

Minutes of Regular Meeting

Date: Wednesday

April 16, 2025

Location: Skyline Room, DNV Hall

Time: 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Present:

John Miller (Chair)	Lower Capilano
Eric Andersen	Blueridge
Corrie Kost	NVCAN Director Emeritus
Lyle Craver	Lynn Valley
Peter Teevan	Seymour
Karen Barnett	Seymour (zoom)
Val Wilkins	Deep Cove (zoom)

Regrets:

Mike Pattenau	Norgate Park
Babs Perowne	Woodcroft

1. Welcome: John welcomed everyone to the meeting at 7 pm.

2. AI is taking the minutes but will be formatted by John.

3. The Agenda was approved.

4. The minutes of March 12, 2025 were approved.

5. Old Business: John advised that he emailed the mayor regarding NVCANs request for community bulletin boards but has not heard back from him and will follow up on the issue.

6. New Business:

a) The in-depth OCP Update meeting with District staff is being arranged and staff are going to send suggested dates to meet with NVCAN. The Edgemont Community Association board of directors is on hiatus (no longer in operation) following seven of nine directors resigning, as noted on their website. The two remaining directors are in 'caretaker' mode.

b) Corrie advised that Chemtrade has received a Letter of Intent from the Port of Vancouver regarding their request to extend their lease to 2044, including continuing to manufacture liquid chlorine.

c) Newsclips – 9 pages with the links are on the NVCAN website.

7. Community Roundtable –

Lynn Valley – Lyle advised that LVCA will be holding an Easter egg event in the public room on Saturday from 10 to 12 pm. There are concerns with the proposed Mountain Highway improvements.

Seymour – Peter advised that they held an All-Candidates meeting and the Conservative candidate did not attend. The meeting was fairly well attended by the public but the meeting was more unruly than normal. More discussion took place on the Chemtrade email regarding the Letter of Intent. There is some concern regarding a possible move of the Ron Andrews centre when it is scheduled for renovation/replacement.

Deep Cove – Val advised that there is discussion taking place regarding replacing the banners on Gallant Ave. since the District removed the old ones. Lynn Valley will follow up with Deep Cove as they are also interested in getting banners.

Blueridge – Eric advised that their AGM is coming up on May 13, 2025. He attended the North Shore Safety Council meeting where they discussed a walking bus – walk to school program. The BCA newsletter is issued containing information on the Blueridge Good Neighbour Day that will take place on May 25, 2025. They considered a Blueridge Dog Day but insurance to cover the event was an issue. He also advised that they have a Sitter directory on the website which is currently being updated with 42 sitters listed.

8. Adjournment – the meeting was adjourned at 9:00 pm.
