

THE DISTRICT OF HOPE RECORD OF A PUBLIC HEARING

Monday, March 27, 2023 Council Chambers, District of Hope Municipal Office 325 Wallace Street, Hope, British Columbia

Council Members Present: Mayor Victor Smith

Councillor Heather Stewin Councillor Crystal Sedore Councillor Angela Skoglund Councillor Pauline Newbigging

Councillor Zachary Wells

Council Members Absent: Councillor Scott Medlock

Staff Present: John Fortoloczky, Chief Administrative Officer

Donna Bellingham, Director of Corporate Services Jas Gill, Director of Community Development

Thomas Cameron, Fire Chief

Branden Morgan, Deputy Corporate Officer/EA

Others in attendance: 3 members of the public

Mayor Smith called the Public Hearing to order at 6:36 p.m.

The Director of Corporate Services stated that the purpose of the Public Hearing is to hear input on a proposed Liquor License Extension Application.

<u>Subject Property:</u> Legally described as Lot A DL 7 YDYD Plan EPP87940; PID 030-711-304 with a civic address of **390 Old Hope Princeton Way, Hope BC.**

The Director of Corporate Services read the Chairperson's Statement outlining the proceedings and conduct for the Public Hearing.

Liquor Licensing Extension Application:

To gather the views of residents/businesses in a 50 metre radius from the subject property at 390 Old Hope Princeton Way for the consideration of an application to amend the Liquor Primary Licensed Area to permanently expand the licensed area to include the patio area.

The Director of Community Development advised Council that during the height of the pandemic, liquor facilities were provided the opportunity to have outdoor areas under a Temporary Expanded Service Area. At the Hope Mountain Brewery a front patio was utilized, which the applicant now wants to make permanent.

The Director of Corporate Services advised Council that they received one individual submission, two form letters, and a petition with 66 signatures. These submissions, all in favor of the application, have been included in their agenda packages. No late submissions were received.

Mayor Smith called for any comments from Council and those in attendance, hearing none, declared the Public Hearing closed at 6:39 p.m. and noted that no further submissions, either verbal or written regarding the proposed application can be made to Council.

Certified Correct:

<u>Original Signed by Donna Bellingham</u> Donna Bellingham, Director of Corporate Services