

**GNA Directors Meeting –Sept. 8, 2021 at 3:00pm  
at 359 Richmond Ave**

**Attendees:** Lynn Phillips (via telephone), Hector Bussiere, Susanne Rautio, and Alan Dibb

**Guest:** Thomas Lacey

**Meeting called to order at 3:15 pm.**

*Motion to approve agenda by Allan; seconded by Hector, approved.*

**1. Approval of previous meeting minutes:**

*Motion by Lynn to adopt July 14 minutes; seconded by Hector, approved.*

**2. Treasurer's report:**

Lynn reported there is \$3552.17 in the bank.

**3. Membership report:**

Susanne reported that there are 326 members, supporters and subscribers

**4. Guest - Thomas Lacey**

**Thomas** resides on Fairfield road and has noticed a significant increase in the number of cars now that Richardson road has been closed to through traffic. He contacted the city asking for a stop sign at Fairfield and Richmond and was declined. He also asked for the speed limit in front of Margaret Jenkins school be posted at 30 km at all times; not just when school is in. The city also declined. Thomas approached the GNA board to request that a letter be sent to the city asking for a reduction in vehicle speeds to 30 km/hr from Richmond to Foul Bay on Fairfield Road. **Lynn to draft a letter for review by the board prior to it being sent to the city. Discussion ensued as to the opportunity to have a speed reader installed at school - to be discussed at next board meeting.**

**5. Mapping Project update:**

Lynn reported that Staples will give us a good deal for printing 2000 maps; one for every household in Gonzales which will be less than the amount of money we have in the bank. This means that the GNA will not have to fundraise to get the map printed. **Alan and Susanne continue to work on map.**

**6. Letter of support for GNA**

**Lynn to prepare a form letter to be on the GNA website to facilitate the ability for people to send a letter to council regarding the separation of Gonzales from the Fairfield Gonzales Community Association.**

**7. VTAG - Victoria Together Against Graffiti follow up**

2 of the 5 kits being stored at St Jean Baptiste are being used by Gonzales neighbours

**8. Bulletin board for Gonzales Beach**

As Robin was not at the board meeting this issue will be deferred to the next board meeting.

**9. Next board meeting date.**

Next board meeting will be Wednesday, October 13.

*Motion by Susanne to adjourn the meeting; seconded by Hector, approved*

**Meeting adjourned at 4:00 pm.**