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GOVERNANCE

Denman housing fee amendment advance affordable

The Local Trust Committee gives three readings to a bylaw amendment reducing fees for affordable-housing applications and sends it for approval.

Executive Committee

REPORT — FACTS AND CITATIONS ONLY

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The Denman Island Local Trust Committee gives first, second and third readings to a proposed amendment reducing the fee for an affordable-housing application, then forwards it to the Secretary of the Islands Trust for approval by the Executive Committee. ¹

The committee also asks staff to bring back a brief written or verbal report on feedback about

Official Community Plan amendments dealing with First Nations issues. ¹

Trustees request that staff organize a presentation by representatives of the K’omoks First Nation on traditional knowledge and stewardship practices. ¹

The committee supports an application for a statutory right-of-way for recreational trail use within the Agricultural Land Reserve on northern Denman Island and asks staff to convey that support to the Agricultural Land Commission. ¹

Trustees ask staff to draft a letter responding to Fisheries

and Oceans Canada about beach clean-up, including the committee’s concern that driving on the beach be minimized. ¹

Sources

Every claim in this edition is cited. Full documents, and the checks each source passed, are at denmanisland.co/news — or ask us and we will post you a copy.

Denman trustees advance affordable-housing fee amendment

- 1. Denman Island Local Trust Committee Minutes — August 1, 2017 — “Trustees received the Staff Report that provides a draft amendment to the Fees Bylaw to reduce the fee where the application is for affordable housing.”

DENMAN FIRE RESCUE

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