AREA D PARKS COMMISSION Minutes of October 20, 2014 Cowichan Estuary Nature Centre

Call to order: 6:40pm Present: Kerrie Talbot, Dave Nisbet, Director Lori Iannidinardo, Bruce Clarke, Steve Garnett, Roger Southern Regrets: Cheryl Delbridge

Approval of Agenda: **Moved and Carried** Approval of previous minutes: **Moved and Carried**

Business arising from minutes: Clarification re: correspondence from Cheryl Delbridge noting that no indication of donation from Peter and Brigitte Miller was indicated in proposed budget. The donation was in fact received and place in reserve fund and available only for use on Wilmot Rd. trail as per the Millers' request.

Reports: South Cowichan Parks Commission

Bright Angel Park – Improvements are on track and generally well received. Children's exercise equipment is currently being installed.

Mill Bay Historic Church – CVRD staff recommend wheelchair ramp be installed on south side of church (option 3) as the most inclusive and least disruptive of pedestrian and parking issues.

Wilmot Rd. off road trail: Hedge between Vee and Pavenham Rd. to be trimmed back to trunks by Oct. 21. Work to be done by MoTI.

Botwood Lane: No new information. Action: Kerrie to contact Guy Johnston

Kennedy Lane: No new information. Action: Kerrie to contact Ryan Dias re: reconfiguration of steps

Hof Trail: Tree cutting apparently occurred on private property. Confusion due to lack of clearly marked park boundaries.

Pritchard / Wessex Ravine Trail: CVRD Parks staff currently drawing plan for trail route

Lanes Rd. Trail: Action: Kerrie to follow up with CVRD Parks staff re: status of trail

Adjourn: 7:40 pm Next meeting: November 17/14 6:30pm @ CENC