

McBride Community Forest Corporation Minutes of the Board of Directors' Meeting Wednesday, June 11, 2025 – 3:00 p.m.

In Attendance: Chair Mike Monroe, Director Warren McLennan, Director Joe Kolida, GM Craig Pryor

Via Zoom: Director Terry Kuzma

Late attendance: n/a Public/Press: n/a

Chair Monroe called the MEETING TO ORDER at 2:59pm.

1. Introduction of Late Items: none

2. Approval of Agenda: Director McLennan, second Director Kolida

3. Reading and approval of minutes: Director McLennan, second Director Kolida

4. Manager's Report: accepted.

5. Financial Report: accepted.

6. OLD

- **A)** Limited Partnership DLA Piper to remove Bare Trust and forward to Village of McBride. Request an 'information only' meeting with Council. Have KPMG put together a 10-minute PowerPoint presentation with an overview photo to simplify.
- B) Procurement Policy Fix SAFE certification requirement in policy to include all contractors that work in the field, not just where it relates to harvesting. Director Terry Kuzma: Motion to include all contractors in the requirements for SAFE certification. This includes all forestry contractors performing field work. Second Director Warren McLennan. All in favor. An Expression of Interest posting does not determine eligibility as a contractor for MCF. A GSA is required to be eligible for contract, and SAFE certification is now a requirement for a GSA. MCFC needs to be listed on all insurance policies held by contractors. Action item MCFC needs to apply for and maintain SAFE certification.

7. <u>NEW</u>

8. Correspondence:

- **9.** Motion to recess the regular BOD meetings and go in-camera under Labour, Law, Freedom of Information and 3rd party information. Director McLennan at 3:48 pm.
- 10. Motion to adjourn regular BOD meeting. Director McLennan. Meeting adjourned at 4:25 pm.

Next Regular Meeting: July 9, 2025, 3:00pm

Next Special Meeting: