

Subject: RE: FONVCA/shirtsleeve meeting March 26th

From: James Gordon <gordonj@dnv.org>

Date: 15/03/2013 12:49 PM

To: "Cathy Adams" <CathyAdams@shaw.ca>, Natasha Letchford <letchfordn@dnv.org>

CC: "FONCVA" <FONCVA@foncva.org>, Corrie Kost <corrie@kost.ca>, Linda Brick <BrickL@dnv.org>, James Gordon <gordonj@dnv.org>

Hi Cathy.

We will be ordering dinner for FONVCA's meeting with Council on March 26. Earlier you estimated 6-10 attending from FONVCA. Is that still an accurate estimate? If you could let me know we will pass that along to the caterer.

Jim

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-----Original Message-----

From: Cathy Adams [<mailto:CathyAdams@shaw.ca>]

Sent: Friday, March 08, 2013 9:23 AM

To: James Gordon; Natasha Letchford

Cc: FONCVA; Corrie Kost

Subject: FONVCA/shirtsleeve meeting March 26th

Hello Jim

Getting back to you with proposed discussion topics from FONVCA for the shirtsleeve meeting on March 26th. Please find them attached. I have also attached what has previously been established as meeting procedures for these shirtsleeve sessions, which should be sent to Council.

Please inform Council that Dan Ellis has agreed to Chair this meeting

- sometimes Mayor Walton co-chairs. I he wishes to, Richard can contact Dan directly on that.

I will also ask for confirmations from our members on who will be attending, and give that number to you a little closer to the date.

Thank you,
Cathy Adams, for FONVCA

Hi James

You were asking about the date for this shirtsleeve meeting - I had confirmed that to Natasha awhile back.

So March 26th is good.

I will send discussion topics to you soon, too.

Cathy Adams, for FONVCA

At 09:09 AM 2/27/13, James Gordon wrote:

Good morning Cathy.

I understand that this proposed date was to be discussed at a recent FONVCA meeting. I was wondering if it was and if the date is suitable for you. Could you confirm? If it is we will start making arrangements.

Jim

Hello Natasha

Yes - we have polled our members and this date will work. March 26th, 5-7 p.m.

I suggest the number from FONVCA attending would be 6-10, and will have a better number for you closer to the date.

Discussion topics - we will discuss at our meeting on Feb. 20th, and send that to you for forwarding to council. I have attached what has previously been established as meeting procedures for these shirtsleeve sessions, which should be sent to Council.
Thank you,
Cathy Adams, for FONVCA

-----Original Message-----

From: Natasha Letchford
Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2013 2:59 PM
To: cathyadams@shaw.ca
Cc: 'FONCVA@foncva.org'; James Gordon
Subject: RE: FONVCA/shirtsleeve meeting

Hi Cathy,

Jim has passed on your email to me as he will be away from the office for a bit. In reviewing Council's schedule, the best date for a meeting with FONCVA is Tuesday March 26 from 5:00pm to 7:00pm in the Committee Room. The District will be happy to provide dinner. Can you please let me know how many people from FONCVA will be attending. Also, if there are specific topics you wish to discuss, please let me know those too so as to allow sufficient time for preparation.
Thanks - looking forward to hearing back from you, Natasha

Natasha Letchford, CMC
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-----Original Message-----

From: James Gordon
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2013 8:26 PM
To: Cathy Adams
Cc: James Gordon; DNVCouncil; FONVCA@fonvca.org; Louise Simkin; Jennifer Ficocelli; Linda Brick; Louise Horton
Subject: Re: FONVCA/shirtsleeve meeting

Hi Cathy.

You have the process exactly right. We are working on a few possible dates as we speak. I will get back to you with those in the near future.
Jim

On 2013-01-22, at 8:07 PM, "Cathy Adams" <CathyAdams@shaw.ca> wrote:

Hello Jim

Usually how this works is - a date gets set, and that is usually some weeks off. The date is set according to Council's availability, and FONVCA just goes with that.

Once FONVCA members get a confirmation on the meeting, we will discuss what discussion topic we would like to propose. And often Council also has a topic. Right now, I think there are a couple of ideas "percolating" for FONVCA, but we have not specifically discussed and decided.

So the discussion topics are set well ahead of time, but that will be "next steps".

Thanks for handling this for us, looking forward to hearing back from you.
Cathy

At 03:29 PM 21/01/2013, James Gordon wrote:

Good afternoon Cathy.

Council has received your request and will discuss it at an upcoming meeting. In the interest of making the most out of every meeting, an idea of the potential topics would be helpful to provide some focus and so that Council can come prepared. Let me know and I will pass that along.

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-----Original Message-----

From: Cathy Adams [<mailto:CathyAdams@shaw.ca>]
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2013 9:26 AM
To: DNVCouncil
Cc: FONVCA@fonvca.org; James Gordon
Subject: FONVCA/shirtsleeve meeting

Dear Mayor Walton and members of Council

On behalf of FONVCA, I am asking you to consider the idea of holding a shirtsleeve meeting with FONVCA members in the near future.

The last one held was October, 2010 - so it has been awhile! Whenever these meetings are held, there is always agreement around the table of the value of meeting on this type of informal basis, so we at FONVCA feel the time is overdue to hold one. If you agree, let's organize it!

We have not discussed possible discussion topics, but it's always easy to come up with one or two. And there may be a topic that you as council would like to put forward, as well.

I would appreciate either the Mayor or someone on staff getting back to me - usually someone in the clerk's office takes care of setting it up for us.

Cathy Adams,
on behalf of FONVCA