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THE CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF PORT COQUITLAM

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION COMMITTEE

MINUTES

A meeting of the Environmental Protection Committee was held in the Council Chambers on Wednesday, March 11, 1987 at 4:30 p.m..

Personnel in Attendance:

Alderman M.D. Gates, Chairman  
Alderman M. Wright, P. Eng., Co-Chairman  
T.M. Chong, P. Eng., Deputy City Engineer

CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

Recommended:

That the minutes of the meeting of the Environmental Protection Committee held on Thursday, February 19, 1987 be taken as read and adopted.

Carried

ITEM I: PITCH-IN CAMPAIGN

The Committee discussed several items which were tabled at the Coordination Meeting of March 7, 1987 and made the following decisions:

- a. That 1,000 buttons be purchased at an approximate cost of \$400 as tokens for those participating in the proposed litter clean-up campaign to take place during the weekends of April 25/26 and May 2/3, 1987. The cost of these buttons to be charged against the Environmental Protection Budget. The inscription on these buttons shall contain the PITCH-IN Campaign symbol and the words "PoCo Pride Days, Pitch-In Campaign 87".
- b. Alderman Gates will investigate further into the cost of plaques to be given to the Community Groups who will participate in the proposed litter clean-up campaign.
- c. The draft letter to the Principals of all the schools serving Port Coquitlam requesting their participation in the Pitch-In Campaign was revised to include a statement requesting confirmation of their intent to participate before March 24, 1987.
- d. The City will wait for the response of the Principals of the various schools before placing an order for the plastic litter bags. Notwithstanding, the order for bags shall be placed before the April 1, 1987 deadline.

ITEM II: CURBSIDE MULTI-MATERIAL RECYCLING SEMINAR

The Committee reviewed the details of the proposed Curbside Multi-Material Recycling Seminar to be held on April 9, 1987. Since Alderman Wright will be out

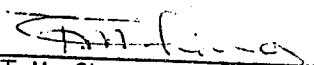
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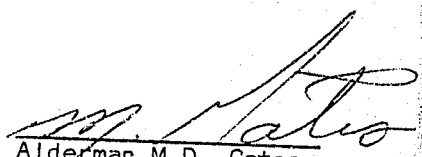
of the country during this period, the Committee recommends that a memo be forwarded to Council requesting authority to have Alderman Gates and Tony Chong attend this seminar.

ITEM III: OTHER BUSINESS

- a. Letters from Dr. <sup>Amiel</sup> ~~Amel~~ Re: Smoking Bylaw - This item has been tabled for further discussions at the next EPC meeting to be held on March 25, 1987.
- b. T. Chong advised the Committee that Mr. Bruce <sup>Pollock</sup> ~~Collins~~, Special Assistant to Gerry St-Germaine, M.P. called the previous week to advise that he is attempting to arrange a meeting between Department of Indian Affairs Officials, the Indian Band and City Officials regarding the stockpiling and burning of waste at the Indian Reserve. Further information to follow.
- c. Report from Fire Chief Re: Ammonia Leak at Lilydale Poultry Processing Plant - The Committee reviewed this memo and noted the comment that it took the closing of 11 valves before the leak was finally stopped. The Committee instructed T. Chong to invite both the Fire Chief and the Plant Maintenance Superintendent to attend the next EPC Meeting to explain to the Committee what actions will be taken by the Plant to prevent this type of accident from occurring in the future.


The Meeting Adjourned at 5:30 p.m.

  
T.M. Chong, P. Eng.,  
Deputy City Engineer/  
Operations Manager

  
Alderman M.D. Gates,  
Committee Chairman.

NOTE: Minutes not read and adopted by the Committee until certified correct by the Committee Chairman's signature.

cc Mayor and Aldermen  
City Administrator  
City Clerk  
City Engineer

  
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