### Denman Island Residents Association Annual General Meeting April 11, 2011

### Held at the Community Hall, Attendance: 55 Members

**Executive in Attendance:** Liz Johnston, Andrew Scruton, Derek Hood, Doug Wright, Nettie Cotter, Frank Frketich. [Type a quote from the document or the summary of an interesting point. You can position the text box anywhere in the document. Use the Text Box Tools tab to change the formatting of the pull quote text box.]

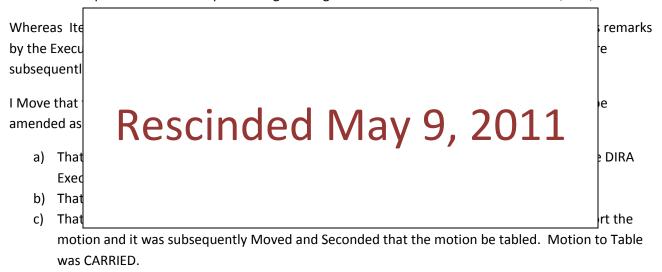
### Call to Order: 7:34 P.M.

Chair: Liz Johnston called the meeting to order and asked for general consent from the assembly to proceed with a different format from prior AGMs: That there would be only one meeting which constitutes the DIRA AGM, but that it would also constitute the April GM. business as time would allow. This would avert the complicated process of trying to hold two meeting in one evening. The unapproved minutes will then be brought forwarded to the next GM in May for approval. General Consent was given for this format.

### Motion: to Approve 2010 AGM Minutes: M/S/C

### **Motion re February 14, 2011 Minutes:** Moira Webster presented the following motion:

Whereas the expectation of the DIRA membership is that the official record of meetings (the minutes) will be an accurate representation of the proceedings stating what was done and not what was said; and,



Motion to Table the preceding motion: M/S/C

### Motion to Approve March General Meeting Minutes: M/S/C

### Motion to Adopt the Agenda as presented: M/S/C

Chair's Annual Report: Liz Johnston reported on the DIRA 40 year anniversary this AGM and asked that the membership reflect on the amazing accomplishments completed by volunteers members over these years. Many of our community amenities & services can be attributed to their work. Recognition and awards were given to 40 year members Patti Willis & Glen Snook, along with other long term members attending which included; Gloria Michin, Clark Siferd, Bob French, & Leslie Dunsmore. Many of the other long term DIRA members and families not in attendance were named and thanked. A forty year celebration cake was served to commemorate the event. The Chair's Annual Report including a current structure chart has been posted to DIRA website and in the interest of ensuring time for the Committees' Reports, its reading was excused. (see attachment #1)

**Nominating Committee Report:** Derek Hood noted three people have expressed willingness to stand for the DIRA Executive. The Chair asked for further nominations from the floor, but as there were no further nominations, Jane Kerr, Bert Taylor, and Clark Siferd were elected by acclamation. The outgoing executive board was thanked by the Chair. The incoming Executive Members consist of Doug Ward, Frank Freketich, Nettie Cotter, Clark Siferd, Jane Kerr, and Bert Taylor.

**Treasurers Report:** Derek Hood presented the Financial Statement prepared by Accountant, Lloyd Neufeld. Derek noted that the year-end surplus was \$127,794; the volume of transactions this year was significantly higher principally due to the funds received on behalf of the Community Dock Committee and Denman Works. As a result of this volume Derek suggested that the incoming Executive consider accessing the electronic online banking available at the Credit \union.

The difficulty of preparing a financial report immediately at the conclusion of a fiscal year was noted. Derek recommended that the incoming Executive consider adjusting the date of the presentation of the Treasurer's report be adjusted to allow sufficient time to reconcile any discrepancies that may appear. Derek noted that there may be a discrepancy indicated on the statement regarding the Directors liability insurance and he will liaise with Lloyd Neufeld to clarify and report back to the DIRA membership.

Motion that the Treasurer's report as reflected in the Financial Statement by accepted as presented subject to the reconciliation of the Directors insurance. M/S/C (see attachment #2)

### **Committee Reports - Tax Based**

**Bill Mee Park Committee:** John Wigle presented the report. Motion to accept the Committee's Report: M/S/C (see attachment #3)

**Waste Management Committee:** Bob French presented the report noting that the financial position of the committee has improved after two lean years. Motion to accept the Committee's Report: M/S/C (see attachment #4)

**Denman WORKS Report:** Simon Palmer reviewed the change in status of the committee to a Select Committee of the CVRD. He also stated that the committee would continue to report monthly to DIRA meetings. Motion to accept the Committee's Report: M/S/C (see attachment #5)

**Denman Island Volunteer Fire Department:** Chief Don Luckett briefly reviewed the budget making process of the fire department. He also mentioned that the department was given a \$25,000 on time budgetary item to prepare the site for the new ambulance station. Tendering for the site work was done by the CVRD. Finally the ambulance station should be up and running by June 30<sup>th</sup>.

Administrative Officer John Ralston explained the budget revenue and expenses. Motion to accept the Department's Report: M/S/C (see attachment #6)

### **Committee Reports - Non Tax Based**

**Old School Committee:** Gloria Michin reviewed the revenues and expenses for the past year. Motion to accept the Committee's Report: M/S/C (see attachment #7)

**Dock Committee:** John Johnston explained the revenues and expenses from grants received and spent to this point in time. He noted that three contracts have now been signed with actual work slated to start on the dock approximately June 1. Construction costs are coming in just below the total budgeted amount which is a very positive sign. (see attachment #8)

**Parks Committee:** Peter Karsten reported that the committee has had a very busy year with much work done in different parks. Stanehill trails have been added and native plants identified. Morning Beach stairway engineering work is complete and money is available for the work. Peter also thanked the Park Liaison Group for their work on naming parks. (see attachments #9 and #10)

**Wildlife Advisory Committee:** Dennis Forsyth noted that the committee watches for cases where animals are harassed or hurt in some way.

**Pesticide Free Committee:** There will be compost demonstrations during the House and Garden Tour coming up in May.

**Ferry Advisory Committee:** Dennis Forsyth mentioned that the Ferry Commissioner has allowed fare increases of 8.2% per year for the next 4 years. Minister has stated some concern regarding the size of the increases. Perhaps this is a good time to register concerns with the Minister. As well the Ferry Commissioner has stated that B.C. Ferries should look at Alternate Service Provider on three different routes as a way to reduce costs. Denman Island is one of those routes.

**Further DIRA Business:** The Chair reported that the HST Application for non-profits has been completed and that copies of the document and extra forms are available from the executive.

**Community Workshop:** The membership was reminded of the April 16 workshop being presented by CVRD Director Bruce Jolliffe with objectives to understand and review CVRD services and service deliveries. Everyone is welcome.

Motion to Adjourn 9:40 P.M. M/S/C

### **Incoming Correspondence:**

2011

1.	Doug Ward DIRA		
	Executive Member	Letter of Resignation from DIRA Executive Board	Mar 13
2	James Bast, Manager of	Copy of "Notice of Intention to lease regional district property" to be	
	Fire Services, CVRD	advertised in next few weeks re ambulance atation on Denman Island	Mar 147
3	Gloria Michin, Chair	Copy of "Fluorescent Lamp Collection Standard" with queries to Axis	
	Old School Committee	Insurance	Mar 12
4	Peter Karsten, Chair,	Copy of response to and email from Dan Stoneman re concerns and advise	
	Parks Committee	re Morning Beach Park and Komas Bluffs	Mar 17
5.	Don Luckett, Fire Chief	DI Ambulance Station Update report	Mar 17
6	Louise Bell, Denman		
	Island Trustee	Providing DIRA library with copies of "Denman Island Community Profile"	Mar 17
7	Liz Johnston, DIRA	Report of brief meeting with Ian Smith, CVRD,(his request), re update on	
	Chair	Denman Works Committee	Mar 19
8	Dan Stoneman,	Comments re DIRA General Meetings with regards to Agendas and Special	
	member	Issues	Mar 20
9	Dennis Forsyth, Ferry	Request to advise DIRA members of ferry interruption from April 4 to April	
	Advisory	8, 2011	Mar 22
10.	Bill Engleson, DIRA-VIRL		
	Liaison	DIRA-VIRL Liaison report for the April 2011 DIRA AGM	Mar 22
11	Teresa Warnes, Exec	Copy of Buce Jolliffe's 'Notice of Community Workshop' to be published in	
	Asst, CVRD	Grapevine; to be held April 16, 2011 at DI Community Hall, 1pm to 4 pm	Mar 22
12	James Bast, CVRD	Letter to CVRD Fire Chiefs re CVRD Fire Services administration model	
		review	Mar 23

13	Steve Mayall, Project	Copy of response to Brian Allaert, Community Services, CVRD re query on	
	Manager, BC Ferries	Bill Mee usage during ferry interruption in the Fall 2011	Mar 24
14	Robert French, Chair,	2010 Financial statements (Balance sheets/ Profit Loss Statements) for	
	Waster Mgmt Cmt	both Waste Management Committee and Bottle Depot	Mar 28
15	Simon Palmer, Chair,		
	Denman WORKS!	Financial reports on 2009/ 2010 Actulas	Mar 28
16	John Wigle, Bill Mee		
	Park & Boat Launch		
	Cmt	2010 Year End Financials and 2011 Budget	Mar 29
17	Ministry of Finance, BC	Received form: "Society Annual Report Reminder" due to file after April	
	Registry Services	AGM 2011 re Change in Directors	Mar 31
18	John Ralston, DIVFD	2010 Financial Statements (Stmt of Financial Position / Stmt of Operations	
		& Accumulated Surplus) and 2010 Budget	Mar 31
19	Gloria Michin, Chair,		
	Old School Cmt	Schedule of Receipts and Expenditures for 2010	Apr 5
20.	Max Campill- Wedges,	Copy of letter to Flagstone and objections to Motion passed at March 14,	
	Exec Board member	2011 General Meeting	Apr 6
21.	Max Campill- Wedges,		
	DIRA Executive Board		
	member	Letter of Resignation for DIRA Executive Board, effective immediately	Apr 6
22.	Edina Johnston,	Re Aug 17, 2010 request to view DIVFD books and comments re March 14	
	member	DIRA General Meeting and DIRA Executive	Apr 7
23.	John Johnston, Chair,		
	Community Dock Cmt	Dock Project Cash Activity to Mar 31, 2011	Apr 9
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### **Outgoing Correspondence:**

### 2011

1.	James Bast, Manager	Forward Motion passed at Mar 14 DIRA General Meeting re DI Fire Service	
	of Fire Services,CVRD	Contract	Mar 15
2.	Grapevine; DIRA	Request to publish/post "Notice of Annual General Meeting, Monday April 11,	
	website	2011"	Mar 19

3.	Wind Rombough,		
	DIRA employee	Notice of Mar 31/11 closing date of current employment agreement	Mar 20
4.	DIRA tax-funded		
	Committees	Reminder to submit Year-End Financials 2 weeks prior to April 11, 2011 AGM	Mar 25
5.	Wind Rombough,		
	DIRA employee	Letter of Reference from DIRA	Mar 30
6.	Max Campill-		
	Wedges, DIRA Board		
	member	Acknowledgment of Resignation Letter from Max with regrets & thanks	Apr 7
7.	All DIRA Committee	Reminder of April 11, 2011 DIRA Annual General Meeting, tax-funded	
	Chairs	committees to provide financial reports for membership approval, request	
		names of long time members for recognition at DIRA's 40 year celebration	Apr 7
8.	All DIRA Cmte Chairs	Copy of Yearly Info Checklist along with DIRA data and reminder to submit by	
		May 2011 General Meeting	Apr 8
9.	James Bast, Debra	DIRA's 'Notice of Intent' to cancel existing service agreement with CVRD for	
	Oakman, Bruce	Fire Services and feedback of community process, comments and	
	Jolliffe, CVRD	correspondence in same regard	Apr 8

### **Denman Island Residents Association**

### Chair Report for Annual General Meeting April 11, 2011 (Liz Johnston)

I have been honored to be elected to the DIRA Executive Board over the past four years serving twice as Vice Chair then as Chair during the past two years. DIRA is the sum of all its parts, so I would like to keep this brief, and express sincere appreciation to ALL the generous and dedicated volunteers and members of DIRA.

DIRA has grown in leaps and bounds over the past few years with increased membership, and increased committee initiatives and responsibilities. I have attached an overview chart of DIRA using 2010 info for this report, which clearly shows how DIRA has expanded. It is for this reason that I would like to make the recommendation: that it may be time to look at some shared administrative assistance within the organization. I think this may be something that should be discussed at the upcoming CVRD Governance meeting to be held April 16, and by the membership at a later date.

Before we get to the election process to fill the 5 vacant board positions, I would like to give special thanks to;

Andrew Scruton has completed his two year term serving as Vice Chair. He served on the board for an additional 4 years, 3 as DIRA President which makes him one of DIRAs longest running Executive Members. Despite his own serious health issues, he has continued to assist us with all aspects of DIRA business. Andrew has taught us a lot about parliamentary issues, but more importantly he has by example taught us 'true generosity of spirit'. Andrew you are an inspiration to us all and will leave you with these words to express our appreciation. 'Well done my friend!'

Derek Hood has completed 4 years on the Board (2 full terms as DIRA Treasurer) and has been invaluable keeping us 'on track' both financially and mentally. Thank you, Derek, for your strong leadership skills, your patience, and willingness to assistance with the many difficult situations that arose.

Also would like thank all the other board members, Nettie Cotter, Doug Wright, Doug Ward, Frank Frketich, and Max Campill-Wedges who all have made unique contributions to DIRA and this community. I have truly enjoyed working with you all.

### 2011 DIRA Highlights of the Past year

- DIRA Executive received CVRD Grant-in-Aid funding of \$1000. In Aug 2010-11 for administration purposes.
   Originally the executive had applied for some of these funds to facilitate a community workshop to discuss governance. After discussion with CVRD, Regional Director: Bruce Jolliffe offered to facilitate such a workshop which will be held April 16, 2011 at the Denman Island Community Hall from 1-4pm.
- The Executive launched a membership drive in January 2011, which has brought in approx. \$1,500. The current membership is approx. 240 members.
- Worksafe BC undertook an assessment of DIRA WWC Rate based on current information provided and has applied a new assessment rate for DIRA employees.
- DIRA Executive has completed the process of application with Canada Revenue Agency to ensure that DIRA Committees can make application for rebate of HST/GST.
- DIRA Insurance policies were examined and updated. The General Commercial Policy was transferred to AXIS insurance company. A meeting with all Committee Chairs was held in Jan to meet new insurance representative and ask pertinent questions.
- Changes were made to the DIRA Bylaws 'Funding Policy' to provide leniency for applicants to ensure that funding application deadlines can be met.

- The Graham Lake Swim Dock was within a hair of being decommissioned due to liability concerns last year. Insurance was secured and a new 'Swim Dock Committee' stepped up to repair, revitalize and provide oversight for the swim dock.
- Bill Mee Park Boat Launch ramp expansion was successfully completed late summer, new picnic tables were
  acquired with the old ones being donated to the Old School. A new 3 year contract was signed by DIRA/CVRD.
   BC Ferries has requested to use the Boat Launch this fall for the two week interruption of the Hornby Ferry.
- The Old School Committee applied for a new access permit from DOT for the new driveway entrance. The new parking area was completed for the summer market.
- DIRA Parks Committee developed and opened Stanehill Interpretive Park, and are working on developing Morning Beach Park staircase. PC continues to seek community consultation regarding all DI Parks.
- The Dock Committee received approval of funding from ICET, WestCCap, CVRD Grant-in-Aid and Recreation Funding sources. They also raised funds for the project with a raffle & firewood sales. All approvals are in place with construction planned for June.
- The Recreation Grant Committee' process was facilitated by DIRA between May-July 2010. Numerous community non-profits made application for the funding with a total of \$20,000. awarded to the successful applicants for recreation endeavors.
- The DICEEC Resource Centre office was opened in June. DICEEC committee members stepped down in August. DIRA dispersed the 'Community Project Funding Grants' to successful non-profit applicants in September. New committee members came forward in Sept with a new revitalized committee. 'Denman WORKS!" received community support to carry on with EE services till March 31, 2011. CVRD provided community meeting & a questionnaire in regards to the future of this service.
- Pesticide Free Committee erected their new sign 'Butterflies Live Here" on the West ferry hill in partnership
  with the DIVFD that conveys both pesticide and fire danger messages. The committee continues with 'broom
  puller' rentals.
- Waste Management Committee now has the new glass crusher operating and also installed new lighting for the recycling area. WMC donation bins provide \$9350 to community organizations. WMC lowered their budget in Feb/11.
- Wildlife Advisory Committee continued to provide vigilance in the community regarding all wildlife, and other animal issues including RATS!
- The DIRA/CVRD Contract to Provide Fire Services for Denman Island from 1983 was examined and found to be outdated and unenforced. After discussion at numerous meetings, the executive was directed to request that the contract be terminated and that the CVRD appoint an 'interim community representative committee' through the Volunteer Fire Fighters Association, until such time as a long term solution is found.
- The DIVFD have prepared the site property (next to the Fire Hall property) for the future DI Ambulance Station. The a notice of intention to lease the property to Emergency Health Services Commission for a DI Ambulance Station was signed March 16, by CVRD and will commence April 1, 2011, with occupancy of the station to follow.
- VIRL Liaison Bill Engleson continues to hope to someday have a library on Denman Island.
- Ferry Advisory Committee has advised us that the BC Ferries is pursuing the cable ferry alternative for Denman within 3 years. Concerns continue to be raised about rate increases on the ferries for residents. Traffic congestion concerns have also been raised due to the backing up traffic during the summer.
- Many thanks to our Island Trustees who continually and diligently bring an Island Trust report to the DIRA
  meetings every month to help keep the community informed.

In closing I would like to thank all DIRA Members,	Committees, a	and Reporting Liais	son Committees.	A warm w	velcome is
extended to the incoming Executive Board.					

Sincerely,

Liz Johnston

**DIRA Chair** 

Chair Report Committee Chart to follow:

# DIRA Overview of Committee Structure/Relationship/Function 2010-2011 (chair report)

Table   Direct		Tax Funde	Tax Funded Provides Admin DIRA Approved Budget	DIRA Approved	Budget	Eligible for	Eligible for	Overall DBIA	2010 actutals	WW	GST HST	Emphasis	ZOJD CVRD	Contractors	DIRA/CVRD	Brish ance
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Surplus, end of year

Denman Island Residents Association		
Statement of Revenues, Expenses & Surplus		
Period April 1,2010 to March 31,2011		
renou April 1,2010 to March 31,2011	<u>2011</u>	<u>2010</u>
	2011	2010
<u>Revenues</u>		
Memberships/Donations	\$ 2,856	\$ 2,088
Interest Earned	847	110
Grants - Community Dock	96,740	75,000
- Graham Lake Dock	750	0
- Denman Works	33,940	0
- Resource Centre	7,500	0
- Administration	1,000	0
Fund Raising - Community Dock	14,160	0
- Graham Lake Dock	717	0
Other – Old School Centre	3,476	0
Administration – Waste Management	520	520
Administration – Fire Dept	<u>520</u>	520
	\$163,026	\$79,238
<u>Expenses</u>		
Advertising & Notices	1,244	541
Office/Sundry	697	259
Hall Rental	400	555
Insurance - Directors	2,040	2,040
- Commercial Liability	4,476	0
Community Dock	83,885	3,945
Graham Lake Dock	940	0
Denman Works	22,119	0
Pesticide Free Committee	350	224
Resource Centre	7,500	
Website	140	325
Gifts/Donations	200	200
	\$123,991	\$ 8,089
Surplus for Year	\$ 39,035	\$ 71,149
Surplus forward	\$88,759	\$ 18,610

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### DENMAN WORKS! Cash Activity March 31, 2011

### 2004 Allocation, balance forward

\$2,946

2010	Community Grants:	<u>100%</u> <u>Grant</u>	80% Paid	<u>20%</u> Balance	
	Arts Denman	9,310	7,448	1,862	
	DI Community Education	1,480	1,184	296	
	DI Seniors & Museum Society	8,750	7,000	1,750	
	Hornby / Denman Tourism Services	3,400	2,720	680	
	Total	22,940	18,352	4,588	4,588
2011		Grant	_Paid	Balance	
	Community Grant	11,000			
	Hornby / Dernman Tourism Services		2,000		
	Grant Facilitator		818		
	Grapevine		94		
	Total	11,000	2,912	8,088	8,088
	Resource Centre Grapevine Ads:	7,500	7,678	(178)	
	Nov 25/10 Inv.#4473		55	(55)	
	Dec16/10 Inv.#4536		94	(94)	(327)

### **Denman WORKS!**

Balance as at March 31, 2011

\$15,295

### Attachment #2 - Treasurer Report continued

**DIRA TOTAL** 

### DENMAN ISLAND COMMUNITY DOCK Project Activity to March 31, 2011

Funds received:  DFO - divestment - lump sum Grants Fund Raising Interest earned Grant - Community Futures	\$ 75,000 3,715 13,910 841 94,989	_	188,455
Funds disbursed:			
Commercial Liability Insurance	1,000		
Supplies	3,536		
Bank charges	53		
Contract deposits (2)	80,348		84,937
DIRA Sub-Account for Dock Project, Balance as at March 31, 2011		\$	103,518

### DENMAN ISLAND RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION Committee Balances

Chequing Account, Cash on Hand, March 31, 2011		\$	20,351		
Less funds held for Committees: Denman WORKS!	\$ 15,295				
Graham Lake Swim Dock	527				
Pesticide Free	238				
Website	535				
Trails	1,457				
Parks Liaison Group	 156	-			
Total Committee Funds			18,208	_	
DIRA, Cash on Hand, balance remaining				\$	2,143
DIRA Invested Funds: DIRA Shares in Union Bay Credit Union	3,061				
DIRA Term Deposits	 2,334	-			5,395

\$

7,538

### Attachment #3 – Bill Mee Report

	BILL MEE PARK YEAREND	2010			2011 Budget
	2010 Budget Item	Budget amount for 2010	Actual expenditure	difference	
1	Parking lot gravel & grading	\$1,110.00	ехрепитите		170
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2	Ramp pressure washing/cleaning	\$1,940.00	, , , ,	-,	1,040
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3	Toilet maintenance, garbage removal	\$2,330.00			2,450
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4	Breakwater maintenance	\$1,290.00			1,360
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5	Picnic tables, benches	\$400.00	<b>*4.704.20</b>	1 00 1 00	0
6	Cross sutting	6470.00	\$1,784.32	-1,384.32	400
0	Grass cutting	\$170.00	\$0.00	170.00	460
7	Extend breakwater walls	\$0.00	φυ.υυ	170.00	0
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8	Repair/replace lower ramp sections	\$5,000.00			0
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9	Admin	\$260.00			280
		<u></u>	146.88	\$113.12	
TOTAL	Operational	\$12,500.00	\$12,415.43	\$84.57	\$5,760

Budget Surplus 2010	\$84.57

1 Waste Management Committee—DIRA PROFIT & LOSS January through December 2010

2010 Budget

ncome Bank Interest & Dividends	3.37		
Composters Sold	710.00		
Donations	710.00		
Free Store	1,430.25		
Private/Other Donations	111.80		
Refundables (Bottles Donated Yr)	1,340.83		
Total Donations	2,882.88		3,500
Garbage Collection			
Pickup Cash/Commercial Pickup Sale of Garbage Tickets	2,733.64 12,182.75		
Total Garbage Collection	14,916.39		14,000
Regional District	56,217.00		56,217
Sale of Commodities	180.00		55,211
otal Income	74,909.64	-	73,717
xpense			
Admin—DIRA Insurance	520.00		520
Composters Purchased	885.94		
Construction/Repairs	887.09		1,500
Garbage Collection Costs			
Pickup on Denman	25,500.00	(30,1	35)
Tipping Fee at C.V. Landfill	3,566.00	(4,2	50)
<b>Total Garbage Collection Costs</b>	29,066.00		34,385
GST Paid	763.58		
HST Paid	1,858.73		
Office Expenses			
Advertising	518.33	(loan repayment)	4,000
Bookkeeping	2,015.25	(traffic control)	250
Copying/Typing/Stationery	105.24	CHECKSTON: TEMPOTO BAD:	
Subscriptions, Dues	185.00		
Telephone, Fax, Postage	116.50		
Total Office Expenses	2,940.32		3,500
Other Miscellaneous Costs Payroll	335.00		
Benefits (Employer - CPP/EI)	449.21		650
Wages (Employee – CPP/Ei/Tax)	10,232.04		11,420
WCB – Work Safe BC Premiums	50.47		0.076/0000
Total Payroll	10,731.72		12,070
Recycling			
Equipment Rental	1,259.44		
Hauling Recyclables	4,737.67		
Total Recycling	5,997.11		9,144
Rent	6,348.00		6,348
Supplies/Maintenance/Equipment	1,569.22		2,000
Workshops/Conferences	403.00		57/5755
otal Expense	62,305.71	-	73,717
et Ordinary Income	12,803.93		

### 2 Waste Management

### COMPARISON OF BALANCE SHEET BOTTOM LINES / 2001—2010

2010 -- \$16,193

2009 -- \$6,549

2008 -- \$4,319

2007 -- \$12,126

2006 -- \$13,930

2005 -- \$12,973

2004 -- \$19,003

2003 -- \$20,498

2002 -- \$17,570

2001 -- \$9,687

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### Bottle Depot - Denman Island - D.I.R.A Profit & Loss

January through December 2010

	Jan - Dec 10
Ordinary Income/Expense	
Income	
15% Commission on B.Donations	1,138.49
Dairy Handling-ENCORP	643.00
Donations (WMC Container Bin)	2.916.85
Handling Fees-ENCORP	5,390.63
Presence Grant	7,200.00
Refundables-Alcoholic-CRC	19,397.00
Refundables-Non-Alcoh-ENCORP	8,155.40
Total Income	44,841.37
Expense	
Administration	
Advertising	286.67
Bookkeeping	1,807.75
Cheque Order	96.95
Copies/Fax/Stationery	89.26
Postage	36.08
Total Administration	2,316.71
Payroll	
Benefits (CPP, EI, Taxes)	504.70
Wages	12,035.87
WCB - WorkSafe BC	55.71
Total Payroll	12,596.28
Refundables	
Bottle Donations at Long Table	3,820.15
Non Profit Donations	5,529.55
Paid In Cash	19,475.70
Total Refundables	28,825.40
Rent	792.00
Supplies	-134.05
Total Expense	44,396.34
Net Ordinary Income	445.03
et Income	445.03

### Denman WORKS! 2009/2010 Financial Actuals

	2009	2010
Denman/Hornby Economic Development Service		
Tax Requisition	117,976	117,976
Prior Year Surplus	38,039	_70,106
Total Funds	156,015	188,082
Expenditure		
CVRD Management, Legal, Ads	8,353	12,034
Community Services Liaison	44,112	46,425
Meetings		483
Advertising		873
Travel		342
Denman Island Projects		
Community Grants		22,940
Resource Centre Staff		5,000
Seniors' Hall/Resource Centre Rent	2,475	4,400
Office Supplies		840

Overview of All Components Comprising the Denman Island Volunteer Fire Department's 2010 Budget From: CVRD Financial Management Report - January, 2011

Account Code	Description	Details	2010 Budget
01-1-215-200	01-1-215-200 Support Services	CVRD Administrative costs	\$2,521
01-1-215-210	01-1-215-210 Grant - Operational	DIVFD Operating budget	\$100,050
01-1-215-220	01-1-215-220 Salaries and Wages	Fire Chief Salary + part of CVRD staff salaries *	\$27,702
01-1-215-225	Benefits	Salary benefits related to CVRD salaries in 220 (above)**	\$4,280
01-1-215-238	WCB	WCB premiums for 220 (above) + DI Firefighters	\$291
01-1-215-275	Licenses/Permits	Fees for DIVFD base station radio and portables	\$800
01-1-215-369	Insurance - Liability	Liability insurance premium - Denman Island Firehall	\$2,779
01-1-215-372	Insurance - Property	Property damage insurance premium - Firehall	\$1,044
01-1-215-381	Legal fees	Contingency fund for future legal services	\$1,000
01-1-215-387	Other professional fees	Consultants - various CVRD fire service projects	\$2,000
01-1-215-461	Insurance/License - Vehicles	Insurance premiums for DIVFD vehicles	\$4,197
01-1-215-468	Minor Capital	CVRD fire service-wide records management program	\$7,000
01-1-215-485	Contribution to Capital Works, 01-1-215-485 Machinery Equipment Reserve	Accumulating fund for major capital purchases for DIVFD (Trucks, SCBA)	\$49,416
01-1-215-489	01-1-215-489 Reserve Contribution - Other	CVRD accumulating fund for legal contingencies	0\$
Denman Island Fire Total	d Fire Total		\$203,080
• Includes \$12,	• Includes \$12,000 Honorarium for D.I. Fire Chief	D.I. Fire Chief + a part of the salary for CVRD Manager of Fire Services	
** Benefits ac	** Benefits accrue to CVRD Staff only.		

### Statement of Financial Position As at December 31, 2010 (Unaudited - see Notice to Reader) Denman Island Volunteer Fire Department

es s payable and accruals ulated Surplus surplus	Assets	
ties  ties  nulated Surplus ig surplus	Surrent	
ties Its payable and accruals Inlated Surplus	Cash	7,153
rable and accruals  ted Surplus plus	Harmonized sales tax receivable	3,998
ted Surplus		11,151
ted Surplus	iabilities	
	Surrent	
	Accounts payable and accruals	2,000
	Accumulated Surplus	
	Operating surplus	9,151
		11,151
Approved on behalf of the Organization	Approved on behalf of the Organization	

Treasurer

Fire Chief

## Denman Island Volunteer Fire Department Statement of Operations and Accumulated Surplus For the year ended December 31, 2010

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Operating grant	100,050
Rentalincome	4,415
Donations Interest	510 8
	104,983
Fire protection services	800 a
Fire and rescue supplies	627
Frefahlers honoraria	28,830
First responder equipment and supplies	2,627
High angle rescue	1,113
Officers honoraria	3,60
Radio equipment repairs and maintenance	6,439
Recruitment and retention	3,82
Training and education	8,077
Tumout gear	10.17
Vehicle fuel	3,518
Vehicle repairs and maintenance	7,26
	83,300
Administrative services	
Building electricity	1,300
Building repairs and maintenance	3,60
Directors insurance	550
Dues	996
Firefighters insurance	4,515
Office	4,016
Professional fees	2,00
Telephone	2,27
	19.222
Total expenses	102,522
Operating surplus	2,461
Accumulated surplus, beginning of year	069.9
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### DENMAN ISLAND OLD SCHOOL CENTRE

### SCHEDULE OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES To December 31, 2010

INCOME Rents	- Regular - Transient			0,636.00 735.00	BUDGET 10,854.00 300.00
Market Income Bank Interest			<u></u>	1,371.00 1,074.00 219.49 <b>2,664.49</b>	11,154.00 1,200.00 200.00 12,554.00
EXPENSES					
BC Hydro			\$	1,054.15	1,200.00
Heat			•	1,853.13	2,800.00
Insurance				3,376.00	3.500.00
Repairs/Upgrades				1,839.45	554.00
Maintenance	Supplies, labour			1,427.59	1,700.00
Taxes Paid	HST	185.9	2	1,427.55	1,700.00
Taxes Faid	GST	162.1			
	PST	184.0	1070	532.12	
	P31	104.0	<u> </u>	532.12	
Market Expenses	Duplication, postage	в			
	Signs	52.0	00		
	Traffic calming	261.0			
	Advertising	373.8	36		
	Insurance	100.0		786.86	1,200.00
Office expenses	Postage, fax	6.7	70		
Office experises	Duplication, typing	9.0			
		96.9			
	Cheque Order	(20)20.00	(23)	131.55	100.00
Continuous	Advertising	18.9	90	131.55	
Contingency			1	1,000.85	1,500.00 12,554.00
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Surplus			\$	1,663.64	
Balance of a/c January	1, 2010	Chequing	1,524.48		
		Shares	61.14		
		Petty Cash	24.71		
		Term Deposit	20,812.73		
		Rents Rec'ble	1,492.00		
		Loan Rec'ble	3,000.00		
				110-08 -0	15.06
plus Surplus				1,6	63.64
				\$28,5	78.70
Balance of a/c Decemb	per 31, 2010	Chequing	3,932.31		
	1	Shares	63.92		
		Petty Cash	23.03		
		Term Deposit	27,029.44		
		ts Receivable	1,267.00		
		rance Pay'ble	(3,476.00)		
		ontrol Pay'ble	(261.00)		
	Traine C	ondor ay bic	(201.00)	6 20 5	70 70

\$ 28,578.70

### Attachment #8 – Denman Island Community Dock Report

### DENMAN ISLAND COMMUNITY DOCK Project Activity to March 31, 2011

### Funds received:

Original grant	\$1,965	
DFO - Divestment	75,000	
Grant in Aid	1,000	
Recreation Grant	750	
Fund Raising	13,910	
Interest earned Grant funds - based on expenses submitted	841	
(includes in-kind supplies and labour)	94,989	188,455

### Funds disbursed:

### Supplies:

	Denman Hardware	\$25		
	Little City Signs	59		
	Andrew Sheret	20		
	A.J. Forsyth	3,432	_ 3,536	
Bank cl	harges		54	
	ercial Liability Insurance a & Blake - 50% deposit for 4 ys		1,000	
Jonic H dock	and 2 ramp assemblies loldings - initial deposit on floating		35,348	
	assembly		45,000	84,937

### **DIRA Sub-Account for Dock Project,**

Balance as at March 31, 2011 \_\_\_\_**\$103,518** 

### Attachment #9 - Parks Committee March / April Report

**Activity Report of the Parks Committee to DIRA (PC)** 

March/April, 2011,

Submitted by P. Karsten

Includes summary notes from the GM of DIRA, and meetings with ERA March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2011:

### Morning Beach Park.

Onsite Engineering Ltd, was contracted by the CVRD to develop the design package for the viewing platform, trail and stair case and a geo-technical report assessing the substrate of the site. Jeremy Araki (Onsite) and Brian Allaert (CVRD) made a presentation to DIRA on March 14<sup>th</sup> on the above project. The Quadra sand bluff has unfavourable characteristics for a permanent structure. Slippage of the sand face and wave action erosion at the shore line will affect the stability of the slope and any structure placed on it. The design plan accommodates this by creating independent units which can be adjusted and or replaced if necessary. Stair runs will be inter-connected by flexible joints similar to marina ramps to absorb movement. Metal grating will be fixed to the surface of the wooden stairs.

There will be 5 units of wooden stairs (approximately 100 feet in total); 25 feet of edged gravel trials on the more horizontal sections and a 25 foot ramp over damaged tree roots. At the shore large trunks of drift wood will be anchored by "dead men" with steps carved into them. An approach is taken to make the structures simple to be maintained by volunteers with basic carpentry skills and to invest as little as practical in the capital cost. Onsite presented a preliminary cost estimates for materials. Using treated wood \$10,449, or Western red cedar \$17,067; milling cost if logs are donated \$4,968. Peter Karsten noted that donations of cedar logs have been indicated and that much of the site preparation, trail work, delivery of materials to the site can be done by volunteers. The wooden stair case section would be done under contract. Feedback from the meeting underscored the interest to use untreated wood. One member asked if the project should be abandoned due to the unstable slope. Brian Allaert and Peter Karsten responded that the community had given direction to pursue the project. The trail can be made safe and the budget is in place to carry out the project. Continued use, which is unpreventable, will cause severe erosion problems and safety/liability concerns, which are greater risks than the uncertainty of the longevity of the structures. Development permits have been applied and the DFO is consulted. The design concept will be sent out for referrals to various agencies involved in parks.

Construction may commence early summer. The PC will make monthly reports on the progress.

The PC has placed a park entry sign and replaced the chain barrier with a more appropriate split rail fence to close the rope tail until it is open for use again.

### Attachment #9 - Parks Committee March / April Report - continued

### **Ecosystem Restoration Associates Inc.**

John Block and Jennifer Holland of Ecosystem Restoration Associates Inc. made a presentation to a group of stake holders representing various organizations, groups, and committees involved and interested in parks at 3 pm at the Seniors' Lounge, Seniors' Center and again at the DIRA meeting at 7:30 pm Community Hall.

In summary ERA introduced the concept of forestry carbon offsets to mitigate greenhouse gas emissions from the atmosphere. ERA secures lands for forest conservation for "carbon finance". ERA holds a conservation covenant for 100 years on the NDL, the 492 ha transferred to BC Parks. Their participation made the acquisition of the lands possible.

Conditions include: no subdivision, buildings or structures, roads or paths, alterations or interference with hydrology, tree removal, mining, petroleum product extractions, garbage and non native soil deposits or application of herbicides or fungicides that are allowed to have deleterious impact on the natural, environmental, wildlife, plant life or ecological values or tree biomass of the land. Over the life of the covenant

1% of the trees can be removed for park infrastructure or checker spot habitat management. If greater than 1% is removed the tree biomass lost must accrue to the covenant on or off island.

The conditions allow for conservation and recreation activities and add another layer of protection of the ecosystem beyond BC Parks policies.

ERA answered a number of questions including the aspect of voluntary and compliant emission reductions, the history and structure of their public company and the method of quantifying carbon storage. Other than one comment that the project may lend an excuse to polluters elsewhere, the community was supportive to the conditions and the effect the covenant has for the new park. ERA has submitted a meeting report which outlines the concept of carbon offsets to the community (on file with PC DIRA and Dora Drinkwater Library and attached).

### Definition of "Passive Recreation" in LUB 186 for Denman Island

Trustee David Graham advised that the definition to be presented to the community in proposed bylaw 200 now reads: *Passive recreation* means non-motorized outdoor leisure activities which can be carried out with a minimal impact to the natural environment including but not limited to hiking, picnicking, horseback riding and bicycling.

### **Attachment #10 - Parks Committee Annual Report**

### Annual report to DIRA to the AGM April 11, .2011 By the Parks Committee (PC) of DIRA

The PC was created in January 2009. The terms of reference (TOR) were approved by DIRA on June 8, 2009. The PC held 22 Committee Meetings since then.

The PC meets on the first Wednesday each month at 1 pm at the Firehall.

The Parks Committee has 15 members.

**Current Members:** 

Jenny Balke

Neil Bockman

David Chritchley (Liaison Crown Land Committee)

Graeme Johnston

Peter Karsten (Co-Chair)

Hamish Kimmins

Ralph McCuaig (Liaison Trails Committee)

Jackie Picket

Laura Pope (Co-Chair)

Andrew Scruton

Charlie Tait

Jay Thornton (Liaison Denman Conservancy Association)

Ted Trueman

Doug Ward (Adopt-a-Park program)

Max Wedges (DIRA Exec. liaison)

### PC Projects April 2010 to April 2011.:

### Stanehill Park.

A community park, the Stanehill Park, was approved by the CVRD and DIRA in March 2010. A trail system, introduction of 30 native plants species, signage and an education program were completed by the fall of 2010. The park is maintained by volunteers.

### Morning Beach Park.

The CVRD accepted the donation of the 1.2 ha park February 23, 2010. The PC worked with the CFRD park planners on the park design and the development of a safe trail leading from the bluff to the shore (former rope trail). Trail work started and park sign was provided by the PC. The PC is pursuing the placement of plant identification and trail guide literature. PC assisted the CVRD in consultation process with the community re the construction of the staircase and participated in the selection of the design consultant. The design package by Onsite Engineering Ltd. has been reviewed by the PC and engineers/architects residing on Denman Island.

### Parks and Greenway Masterplan

The PC assisted Landworks Consultants Inc. in gathering information on green spaces and parks on Denman and helped facilitate public information and feed-back meetings.

### **Graham Lake Swim Dock**

In June, the PC made presentations to DIRA to organized a Swim dock committee to repair and manage the swim dock as a community/volunteer operated facility under the chairmanship of Doug Bell.

### Attachment #10 - Parks Committee Annual Report - continued

### **BC Parks**

The PC liaised with the Ministry of Environment, Parks and Protected Areas to organize an advisory body to assist wit the establishment of Provincial Parks, their designation and naming. A Parks Liaison Group was formed in November 2010, chaired by Jack Forsyth.

### Ecosystem Restoration Associates Inc.(ERA)

The PC facilitated public information and feedback meetings for ERA.

### OCP review of section E3 Conservation/recreation.

The PC participated in the APC referral process and provided input to the OCP regarding the definition of Recreation.

The PC expresses sincere gratitude to the DIRA Executive and Membership, CVRD staff and the MoE staff for the continued support to advance the PC's endeavours to enhance and maintain parks on the Island.

Submitted by Peter Karsten, Chair, DIPC