

Mayor's Report 2_2_2023

Correspondence to the Assembly – Finding a Solution

I appreciate the correspondence we've received about publishing correspondence in the Assembly packet and wanted everyone to know that we are listening and discussing options. It makes sense for this topic to go to a committee with the intent to develop a plan that satisfies legal concerns while making correspondence available in Assembly Meeting packets. My suggestion is for Civic Affairs to add this topic to their next agenda so that a viable solution can swiftly come to the Assembly table for ratification.

Ferry Terminal Feasibility Study

I support approval of this study proposal. Community members have spoken out with concerns about the viability of this project and this study will answer those questions. It's hard to imagine that any local resident would oppose a project that increases our usable waterfront by 40 percent but this is the first logical step to answer whether moving the ferry terminal is logistically possible.

Mineral Roundup Conference in Vancouver

Last week, I attended this conference and went to a series of meetings including port stakeholders (AIDEA, Minto Mine, Sumitomo Metal Mining) and Yukon Government officials. I feel like this was one of the best conferences I've been to over the past couple of years. It was informative and the Skagway team enjoyed multiple productive meetings. I'm highly encouraged by our ongoing relationship with the Yukon Government and am hopeful that we can reach an agreement on port infrastructure development.

- Andrew Cremata