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BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

STANLEY PARK

VANCOUVER, B. C.

November 13th 1936.

Mr. Timothy Moody,
Secretary,
Squamish Indian Reserve No. 1,
P.O. Box 2353,
North Vancouver, B. C.

Dear Sir:

re: Kitsilano Indian Reserve.

I beg to give hereunder the text of a resolution passed at the regular meeting of the Board of Park Commissioners yesterday:

"Whereas the present policy of the Park Board does not contemplate the immediate acquisition of title to the Kitsilano Indian Reserve but rather authority from the Provincial Government which has jurisdiction over the foreshore and authority from the Department of Indian Affairs, which has jurisdiction on behalf of the Indians over the uplands, to clean up and abate the eye-sore and health nuisance presently created by the debris, dumps and squatters;

BE IT RESOLVED : That the City Council be advised to this effect and so instruct their Parks and Boulevards Committee, and that the Squamish Tribe be advised by the Superintendent and the Board's position made clear to them, and the Committee of the Board presently working on the matter be instructed to proceed."

In further explanation, I would state that the policy of my Board for some time has been to secure authority from the two Governments to clean up and improve the Kitsilano Indian Reserve, and make it available for anyone who would like to picnic there, and also to police the area.

Yours truly,

"A.S. Wooton"

Superintendent.

ASW/EE

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