

Maple Ridge Modular

Community Advisory Committee

Meeting Minutes - Thursday, August 8th, 2019

Maple Ridge Public Library, Alouette Room - 3pm to 4pm

Representatives in attendance:

- Rosewood Cottages
- Fraser Health, Mental Health & Substance Use (via phone)
- Open Door Church
- CEED Centre
- Coast Mental Health

Review of last meeting's minutes:

Minutes from the June 6th, 2019 meeting were reviewed by the committee and approved by CEED Centre and a community representative.

| Agenda Item | <u>Discussion</u> | Follow-up |
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| Garibaldi Ridge | Coast Mental Health provided an update on getting the building tenanted: > 51 homes will be provided > Meeting with applicants for the site and meet community agencies to review applicants > Plan to start to house people around September 12th. | |
| Review of Neighbourhood Feedback | Reviewed a few incidents that occurred via Rosewood, at times there is still an issue with tenants on the west side of the building and activity in the Rosewood parking lot CAC members: Discussed donations that can be offered by the community for tenants at MRM and other sites if needed. Some ideas were around supplies for new tenants moving in and for Garibaldi Ridge clients | Review with staff at MRM Have staff at Rosewood call RCMP and MRM staff can support. CMH to connect with program managers for donations. |
| Program Report | BBQ held on June 15th and had approximately 72 people attend. Sprott Shaw volunteered and had some neighbours come out to support. Staff and some tenants have done some block walks around the community to check in with people loitering in the area. Has helped with dispersing some people New Breakfast Program added to the employment program. One resident completed Food Safe and is working a few days a week serving breakfast. Tenant supports in setting up Food Bank for co-tenants and ensure food is distributed equally. | |

| | Some new program offered, including support from Katzie First Nations for a Book Club, free haircuts, and wellness group. | |
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| Next meeting | Next Meeting: Proposed for October 10th, and to be held at Alouette Room | |