

# BLUE RIVER IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT

## MEETING MINUTES

April 25, 2025 –5:30 pm

1. Attendance: Dustin Deuling, Prabh Sandhu, Rui Dykeman, Bruce Myers, Andy Boughton, Erin Choney,
2. MINUTES & APPROVAL
  - Prabh moved the minutes as circulated, Bruce seconded.
3. CORRESPONDANCE
  - The Canadian fire chief magazine
  - The Responder
  - The volunteerer
4. FINACIALS
  - \$262,035.88 as of Today
  - \$75,851.03 in Fire truck account as of today
    - \$209,024.66 1-year non-redeemable Term Deposit – June 16, 2024
    - \$36,154.24 in BRVFD account as of today
5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS
  - Street lighting
    - Look into what it cost to put a pole in- in progress- Emailed again- Need to call to find out.
  - Volunteer Fire Department
    - Update from the fire chief
      - Starting to purchase things from new grant.
      - Looking into monitor costs.
      - 2 sets of soft gear per member for after incidents and to have
      - Dustin Bruce Albert Chris and Erik are all going to the Oliver training.
      - Drill down the budget more into 3 divisions, Admin BRVFD and Street lighting.– Erin and Andy to work at it over then next month or so.
  - Other Business
    - We applied and were approved for \$2,500.00 towards the bathroom update in the hall from North Thompson community foundations. – they called to see where we were with this project.
    - Harry has offered to pay the BRID \$10,000.00 for the BRID garbage truck. – out of country ongoing
      - Prabh made a motion to accept Harry's offer of \$10,000.00 for the BRID garbage truck. Bruce seconded. AIF. – Harry has paid \$7350.00
        - Erin will get transfer papers and invoice ready.- Erin to bring papers up next week.
    - Firehall Reno
      - Scope of work to be put together. – Being put together Everyone is being asked input.
        - More room to park, extra garage door for easier access and to safely have both trucks in the fire hall. Bring ideas to the next meeting.
        - Look into how/where to post the bid.
      - Rui made a motion to pass the quote for Deuling Services to do a detailed floorplan and evaluations of the fire hall. Prabh seconded. AIF.
        - Floor plan done.
    - Blue River Improvement District Fire Department Regulations Bylaw No. 167, 2025 was introduced for a first reading.
      - Trustees to take draft bylaw 167 home for review and review at next meeting.
    - Blue River Improvement District Fire Department Regulations Bylaw No. 167, 2025 was introduced for a second reading March 25, 2025.
      - Wording of play book should be changed to minimum standards.
    - Blue River Improvement District Fire Department Regulations Bylaw No. 167, 2025 was introduced for a final reading April 25, 2025.
      - Prabh made a motion to accept the Blue River Improvement District Fire Department Regulations Bylaw No. 167. Bruce seconded. AIF
  - 6. NEW BUSINESS

- No new business

Meeting Adjourned at 6:15 pm by Bruce, Prabh seconded

Next Meeting May 26, 2025, 5:30pm