## MINUTES OF SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF PARKS AND RECREATION HELD AT THE PARK BOARD OFFICE ON MONDAY, AUGUST 10, 2009 AT 4:00 P.M.

PRESENT: Chair - Raj Hundal

Commissioners - Sarah Blyth - Aaron Jasper

- Stuart Mackinnon - Susan Mundick

**General Manager** 

**Manager of Recreation Services** 

- Stanley District - Thomas Soulliere

Coordinator of Arts and Culture - jil weaving
Recorder - Julie Casanova

Commissioners Robertson and Woodcock were absent. Commissioner Barnes was on a leave of absence.

## **In-Camera Meeting**

Moved by Commissioner Jasper,

THAT the Board go into a meeting which is closed to the public, pursuant to Section 165.2 (1) of the *Vancouver Charter*, to discuss matters related to paragraph:

(e) the acquisition, disposition or expropriation of land or improvements, if the Board considers that disclosure could reasonably be expected to harm the interests of the city.

- Carried Unanimously.

The Board reconvened the public session of the Special Board meeting and the Chair announced that the Board approved the following motions regarding the Stanley Park Totem Pole Project.

## THAT the Park Board:

- A. approve in principle the installation of a totem pole in Stanley Park;
- B. request Chief Bill Williams of the Squamish Nation to seek support for the project from the Musqueam and Tsleil-Waututh, prior to the erection of the pole; and,
- C. reconfirm the invitation previously extended to the Musqueam and Tsleil-Waututh Nations for a carving from each of their respective bands to be installed in Stanley Park.

Susan Mundick Commissioner Raj Hundal
General Manager Chair