

Board Highlights

September 2025

Delegations:

Des Nobels provided an update to the Board concerning the Groundfish Development Authority and recommendations for the allocation of groundfish development quota for the 2025/2026 season. The Board asked questions and Mr. Nobels responded accordingly. The Chair of the Board thanked the delegation.

Board Business:

- 1. The Board resolved to have members of the Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities Executive Committee attend its meeting with Minister Bailey to discuss the removal of the B.C. Port Tax Cap at the 2025 Annual UBCM Convention.
- 2. In accordance with updated legislation, the Board resolved to appoint the Office of the Fire Commissioner as the fire inspectors and fire investigators for the electoral areas of the North Coast Regional District.
- 3. The Board received reporting confirming its slate of meetings with Ministers and Ministerial staff while attending the 2025 Annual UBCM Convention in Victoria, B.C. from September 20th to 24th.
- 4. The Board resolved to adopt and amend three corporate policies including its Purchasing Policy, Corporate Card Policy, and newly adopted Administrative Error Corrections Policy.
- 5. The Board approved a 2025 Business Façade Application for Moresby Explorers Ltd. in the amount of \$4,000.
- 6. The Board passed first reading to Bylaws 7.3 and 7.4, 2025, being bylaws to amend the Moresby Island Official Community Plan Bylaw. A public hearing on the proposed bylaws has been scheduled for October 15th, 2025, at 7:00 p.m. at the Sandspit Community Hall.
- 7. The Board resolved to coordinate with the City of Prince Rupert on advocacy efforts related to reestablishing the Alaska State Ferry terminal in Prince Rupert, B.C.
- 8. The Board reappointed members to the Haida Gwaii Accessibility Committee.

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