

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING – MINUTES

Minutes of the Public Safety Committee Meeting held on
Wednesday, October 13, 2021 at Council Chamber, Village Hall 2697
Sunnyside Road, Anmore, BC



MEMBERS PRESENT

Councillor Tim Laidler, Chair
Robert Boies
Gord McRae
Bryan Mitten

MEMBERS ABSENT

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1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Laidler called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the Agenda be approved as circulated.

Carried Unanimously

3. MINUTES

(a) Minutes of the Meeting held on May 12, 2021

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the Minutes of the Public Safety Committee meeting held on
May 12, 2021 be adopted, as circulated.

Carried

Member, R. Boies abstained, as he was
absent from the May 12, 2021
PSC meeting.

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

None.

5. **UNFINISHED BUSINESS**

None.

6. **NEW BUSINESS**

(a) **Public Safety for Pedestrians and Bicycles**

Chair Laidler read aloud a letter written by a concerned resident, regarding a recommendation for a crosswalk (with flashing lights) to be installed on Sunnyside Road at Alpine Drive.

Chair Laidler invited any members of the public attending to provide public input:

Nancy Maloney, Anmore, spoke regarding pedestrian safety, request for additional crosswalk on East Road, and speed concerns.

Committee members discussed several safety concerns related to pedestrian and bicycle movement throughout the Village.

The following points were highlighted during discussion about policing in Anmore:

- Speed Watch
- Review of both daytime and evening safety concerns
- Traffic study on major roads, including MRN-TransLink roads
- Improvements to enforcement
- Increase in community awareness
- Consideration of community engagement strategies for pedestrian safety and lighting with consideration of dark sky principles

Action Item: Chair Laidler to request staff review list of public safety concerns and how best to engage with the community.
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7. **ADJOURNMENT**

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the meeting be adjourned at 8:05 p.m.

Carried Unanimously

Certified Correct:

Approved:

“Karen Elrick”

Karen Elrick
Manager of Corporate Services

“Tim Laidler”

Councillor Tim Laidler
Chair, Public Safety Committee