PRESENT Mayor Ron Toyota
Councillors Casemore, Elford, Unruh, Wilson

ALSO PRESENT Ross Beddoes, Acting Town Manager / Director of Municipal Services
Steffan Klassen, Director of Finance & Corporate Services
Jared Riel, Acting Fire Chief
Colin Farynowski, Manager of Engineering
Stacey Hadley, Corporate Officer
Marsha Neufeld, Executive Assistant

REGRETS Councillor Kevin Boehmer
Councillor Jen Comer
Michael Moore, Interim Chief Administrative Officer

GALLERY Brenda Brucker, Creston Valley Arts Council
Dianne Weatherston, Creston Valley Arts Council
Mary Jayne Blackmore, Resident
Bill Hutchinson, Resident
Becky Coons, Resident

CALL TO ORDER: Mayor Toyota called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m.

AGENDA Moved by Councillor Unruh, seconded by Councillor Casemore
THAT the agenda be adopted. CARRIED

DELEGATION

**► CV ARTS
COUNCIL**

Mayor Toyota welcomed D. Weatherston on behalf of the Creston Valley Arts Council to the meeting at 4:31 p.m.

Ms. Weatherston was in attendance to provide an update with respect to the Creston Valley Arts Council's reoccurring and upcoming events, and their upcoming 50th Anniversary to be celebrated August 3rd, 2019.

Ms. Weatherston expressed thanks for the annual funding provided by the Town of Creston and Council and advised that the Creston Valley Arts Council has donated up to \$2,000 to the Creston Valley Food Bank and further that memberships to the Creston Valley Arts Council are available.

Mayor Toyota thanked the Ms. Weatherston and the Creston Valley Arts Council for their presentation.

RECOMMENDATION 1:

**► CV ARTS
COUNCIL**

THAT Ltr #442 from the Creston Valley Arts Council regarding their reoccurring and ongoing events, and their 50th Anniversary to be held in 2019, be received as information.

► REQUEST FOR ROAD CLOSURE – BIRCH STREET

RECOMMENDATION 2:

THAT Ltr #449 from the Director of Municipal Services with respect to a request to close Birch Street between 20th Avenue and 25th Avenue on October 31st between 5 pm – 7 pm, be received as information; AND FURTHER, THAT Council directs staff to investigate the option of road closures of preferred residential areas for Halloween night prior to Halloween in 2019.

► 20TH AVE SOUTH TRAFFIC CONCERNS

RECOMMENDATION 3:

THAT Ltr #451 from the Manager of Engineering regarding traffic concerns on 20th Avenue South be received as information; AND FURTHER, THAT Staff be directed to provide treatment options outlined for Council’s consideration and during the 2019 budget process.

► ALLEY BETWEEN 11TH AND 12 AVE N – SPEED CONCERNS

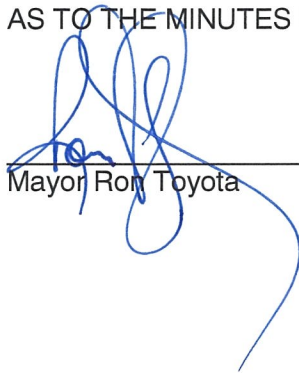
RECOMMENDATION 4:

THAT Ltr #450 from the Manager of Engineering regarding speed concerns along the Alley between 11th and 12th Avenue North be received as information; THAT Staff consider the installation of portable speed humps if complaints escalate; THAT future monitoring of this location using Traffic Analyzer’s be undertaken on occasion to ensure that traffic volumes and/or speeds do not increase to the point of becoming a safety concern; AND FURTHER, THAT no further action be taken at this time as traffic characteristics in this alley do not deviate outside of expected norms.

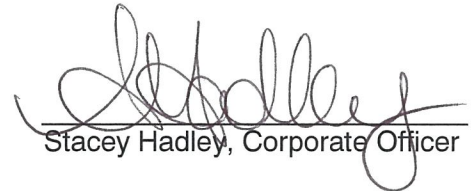
QUESTION PERIOD: There were no questions from members of the public.

ADJOURN The meeting adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

AS TO THE MINUTES OF THIS COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING:



Mayor Ron Toyota



Stacey Hadley, Corporate Officer