



## **SUNSHINE VALLEY RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION**

c/o Dawn MacDonald, Secretary,  
71655 Leaf Lane, Hope, BC V0X 1L5

DIRECTOR'S MEETING – June 3rd, 2005

Directors present – Bernd Hendrichs, Jim Benbaruj, Beata Korabek, George Bonney, Kate Zabell and Dawn MacDonald and several guests. Special Guest Marjorie Houghton, Secretary of the Hope Ratepayers attended.

President, Bernd Hendrichs, called the meeting to order at 7:00 pm

CARRIED - Agenda accepted as circulated

CARRIED - Minutes of May 6th meeting accepted as circulated.

CARRIED - Treasurer's Report accepted as circulated. Approval of the expenditures for the Web-Site and for the donation to the Emergency Social Services.

### Correspondence –

We have responded to the following as per the Agenda:

Hope Ratepayers Assoc., Superintendent of Schools, District #78, and Ministry of Community, Aboriginal and Women's Services.

### Old Business –

**Adopt-a-Highway** – Application and Waivers have been submitted. We will notify all volunteers and post the training times on the SVRA Bulletin Board as soon as training is organized.

**First Response Building** – A tour of the Building site has been completed by the Ministry (MCAWS). We are moving along quite smoothly now.

**Highway Corridor Survey** – In progress but no up to date report.

**Web-Site Update** - We are up and running. Have a look at

[www.sunshinevalleyratepayers.org](http://www.sunshinevalleyratepayers.org)

**Governance Study:** - We have received the Draft Report – “Review of Community Planning and Development Regulation in Sunshine Valley”. The meeting regarding this proposal is tentatively scheduled for June 26<sup>th</sup>. We will post notices and notify as many residents as we can.

**Canada Day Celebrations:** - The flyer has been approved by the Board. We are in need of a Stereo system for dancing and two or three BBQ's for the Shish-ka-bob's. The Sunshine Valley Ratepayers in partnership with the Hope and District Recreation Commission are producing the Children's Activities and the Road Closure for the safety of all participants. The Celebrations are also sponsored by Heritage Canada, Coopers Foods, and the many SVRA volunteers.

**All are welcome to join in the festivities. More information and programming will be posted on the SVRA Bulletin Board.**

New Business –

The President has called the **Semi-Annual General Meeting for July 2<sup>nd</sup> at 1:00 pm** under the tents on Branch Bend. We are having several organizational proposals for the membership as we have many projects on the go. They include our First Response Building site, Community Forest up date, Policy and Procedure Manual and Executive Job Descriptions. Please bring a friend and/or a neighbour, as well as a chair. These projects will affect everyone in the valley. Be a member and let your voice be heard.

**Logging Sites on Highway #3:** - We have a contact number for your concerns regarding the Logging Activities on Highway #3. Contact: David Urban at 1 – 800 – 528 - 0061

**Manning Fuel Reduction Open House:** - at the Eastgate Firehall, June 11, 2005, 12:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. For more info read the Notice on this Bulletin Board.

**FOREST FIRES: - Please call 1 – 800 – 663 – 5555 for reporting forest fires Only.**

**Then notify Norm Bell, 604 – 869 – 5936, liaison with the FVRD, etc.**

Motion for adjournment at 8:10 p.m.