

NOCA Board Meeting Minutes

September 15, 2025

In attendance: Joy Adams Bauer, Barbara Schreiber, Alan Drexhage, Twila Konynenbelt

Regrets: Shelley Serebrin, Basia Henoach, Brian Booth, Mayta Ryn,

President Joy Adams Bauer called the meeting to order at 7pm.

The **Agenda**, as circulated, was approved on a motion by Twila and seconded by Joy.

The minutes of the August 18, 2025 meeting as circulated, were approved on a motion by Alan and seconded by Barb.

Treasurer's Report – We have \$4,195.92 in the bank. No activity since the last Board meeting.

AGM planning – St. Andrew's Church has been booked for Tuesday, October 21. **Please be there by 6 pm to help set up.** Planner Kristine from the city will bring the PA system and set it up. Our guest speaker is a representative from the traffic department, City of Nanaimo. Joy will create the poster and ask Ian Knipe to organize the drop. Joy will send out two e-blasts and post the information on our website.

Machleary and Campbell intersection – Joy and Mike Muir are meeting again in mid-October with the city representatives to talk about the suggested artwork and to set a date for the open house for the neighbourhood. The PAC at Ecole Pauline Haraar will spread the word to parents. Still waiting for the installation of the bollards.

For the good of our community – Twila reported on a very successful gathering and potluck in the alley for the "Mackennedy" Block Watch. Stencils are being added to fences in the alley and regular cleanups happen. And there was a recent music night in one of the backyards. Many great things happening!

Don't forget to support local businesses. "Deni's Dynamite Deals" on Bruce Avenue gives lots back to the community.

Meeting Adjourned at 7:45 pm.

Next Meeting: AGM, Tuesday, October 21 at St. Andrew's Church. Arrive at 6 pm to help set up.