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GOVERNANCE

Denman trustees move to top marijuana production amendments

The Local Trust Committee requests a bylaw-enforcement report on a

Baikie Road file and information on licensing, lot sizes, setbacks and screening.

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The Denman Island Local Trust Committee moves “Marijuana Production Bylaw Amendments” to item 3 on its Top Priorities list and directs staff to provide information on limiting marijuana production, minimum lot size, setbacks and screening.¹

The committee also instructs the Bylaw Enforcement

Manager to report on the horticulture infrastructure Bylaw Enforcement file on Baikie Road, addressing licensing issues.¹

Planner Rob Milne says he understands that a licence is in process and that the use is for medical marijuana, but says he cannot provide details.¹

The decisions follow public concerns about noise, odour, unsightliness, water and contamination. The minutes say the committee considers a review and possible bylaw changes appropriate.¹

Trustees suggest the information could include a

review of the definition of horticulture, other jurisdictions’ approaches and possible limits on the amount of growth permitted.¹

DENMAN FIRE RESCUE

Emergencies: **911.** Denman Island Fire Rescue is a volunteer department. This space is theirs in every edition, free, and is not for sale. Burning restrictions change through the season. Check before you light anything — including this newspaper.

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Denman trustees move marijuana production amendments to top priority

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee Minutes — September 8, 2015 — “DE-2015-065 It was MOVED and SECONDED, that the Denman Island Local Trust Committee move item 3 “Development of a Memorandum of Understanding with K’omoks First Nation” from its Top Priority list on a temporary basis to the Projects List and that the topic of “Marijuana Production Bylaw Amendments” be moved to item 3 on the Top Priorities list. CARRIED”

Sources

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