Animal Welfare Advisory Committee Report

The 8th Meeting of the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee September 2, 2021

Advisory Committee Virtual Meeting - during the COVID-19 Emergency

Attendance

PRESENT: W. Brown (Chair), M. Blosh, A. Hames, P. Lystar, and M. Toplack; A. Pascual (Committee Clerk).

ALSO PRESENT: O. Katolyk, M. McBride, and M. Schulthess.

The meeting was called to order at 5:02 PM; it being noted that the following members were in remote attendance: M. Blosh, W.

Brown, A. Hames, P. Lystar, and M. Toplack.

1. Call to Order

1.1 Disclosures of Pecuniary Interest

That it BE NOTED that no pecuniary interests were disclosed.

2. Consent

2.1 7th Report of the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee

That it BE NOTED that the 7th Report of the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee, from its meeting held on August 5, 2021, was received.

3. Sub-Committees and Working Groups

3.1 Sub-Committee Update

That it BE NOTED that the verbal update from W. Brown with respect to the Sub-Committee Update, was received.

4. Items for Discussion

4.1 Sub-Committee Report - Fireworks and Impacts on Wildlife and Pets

That the matter with respect to Fireworks and Impacts on Wildlife and Pets BE REFERRED to a Sub-Committee for further consideration.

4.2 Educational Materials on Impacts of Fishing Hooks and Line - RESUBMITTED

That the matter with respect to Educational Materials on Impacts of Fishing Hooks and Line BE REFERRED to a Sub-Committee;

it being noted that the communication as appended to the Added Agenda, with respect to the AWAC Recommendations, was received.

4.3 AWAC Budget - RESUBMITTED

That the matter with respect to the AWAC Budget BE REFERRED to a Sub-Committee.

4.4 Mobile Zoos

That the matter with respect to Mobile Zoos BE REFERRED to a Sub-Committee;

it being noted that the communication as appended to the Added Agenda, with respect to the Reptilia Zoo, was received.

5. Adjournment

The meeting adjourned at 6:08 PM.