## ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

March 3, 2008 - 7:00 p.m.

Eleven association members present. Trustee regrets from Lee Turnbull.

- 1. Call to order welcome and introductions by the Board Chair at 7pm.
- Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by Bruce Irvine that the Agenda be adopted. CARRIED
- 3. Moved by Bruce Irvine, seconded by Julie Clark that the AGM minutes of February 19, 2007 be accepted. CARRIED
- 4. Receipt of Annual Reports
  - 4.1 Financial Statements 2007 (K. Esplen)
  - 4.2 Chief Librarian (M. Southam)
  - 4.3 Board of Trustees (W. Miller)
  - 4.4 Nominations Task Group report (R. Swickis)
- 5. Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by B. Irvine that the Board accept the report of the Nominations Task Group. CARRIED
- 6. Elections

Connie barber, Fred Lerner and Donna McMahon spoke to their nominations and were declared by acclamation.

- 7. Approval of AGM minutes
  - Moved by B. Irvine, seconded by D. McMahon that the Board be delegated to approve the minutes of the March 3, 2008 AGM. CARRIED
- Questions from the floor None.
- 9. Adjournment

The Board Chair adjourned the meeting at 7:40 pm.

Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, January 30th 2008

Present: J. Clark, B. Irvine, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, K. Reynolds (Vice Chair), D. McMahon, M.

Southam (Chief Librarian), L. Turnbull.

Regrets: W. Miller (Chair), R. Swickis.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Vice Chair at. 5:14pm.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by B. Irvine that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

#### 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by J. Clark that the minutes of the January 26th, 2007 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

#### 4. LIBRARY EXPANSION PLANNING

i. Next steps and timelines2008 Budget Worksheet reviewed.

## 5. BUDGET

- a. SCRD Budget Round 2 Feb. 4th
- b. 2008 Budget Amendments
  - i. Library expansion planning

(moved into regular board meeting)

Moved by B. Irvine, seconded by F. Lerner That the Board request that funds representing the difference between the mortgage payment and the Capital Planning request be placed by the SCRD into a capital fund for future planning and building needs.

CARRIED

ii. IT - consultant's report & budget implications

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by D. McMahon that the budget amendments to the IT line item and the Library Expansion line item be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

#### 6. AGM -

- a. Board's message D. McMahon to write.
- b. Request and invitation has been made to Esplen accounting to have the financial statements ready for the AGM and to present them at the AGM.
  - c. AGM Planning

# 7. CHEQUE SIGNER APPOINTMENT

Moved by L Turnbull, seconded by LA Johnston that the Board appoint J. Clark as a signing authority.

CARRIED

### 8. INTERLINK

Moved by B. Irvine, seconded by LA Johnston that F. Lerner becomes the Board's representative to the InterLINK Board.

CARRIED

9. BOARD AND CHIEF LIBRARIAN PERFORMANCE EVALUATION - TARGET DATE Possible target date of Saturday, March 15<sup>th</sup> for Board meeting and evaluation.

## 10. LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

# 11. CORRESPONDENCE

a. BCLTA membership

Moved by F. Lerner, seconded by D. McMahon that the Board pay the BCLTA membership dues.

CARRIED

b. Sechelt Public Library

MEETING ADJOURNED (6:40 PM).

Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, February 27th 2008

Present: Wendy Miller (Chair), , B. Irvine, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, K. Reynolds, D. McMahon, M.

Southam (Chief Librarian), R. Swickis, L. Turnbull.

Regrets: J. Clark.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Vice Chair at. 5:10pm.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by R. Swickis that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

## 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by D. McMahon, seconded by B. Irvine that the minutes of the January 30th, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

#### 4. REPORTS

- a. Chief Librarian
- b. Policy no report
- c. Task groups
  - i. Library Expansion Planning review and status report

Town of Gibsons needs to determine how Holland Park will be developed. Towards this, the Town has asked the Library to contribute financially to Harbour Planning in 2008.

- d. Partnerships
  - i. SCRD Budget Amendments Library Expansion Planning

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by D. McMahon that the Board responds in the affirmative to the Town of Gibsons request to participate in the Harbour Planning process and that the amount to contribute to the process will be proportionate to the Library's interests.

CARRIED

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by F. Lerner that the Board requests \$50,000 per annum for three years towards planning from the operational budget submitted to the SCRD.

**CARRIED** 

## 5. NEW BUSINESS

a. AGM - 7pm, March 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2008

Board's Message for the Annual Report

Financial Statements

AGM planning

Board and Chief Librarian performance evaluation - target date still undetermined.

## 6. MEETING ADJOURNED (6:35 PM).

Regular Board Meeting April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Present: Connie Barber, J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, Wendy Miller, M. Southam (Chief Librarian),

R. Swickis,

Regrets: D. McMahon, K. Reynolds, L. Turnbull.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chief Librarian at 9:35am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by J. Clark, seconded by W. Miller that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

#### 3. ELECTION OF CHAIR AND VICE-CHAIR

Call for nominations from the CL for Chair.

LA Johnson nominated W. Miller, seconded by C. Barber. Declined by Wendy Miller.

W. Miller nominated R. Swickis, seconded by F. Lerner. Accepted by Roger Swickis.

Call for nominations from the CL for Vice Chair.

R. Swickis nominated J. Clark, seconded by F. Lerner. Declined by Julie Clark.

No further nominations. Position to be filled at next regular board meeting.

# 4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by F. Lerner that the minutes of the February 27th, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

Moved by J. Clark, seconded by W. Miller that the minutes of the March 3<sup>rd</sup> AGM be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

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## 5. REPORTS

- a. Chief Librarian
- b. Policy no report
- c. Task groups
- i. Library Expansion Planning Task group will need re-constitution to determine what goals will be for the coming year. They will need to check with the Town of Gibsons on participation in the Harbour Planning process.
- d. Partnerships
  - i. SCRD Budget Approval

CL will have library staff request in writing notification of the budget approval, capital reserve and planning amounts as well as a reduction in the administrative charges.

- ii. Joint Library Planning No Report
- iii. InterLINK Board appointee and alternate

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by LA Johnson that the Board appoint F. Lerner to InterLINK and J. Clark as the alternate. CARRIED

iv. Library Foundation

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by F. Lerner that R. Swickis remain the Board appointee to the Foundation.

CARRIED

v. BCLTA - Conference

#### 6. NEW BUSINESS

a. Draft 2008 Strategic Operating Plan - tabled to Board meeting following the CL evaluation.

b. Appointment of Accountant

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by J. Clark that the Board appoint Esplen and Company to do the Library's Year End financial statements.

CARRIED

c. Board Expenses – travel Board members to be reimbursed ferry and mileage expenses for Board approved travel at the CRA rate of \$.48 per kilometre.

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by LA Johnston that Board members will be reimbursed for travel expenses incurred from Jan. 08.

CARRIED

- d. Board Orientation April 26<sup>th</sup> meeting
- W. Miller to create a list of topics and assign speakers to the topics.
- 7. CORRESPONDENCE RECIEVED NONE
- **8. PUBLIC QUESTIONS NONE**
- 9. COMMUNICATION
- 10 MEETING ADJOURNED (10:55 AM).

Regular Board Meeting April 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Present: Connie Barber, J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, D. McMahon, Wendy Miller, M. Southam

(Chief Librarian), L. Turnbull

Regrets: K. Reynolds, R. Swickis.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the designated Chair W. Miller at 9:35am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by D. McMahon seconded by LA Johnson that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

## 3. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIR

Deferred to next meeting

## 4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by C Barber that the minutes of the April 26, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

## 5. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

a. Chief Librarian

Moved by F. Lerner, seconded by D. McMahon that the Board ratify the Memorandum of Agreement with CUPE Local 391.

CARRIED

- b. Policy no report
- c. Task groups
- d Facilities Planning

#### 6. PARTNERSHIPS

i. SCRD – Budget Approval

Written approval of the budget, capital reserve and planning allocation amount received as well as confirmation that the SCRD Admin charge will be reduced.

- ii. Joint Library Planning No Report
- iii. InterLINK No report
- iv. Library Foundation No Report
- v. BCLTA No Report

#### 6. BOARD ORIENTATION

- 1. Introductions who we are and why we joined the Library Board? Round Table
- 2. BC Library Trustees Orientation Program insights and impressions from those who attended (Connie/Fred)
- 3. Library Act Michelle
- 4. Funding Bylaws Donna
- 5. Board Policies Wendy
- 6. Library Operations Michelle
- 7. 2008 Budget Michelle
- 7. CORRESPONDENCE RECIEVED NONE
- 8. PUBLIC QUESTIONS -NONE
- 9. COMMUNICATION
- 10 MEETING ADJOURNED (12:20 PM).

GDPL Minutes of April 26, 2008

Regular Board Meeting May 24, 2008

Present: Connie Barber, J. Clark, D. McMahon, Wendy Miller, R. Swickis, M. Southam (Chief

Librarian),

Regrets: LA Johnson, F. Lerner, K. Reynolds, L. Turnbull.

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 9:32 am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved W. Miller seconded by D. McMahon that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

#### 3. ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIR

D. McMahon nominated by W. Miller, seconded by R. Swickis. D. McMahon accepts.

**CARRIED** 

## 4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by C. Barber, seconded by W. Miller that the amended minutes of the April 26, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

## 5. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

- a. Chief Librarian
- b. Task groups -Board needs to form 2 task groups: facilities planning and a communications task group. The two task groups will need to work closely together. A nominations committee will also need to be formed. W. Miller and D. McMahon will form the nominating task group and the communication task group.

### 6. PARTNERSHIPS

- i. Joint Library Planning No Report
- ii. InterLINK Next meeting the 27<sup>th</sup>.
- iii. Library Foundation
- iv. BCLTA Board needs to remain aware of activities surrounding the re-writing of the Provincial Library Act.
- **7. CORRESPONDENCE** Chair drafting a letter to the Provincial government expressing appreciation for financial support initiatives etc.
- 8. PUBLIC QUESTIONS -NONE
- 9. MEETING ADJOURNED (12:05 PM).

NEXT MEETING IS JUNE 28TH

Regular Board Meeting June 28, 2008

Present: J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, D. McMahon, R. Swickis, L. Turnbull, M. Southam (Chief

Librarian).

Regrets: C. Barber, Wendy Miller, K. Reynolds.

#### I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 9:35 am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

**CARRIED** 

#### 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by J. Clark, seconded by F. Lerner that the minutes of the May 24, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

**4. GUESTS – GIBSONS PUBLIC LIBRARY FOUNDATION** (Lynda Coote, Chair, Patricia Stuart, Vice-Chair, Vern Giesbrecht, Bert Reeve, John McNevin)

### 5. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

- a. Chief Librarian
- R. Swickis to investigate possible workshop with LSB to address our facility issues (ownership; responsibility etc.).
- b. Task groups
  - i. Communications Have not yet met.
- ii. Nominations Have not yet met names put forward by Board members general discussion.
- iii. Facilities Planning R. Swickis reported on the Town Planning Committee meeting and the Board's presentation. The Greater Harbour Plan discussion is planned for July  $8^{th}$  @ 8:30am.

## 6. PARTNERSHIPS

- i. Joint Library Planning No Report
- ii. InterLINK J. Clark reported on the meeting.
- iii. BCLTA -D. McMahon and R. Swickis met with the Executive Director Errin Morrison. F. Lerner completed a survey which will be tabled for the minutes..
- 7. CORRESPONDENCE Letter from Joan Merrick (SCRD) requesting information on the planned use of the 2008 Planning Funds. R. Swickis will contact and alert to the fact that GDPL is currently held up by the Town of Gibsons planning process.
- 8. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS -**NONE
- 9. MEETING ADJOURNED (12:00 PM).

NEXT MEETING IS AUGUST 23RD.

# Gibsons & District Public Library Association Regular Meeting Saturday, August 23, 2008

PRESENT: C. Barber, J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, D. McMahon, W. Miller, K. Reynolds, R. Swickis (Chair), M. Southam (Chief Librarian).

REGRETS: L. Turnbull.

#### CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 9:35 am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

**CARRIED** 

## 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by F. Lerner that the minutes of the June 28, 2008 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

## 4. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

- a. Chief Librarian
- b. Task groups

I Facilities Planning

a. Remain hung up by Town. No further planning or action in Holland Park planning. Visibility of Library at meetings, but Town not moving.

b. Board requested to attend SCRD meeting to update expenditures of planning

funds.

c. What participation will the Library have in the upcoming election? - Should be

addressed.

- d. Building improvements a possibility for the planning expansion grant?
- e. Reminder that CL will not be available to attend September Board meeting.

II Communications: D. McMahon will circulate last board election information pamphlet to board members.

III Nominations: Four members up for re-election. Need to determine who will be standing. Board needs to consider what they are looking for in members.

#### 6. PARTNERSHIPS

- i. Joint Library Planning No Report
- ii. InterLINK No report
- iii. Foundation Cheque presentation and photo submitted to the paper.
- iii. BCLTA -D. McMahon asked if anyone would be interested in going to the September 29<sup>th</sup> meeting at VPL (4:30pm).

## 7. RENEWED COLLECTIVE AGREEMENT

Three year term agreement signed.

- 8. **CORRESPONDENCE** SCRD security gate emails from J. France and letter from Board Chair requesting clarification and justification for SCRD administrative expenditure of funds from library grant.
- 9. **PUBLIC QUESTIONS** -NONE
- 10. MEETING ADJOURNED (11:20 AM).

## NEXT MEETING IS SEPTEMBER 20, 2008.

GDPL Minutes of August 23, 2008

## Gibsons & District Public Library Association Regular Meeting 9:30 AM Saturday, September 20, 2008

Present: Roger Swickis (chair), Connie Barber, Wendy Miller, Fred Lerner, Donna McMahon, Julie Clark.

Meeting Called to order at 09:35

AGENDA APPROVED

ADOPTION OF MINUTES – August 23 minutes - Clark/Lerner

#### REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

**Librarians Report** - Report prepared by Michelle, read by Roger. Discussion on budget impact of expanded hours. Stats showing a decrease -likely due to swimming pool opening in Sechelt drawing some traffic. Discussion on Mid-year Report, its origin/distribution. Protocol to be established to insure goes to Board prior to further distribution.

### Task Group Reports -

**Facilities Planning** – Roger reports attended Oct 14 meeting of Town Planning Committee – no further action re Holland Park planning. Discussion of using funds from cap reserve on new windows etc. Fred to consult with Michelle re plans/estimates. Roger to inquire on release of funds.

**Communications** - Donna leads discussion on upcoming All Candidates Meeting, preparation of questions, involvement of other groups. Discussion of info pamphlet. Donna to lead – coord date/time/place with LeeAnn, Lee, Michelle, will recruit Keith, Connie to assist

**Nominations** – Donna/Wendy. Discussions on approach, possible candidates, dev of info package, Wendy advises will not be running, requests others to indicate plans.

#### **PARTNERSHIPS**

Joint Library - nil

**Foundation -** Donna reports – Lights Campaign to be launched. Suggest all board members be Foundation members – forms at next meeting.

**Interlink** – Fred reports. Draws attention to web seminars (Webinars) on 'Reports' and 'Privacy'. Fred to attend Next meeting Sept 30.

BCLTA - Donna reports. Roger and Donna to attend event at Vancouver Library Sept 29.

**GLBA** – (new). Donna attended meeting – rqstd Board be put on mailing list. Roger Donna to attend subsequent meetings.

CORRESPONDENCE - Nil

PUBLIC QUESTIONS - Nil

ADJOURNMENT – 11:00 (In Camera session follows)

Next meeting October 25, 2008

# Gibsons & District Public Library Association Regular Meeting Saturday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008

PRESENT: C. Barber, J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, D. McMahon, W. Miller, K. Reynolds, R. Swickis (Chair), M. Southam (Chief Librarian).

REGRETS: L. Turnbull.

#### I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 9:35 am.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

**CARRIED** 

## 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by D. McMahon, seconded by W. Miller that the September 20, 2008 minutes will be tabled to the next Board meeting when the Chair will resubmit them in a revised and edited form.

CARRIED

## 4. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

a. Chief Librarian

Discussion regarding displaying "allocated amount" in quarterly budget update – request that the CL not show the \$120,000 Capital Expansion Planning amount in the "allocated amount" 2009 draft budget: 2 drafts presented: draft one reflecting increased staffing for Monday openings and paid shelvers, draft two only reflecting increased staff dollars for paid shelvers. Discussion around amount allocated to Board expenses.

Moved by K. Reynolds seconded by D. McMahon that the amount for Board expenses be increased by 15% for 2009.

CARRIED

Moved by K. Reynolds, seconded by F. Lerner that the second budget option be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

b. Task groups

I Facilities Planning

a. October 29<sup>th</sup> pre-budget meeting with the SCRD. Board should use all opportunities to sell the library's message for its need for growth. Generalised discussion of the 2009 draft budget is fine, but nothing detailed as the Board is still in the midst of its own budgeting process.

b. It is clearly understood by the TOG that the 2008 allocated monies need to be

spent this year.

II Communications: Discussion revolved around up coming "candidates tea". CL will print copies of the brochures; R. Swickis will follow up on invitations to candidates; pictures will be taken by W. Miller; CL will assign a briefed staff member to take small groups on library tours – F. Lerner will attend each tour.

III Nominations: List of contacted individuals will be maintained and passed from Chair to Chair.

#### 6. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

Mid-Year Report issued by CL was approved by the Board in the Strategic Operating Plan for 2008.

### 7. PARTNERSHIPS

- i. Guest speaker Faye Wightman from the Vancouver Foundation with Gibsons Library Foundation members in attendance.
  - ii Joint Library Planning No Report
- iii. InterLINK Strategic Planning Session in January F. Lerner will attend as the Gibsons representative.
  - iii. BCLTA

- iv. Gibsons Landing Business Association Moved by W. Miller seconded by K. Reynolds that the Library Board renew their membership in the organization.
- 8. CORRESPONDENCE -
- 9. PUBLIC QUESTIONS -NONE
- 10. MEETING ADJOURNED (1:20 PM).

In camera session to follow - CL excused.

NEXT MEETING NOVEMBER 22, 2008.

## Gibsons & District Public Library Association Regular Meeting Saturday, November 22, 2008, 2008

PRESENT: C. Barber, J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, D. McMahon, W. Miller, K. Reynolds, R. Swickis (Chair), L. Turnbull, M. Southam (Chief Librarian).

REGRETS: None.

#### CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at 9:35 am.

### ADOPTION OF THE AMENDED AGENDA

**CARRIED** 

#### ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by W. Miller, seconded by F. Lerner that the September 20, 2008 amended minutes be approved by the Board and further moved by W. Miller, seconded by D. McMahon that the October 25<sup>th</sup> minutes be approved by the Board.

CARRIED

#### 4. REPORTS/ONGOING BUSINESS

- a. Chief Librarian
- b. Nominations Task group

Met with Helene Baril who sounds interested in joining the Board..

c. Communications: - Meetings: SCRD Oct. 29<sup>th</sup>, Candidates Nov. 1, GLBA/Candidates Nov. 3. The Chair, Vice-Chair and CL attended a pre-budget meeting at the SCRD where monies for the Town's Holland Park Planning were discussed. The concern expressed was that the Library's contribution of \$25,000 is too high. The Town's original Harbour plan was completed several years ago – the current price reflects updating the plan and expanding it to include Holland Park.

### 6. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

For the SCRD budget meeting the CL will prepare a summary that points out the increases and why, the ways the library operates to cut costs, and how closely the library operates to budget. Notation for in-camera minutes needs to go into the regular meeting minutes.

## 7. PARTNERSHIPS

- i. InterLINK No report
- ii BCLTA Possible infrastructure study to be undertaken BCLTA is looking for participants. D. McMahon will find out more information.
  - iii. Foundation The Lights for Literacy Campaign is up and running.

Moved by R. Swickis, seconded by W. Miller that C. Barber will replace R. Swickis as Board liaison.

CARRIED

iii. GLBA – D. McMahon will attend Christmas party/AGM on behalf of the Board.

- 8. COMMUNICATIONS AND ADVOCACY POLICY Discussion.
- 9. MISSION AND GOALS Annual review / discussion

Meeting to be held December 14<sup>th</sup> from 2–4pm to work on Mission and Goals, Board evaluation will occur at the same meeting.

- 10. CORRESPONDENCE NONE
- 9. PUBLIC QUESTIONS NONE
- 10. MEETING ADJOURNED (12:10 PM).

## NEXT MEETING January 31st, 2009.

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Minutes of the Special Board Meeting Wednesday, December 19, 2007

Present: W. Miller (Chair), J. Clark, LA Johnson, F. Lerner, K. Reynolds, D. McMahon, M. Southam

(Chief Librarian), R. Swickis.

Regrets: B. Irvine (left at beginning of meeting), L. Turnbull.

## 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by the Chair at. 5:05pm.

#### 2. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by F. Lerner that the agenda be adopted.

**CARRIED** 

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#### 3. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

Moved by LA Johnson, seconded by J. Clark that the minutes of the November 24th, 2007 regular meeting be adopted by the Board.

CARRIED

#### 4. LIBRARY EXPANSION PLANNING

## i. Next steps and timelines

Next step is to solicit staff input as soon as possible - Michelle will undertake.

Keith will communicate the following to McFarlane Green, Biggar:

- ideally we'd like several sketches of the third level: as library space (in the long term) and as flex space, so we can emphasize its potential uses.
  - revise concept drawings "softer" building drawings so they don't appear to be final drawings
  - provide a sketch of a possible future expansion to the south and the realignment of the parking entrance;
- provide analysis highlighting the pros and cons of south expansion and why we did not choose to expand on that option;
  - request Mgb presentation to Town of Gibsons Planning Committee on Feb. 12th
  - request estimates on planning costs and scheduling for 2008.
- \* Town of Gibsons Board will reschedule the presentation to the Planning Group to Feb. 12. A briefing note will be written to go with the report, explaining exactly what the Board wants from the Town (approval to expand on that footprint) and stressing that this is still at the concept stage only.
- \* SCRD The Board will approach John France and ask for an estimate of how large a tax levy the Library would need to request for this project, as costed by Mgb and amortized over 20 or 25 years.

## 5. BUDGET

- a. SCRD Budget Round 1 December 10<sup>th</sup>
- b. 2008 Budget Amendments
  - i. Library expansion planning
  - ii. IT consultants report & budget implications
- c. SCRD Budget Round 2 week of Feb 4-8 2008
- \* Budget Implications for 2008 The Board needs to consider design costs, staff time (staff will need to participate in next stages of planning), and media/ presentation costs. Board members will discuss estimates via email and bring them to the next board meeting. A delegation is required to attend and present the budget amendments at the SCRD's 2nd round budget process during the week of Feb. 4-8th.

#### 6. AGM -

MOVED by Keith and seconded by Roger	
That the Annual General Meeting be set for Monday, March 3, 200	03

**CARRIED** 

- 7. BOARD AND CHIEF LIBRARIAN PERFORMANCE EVALUATION TARGET DATE
  The Board and Chief Librarian Evaluation will be delayed until March due to Board's workload at present.
- 8. MEETING ADJOURNED (6:45 PM).