

## GWAII TRUST SOCIETY DECISION RECORD

Haida Parity Allocation
July 23<sup>rd</sup> 2011
#11-0544

## **DECISION TAKEN**

Members Present:

The Gwaii Trust Board of Directors reviewed the 1 application under the Haida Parity program and after discussion the Gwaii Trust Board of Directors made a motion to approve the 1 application with the following conditions:

ApplicantProjectAmount ApprovedConditionsOMVCSalmon Enhancement Program\$492,963.00Subject to:

- 1) The GTS funding this project directly into the Bands Credit Union account and the Band's agreement to provide receipts as the funding is being drawn down from their own accounts as the project gets under way.
- 2) OMVC will provide a BCR prior to any fund distribution.

Certified as an official DECISION RECORD of the Gwaii Trust Society.

(a quorum consists of seven (7) members {or their Alternates} plus the Chair).		
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Attention: Errol Winter/Peter Lantin

To Whom It May Concern:

## Re/Haida Salmon Restoration project-HPP-Phase 2 amendment

As per our recent discussions please consider this as the Old Massett Village Council's (OMVC) request that the outstanding available Parity allocation for OMVC to date, \$492,963.00, be considered for approval.

By way of background, OMVC had originally applied to the Gwaii Trust Society (GTS) for \$2 million under the Haida Parity Program in April of 2011. The GTS approved the application, however reduced the amount to \$1,107,643.00. The reduction was in part due to a recommendation that the OMVC cash flow a portion of the project as opposed to borrowing and incurring additional costs. Upon further review it has become evident that while well intentioned, OMVC's desire to finance is based on more intrinsic factors than simple mathematics and base costs as initially understood by the GTS decisionning committee.

As of this writing in addition to the already approved \$1,107,643.00, OMVC has access to \$492,963.00 Parity dollars, up to and including Aug  $31^{st}$  2011. OMVC proposes to request these funds under a "Phase II" application (as represented by this document) the total of the two applications discussed above represents \$1,600,606.00 and is representative of 80% of the original ask.

A "Phase III" Parity application will be forwarded for the final 20% (or \$399,394.00) sometime in the fall of 2011, once GTS has set it's 2011/2012 Parity allocations.

Please find the attached BCR in support of Phase II of this application.

Approved funding may be forwarded directly to our Northern Savings Credit Union account: #606244 as approved.

Yours truly,

John Disney, Economic Development Officer.