# Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Committee Tuesday, September 25, 2012

In response to a question about implementing the proposed multi-phased work program, Cathryn Volkering Carlile, General Manager, Community Services, advised that if Committee would like to see various stages of the proposed program executed concurrently, that staff be given the opportunity to report back with implications of such a model.

It was moved and seconded

That the Phase 1 – Inventory and Analysis of the Garden City Lands as described in the staff report titled Garden City Lands – Phase 1 Planning dated September 13, 2012 from the Senior Manager, Parks be approved.

The question on the motion was not called as discussion ensued regarding executing various stages of the proposed multi-phased work program. As a result of the discussion, the following referral was introduced:

It was moved and seconded

That the staff report titled Garden City Lands – Phase 1 Planning dated September 13, 2012 from the Senior Manager, Parks be referred back to staff to bring forward a revised process that would include the implementation of various stages of the proposed multi-phased work program concurrently, including cost implications of such an approach.

The question on the referral motion was not called as it was noted that staff report back to the next General Purposes Committee meeting.

The question on the referral motion was then called and it was CARRIED.

#### 5. MANAGER'S REPORT

#### (i) Water Covered Lot H At Imperial Landing

The Chair commented on water covered Lot H, located in front of the Imperial Landing dike trail in Steveston Village, and its potential as a paid infill site in an effort to offset some of the costs associated with creating the lot. As a result, the following referral was introduced:

It was moved and seconded

That staff consider water covered Lot H (located in front of the Imperial Landing dike trail in Steveston Village) as a paid infill site and report back.

CARRIED

#### (ii) Wildlife at Terra Nova Rural Park

Discussion ensued regarding the wildlife at Terra Nova Rural Park. It was noted that information regarding these animals, including pictures, would be valuable to those utilizing the park, and could be published on the City's website. Also, it was suggested that additional interpretative signage be installed at Terra Nova Rural Park.

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As a result of the discussion, the following motion was introduced:

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That staff provide information on the City's website, including pictures, of the wildlife at the Terra Nova Rural Park.

**CARRIED** 

## (iii) Miscellaneous Matters

Dave Semple, General Manager, Community Services, provided an update on fire ants, noting that appropriate signage has been installed. Also, Mr. Semple spoke of a closure along the Shell Road Trail, noting that the area is very dry.

## ADJOURNMENT

It was moved and seconded That the meeting adjourn (4:10 p.m.).

CARRIED

Certified a true and correct copy of the Minutes of the meeting of the Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services Committee of the Council of the City of Richmond held on Tuesday, September 25, 2012.

Councillor Harold Steves	Hanieh Berg
Chair	Committee Clerk