## DISTRICT OF NORTH VANCOUVER SPECIAL MEETING OF COUNCIL

Minutes of the Special Meeting of the Council for the District of North Vancouver held at 6:37 p.m. on Monday, July 27, 2020. The meeting was held virtually with participants appearing via video conference.

Present:

Mayor M. Little

Councillor J. Back Councillor M. Bond Councillor M. Curren Councillor B. Forbes Councillor J. Hanson

Absent:

Councillor L. Muri

Staff:

Mr. A. Wardell, Acting Chief Administrative Officer

Mr. J. Gordon, Manager - Administrative Services

Mr. M. Hartford, Section Manager - Development Planning

Ms. S. Dale, Confidential Council Clerk Ms. A. Bellwood, Development Planner

Ms. C. Archer, Clerk Typist 3

#### RESOLUTION TO HOLD PUBLIC MEETING WITHOUT THE PUBLIC IN ATTENDANCE

MOVED by Councillor BACK SECONDED by Councillor CURREN WHEREAS:

- the Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General has issued Order M192; and,
- Order M192 requires British Columbia municipalities to use best efforts to allow members of the public to attend open meetings of council in a manner that is consistent with the applicable requirements or recommendations of the *Public Health Act*; and.
- the District has assessed its ability to allow members of the public to attend open meetings of council in a manner that is consistent with the applicable requirements or recommendations of the *Public Health Act*; and,
- the District has taken into consideration its Covid-19 Safety Plan as required by Worksafe BC; and,
- the District has determined that, at this time, it cannot safely allow members of the public
  to attend open meetings of council in a manner that is consistent with the applicable
  requirements or recommendations of the *Public Health Act* or its Covid-19 Safety Plan;

THEREFORE, this meeting of the Council for the District of North Vancouver is to be held without members of the public being physically present;

AND THAT the principles of openness, transparency, accessibility and accountability are being ensured through:

- Providing an online subscription service for residents to sign up and be apprised of upcoming meetings and the post-meeting availability of meeting minutes and meeting videos:
- Providing advance notice of this meeting in accordance with the Community Charter and advising the public on how they may participate in the meeting by providing public input;
- Providing the availability of the agenda for this meeting on the District's webpage six days in advance of the meeting;
- The live streaming of this meeting via a link readily available on the District's webpage;
- Maintaining the thirty minute public input opportunity at each regular meeting and the discretionary public input opportunity at each workshop;
- The ability of the public to provide input on agenda items by full two-way audio and video means;
- Adhering the rules of procedural fairness and acting with respect and courtesy at all times when hearing the public;
- Conducting meetings in a manner that resembles in-person meeting as much as possible;
- And reminding the public that they may contact Mayor and Council at any time on any topic via its <u>council@dnv.org</u> email address.

CARRIED

### 1. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA

1.1. July 27, 2020 Special Meeting Agenda

MOVED by Councillor FORBES SECONDED by Councillor BACK

THAT the agenda for the July 27, 2020 Special Meeting of Council for the District of North Vancouver is adopted as circulated.

**CARRIED** 

### 2. REPORTS FROM COUNCIL OR STAFF

# 2.1. Bylaw 8419: Rezoning to Add "Retail Cannabis Store" as a Permitted Use at 1520 Barrow Street

File No. 09.3900.20/000.000

MOVED by Councillor HANSON SECONDED by Councillor BACK

THAT "District of North Vancouver Rezoning Bylaw 1392 (Bylaw 8419)" is given SECOND and THIRD Readings.

**CARRIED** 

### 3. ADJOURNMENT

MOVED by Councillor CURREN SECONDED Mayor LITTLE

That the July 27, 2020 Special Meeting of Council for the District of North Vancouver is adjourned.

(6:51 p.m.)

Mayor

Municipal Clerk