

CCFC Board of Directors

Minutes of Board Meeting - November 7, 2017

<u>Present:</u> Georgina Silby, Bob Tracy, Aaron Ellingsen, Mark Braaten, Corry Dow, John Drew, David Shipway ~ quorum.

Meeting Called to Order @ 7:00pm

Approval of Agenda: Georgina/Mark ~carried

Agenda Items:

1. Profit Disbursement Policy

- a. Policy needs clarification of percentages allocated for different puposes
- **b. Action Aaron -** edit document to include percentage allocations
- **c.** CFGP is open to support Communications Officer position with project specific funding.
- **d.** CFGP requires contracts be offered by tender
- **e.** Dan Peirce could potentially be engaged to compile a presentation from existing footage.
- **f.** Matt Cuscianna could potentially offer educational presentation
- **g.** CCFC office space rental. Considering need, cost and range of options
- **h.** Website Upgrades Jeremy and Sachia Kron have expressed interest.
- i. Volunteer Committee/Coordinator may be the best approach to ongoing cost effective support of website enhancement
- j. Action Corry Compose call for volunteers
- **k.** Appropriate to put out a call for proposals from membership and community.
- I. Motion Corry(Bob) That the CCFC allocate out of current profit disbursement funds; \$2000 for refund of investment shares, \$4000 for CCFC administration and \$14 000 to fund proposals ~ carried

2. CFGP Update

- a. Dec 2 Green Mountain Site Tour
- b. Action Mark email notice of site tour to membership when notified
- c. Squirrel Cove Management Area Post Harvest Tour Participants were not as interested in site specifics as general discussion about the Community Forest. Community consultations are part of the education and communications process
- **d. Communications with Ministry of Forests** Representatives from the MoF Sunshine Coast District are being invited to visit Cortes and discuss our process. CFGP is interested in developing a direct relationship and understanding.

- **e. Ione Brown (signing RPF)** is our representative at the ministry level., it is important to understand what her recommendations would be.
- **f.** It is important that we take responsibility for informing the MoF about local conditions.
- **g. Action CCFC Directors** Develop a letter supporting CF management strategies and rationale. (Why we do what we do. What are our values and definitions)
- h. Noba Anderson attended discussed unalocated crown land on Cortes and presented Integrated Trail Map
- **i. Plantations are experiencing heavy browsing** by deer. Silviculture surveyor is attending soon.
- j. Chris Blackwell -Wildfire consultant will be invited by Mark Lombard to give a community presentation

3. Community Forums

- a. Next community forum on Fish and Forest Habitat
- **b.** Action Georgina Contact Christine Robinson to organize presenter from Cortes Streamkeepers Association
- **4. Organizational Process Workshop -** CCFC Directors invited to attend. 3-6pm Sunday Nov 19 at Corry Dow residence. Facilitated by John Drew
 - a. Action Aaron bring post it notes
- 5. Meeting adjourned 9pm