



**VILLAGE OF SAYWARD
MINUTES
PUBLIC HEARING
May 26, 2019
KELSEY CENTRE GYMNASIUM**

Present: Mayor John MacDonald
Councillor Joyce Ellis
Councillor Bill Ives
Councillor Wes Cragg

In Attendance: Lisa Clark, Chief Financial Officer

1. Call to Order

Meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

2. Purpose of Meeting

- a) Bylaw No. 446, 2019 Off Road Vehicle (ORV) Regulation Bylaw which would regulate the use of off-road vehicles in the Village of Sayward.

3. Public Input

a) Summary of Correspondence:

- Comment sheet received on May 26, 2019 from Sue Poulsen, 110 Dyer Drive, Sayward expressing concern about the proposed Bylaw, citing traffic flow, parking and village road access.
- Letter received May 26, 2019 from Darryl and Jackie Lyons, 291 Ambleside Drive, Sayward expressing opposition to the proposed Bylaw, citing campsite parking, village road misuse, noise, and safety concerns.
- E-mail received May 26, 2019 from Dan and Linda Fear, representing Kelsey Bay RV Campground, 23 Sayward Road, expressing opposition to the proposed Bylaw, citing noise concerns.
- Speaking notes received May 26, 2019 from Karren McClinton, 281 Ambleside Drive, expressing support for the proposed Bylaw, citing increased tourism opportunities.

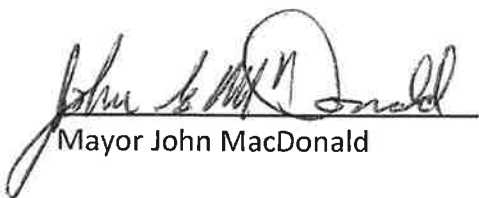
b) Summary of Speakers:

- Sue Poulsen, 110 Dyer Drive, Sayward expressed opposition to the proposed Bylaw, citing concern regarding narrow roadways, little collaboration between the ATV club and BC Rec Sites & Trails, and forest fire risk.

- Irene Callahan, 230 Kelsey Way, Sayward, expressed opposition to the proposed Bylaw as the designated route goes past her property.
- Mark Baker, 131 Seaview Street, Sayward, expressed support for the proposed Bylaw, citing increased Economic Development.
- Cpl. Kim Graham, representing the Sayward RCMP, expressed concern for the proposed Bylaw, citing safety concerns with the route going past the school, potential access issues for emergency vehicles, and enforcement of the Bylaw without a ticketing Bylaw.
- Nancy Critchley, representing Straits View Café, 40 Sayward Road, Sayward, expressed support for the proposed Bylaw, citing economic benefits to businesses and increased tourism to the area.
- Debbie Coates, 211-611 MacMillan Drive, Sayward, expressed overall support for the proposed Bylaw, citing responsible ORV users.
- Gregory Sidoruk, 230 Spar Street, Sayward, expressed support for the proposed Bylaw citing his desire to open a B & B for OVR users to utilize.

4. Adjournment

The Public Hearing adjourned at 8:00 PM



Mayor John MacDonald



Chief Administrative Officer

**PUBLIC HEARING
SIGN IN SHEET**

May 26, 2019 at 7:00pm
at the Kelsey Recreation Centre, 652 H'Kusam Way, Sayward, BC
regarding:

BY-LAW No. 446 2019, OFF ROAD VEHICLE (ORV) REGULATION BY-LAW

Name	Company and/or address	X box to speak/ comment	Signature
Janett Hoare	161 BALSAM		Janett Hoare
Sue Poulsen	110 Byer Drive	X	S Poulsen
Diane Mason	501 MacMillan		Diane
Karren McClinton	281 Ambleside Dr		Karren McClinton
Irene Callagh	230 Kelsey Way	X	Irene Callagh
Tina Whitbread	141 Seaview St		Tina
Kim Graham	141 Seaview St		kg.
Alcoates	211-611 MacMillan	X	Alcoates.
Gregory Sidork	230 Spar St.		Greg
Mark Baker	131 Seaview St	X	Mark
Nancy Critchley	#40 Sayward Rd.		Nancy Critchley

PUBLIC HEARING
SPEAKERS LIST

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Name	✓
Sue Povisen	✓
Irene Callaghan	✓
Karen McClinton	✓
Mark Baker	✓
Kim Graham	✓
Nancy Critchley	✓
Debbie Coates	✓
Gregory Storik	✓✓
	✓

PUBLIC HEARING
COMMENT SHEET

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regarding:

BY-LAW No. 446 2019, OFF ROAD VEHICLE (ORV) REGULATION BY-LAW

Please use this sheet to provide your comments and suggestions regarding the By-Law indicated above.
All comments will be included in the public record of this Hearing and will be considered by Council in
the decision-making process for the proposed By-Law.

Name:

Sue Poulsen

Company and/or address:

110 Dyer Drive Sayward BC VOP IRO

Comments:

? - Kelsey Way
ATVS - all ATVs to have village
road access OR CR ATV.

? Is this bylaw collaborated with
CR ATV. & Rec Sites + Trails

At our SFS mtg
- Traffic Flow ? Logging Rd
- Parking

Get more info

SFS -

Thowlis - fire - today
Cannot be regulated

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Submission by Darryl and Jackie Lyons
291 Ambleside Drive
Sayward BC Ph.250 282 3728

Re. Public Hearing/Input for by-law No.446 2019
Off Road Vehicle [ORV] Reg.Bylaw

Re, Parking of trucks and trailers , used for transport of ATV,to village.

This bylaw allowing the use of ATV,s in the village is suppose to be beneficial to us here.

It has been mention by the Mayor at a meeting that the ATV owners who come here can park their trucks and trailers in the campgrounds,both the village one and the one at the cafe near the wharf.

If the Atv,ers come just for the day . Arriving at nine and going home after supper .. are we going to allow them to park in our campsites and take up space that a camper may come along and want .. having to pay for a nights camping .where as the sportsman will not pay for the day use.???

Over the past five years we have not noticed a lot of campers but there might be a time.

How many of them are going to be up the M branch road and find themselves coming out up near the top of Ambleside and having to come down the road to get back on the main route.

You may say the trail for them are mapped out ..but the reality is ..there are always those who do not follow the rules.. and by the time we call the Police to the matter they are long gone and probably something minor the Police

would rather not deal with as they have more important things to do.

The noise will continue to be heard as they make there way down Kelsey Road.

What about all the young kids and children who play on the road area by the field and playground , right in the center of this all. This whole idea is NOT going to bring in the tourism you all think and no money to the village .but will cause grief.

As far as we are concerned, we are NOT in favour of the by-law that would allow ATV's in the village.

Thank You, Jackie and Darryl Lyons

Jackie Lyons & Darryl Lyons

Lisa Clark

From: Linda Fear <lfear@saywardvalley.net>
Sent: May 26, 2019 4:16 PM
To: Lisa Clark
Subject: ATV

Mayor and Council,

This email is in response to councillor Bill Ives visit this morning regarding ATVs in our area.

We are not in favor of this bylaw. Our clientele are older folks looking for piece and quiet not noisy ATVs!

Dan and Linda Fear
Kelsey Bay RV Campground

ATV

Karren McClinton 281,

Let's be open to allowing ATV's into our community. We want more tourism to support the town. If it becomes an issue, we can stop it or change it.