

DATE OF MEETING May 2, 2016

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SUBJECT **ALTERNATIVE APPROVAL PROCESS RESULTS - "BEAUFORT PARK DEDICATION REMOVAL AND DISPOSAL BYLAW 2016 NO. 7225"**

OVERVIEW

Purpose of Report

To provide Council with the results of the Alternative Approval Process and to obtain Council approval for adoption of "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225".

Recommendation

That Council receive the results of the Alternative Approval Process related to "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225".

BACKGROUND

Further to Council direction provided at its Regular Meeting held 2016-MAR-07, the City conducted an Alternative Approval Process (AAP) to obtain approval of the electors for the adoption of "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225". The bylaw would authorize the exchange of privately owned land at 1515 Dufferin Crescent for part of City-owned land at 69 Lorne Place (Beaufort Park).

Notice of the AAP was placed in the Thursday, 2016-MAR-17 & 24 editions of the Nanaimo News Bulletin. The notice also appeared on the City's website. The deadline for receipt of Elector Response Forms was 2016-APR-25 and the results below confirm that elector approval through the AAP has been obtained.

AAP Results:

The deadline for the receipt of elector response forms for "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225" was 4:30 pm on Monday, 2016-APR-25.

Number of Valid Elector Response Forms received prior to the deadline	1
10% of electors within the City of Nanaimo	6,500

On the basis of the elector response forms received before the deadline, I have determined and hereby certify that the elector approval in accordance with Section 86 of the *Community Charter* has been obtained.

Therefore, Council may proceed with the adoption of "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225" which appears under the Bylaw section of this evening's agenda.

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OPTIONS

1. That Council receive the results of the AAP process related to "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225".
 - **Strategic Priorities Implication:** To maximize benefits, reduce risks and provide satisfactory levels of service to the community in a sustainable manner. From a parks perspective this includes exchanging lands that are mutually beneficial.
2. That Council not receive the results of AAP process related to "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225".

SUMMARY POINTS

- Further to Council direction provided at its Regular Meeting held 2016-MAR-07, the City conducted an Alternative Approval Process (AAP) to obtain approval of the electors for the adoption of "Beaufort Park Dedication Removal and Disposal Bylaw 2016 No. 7225".
- The bylaw would authorize the exchange of privately owned land at 1515 Dufferin Crescent for part of City-owned land at 69 Lorne Place (Beaufort Park).
- Elector approval in accordance with Section 86 of the *Community Charter* has been obtained.
- Council may proceed with the adoption of Bylaw No. 7225 which appears under the Bylaw section of this evening's agenda.

Submitted by:



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