



## Order of the Day Quispamsis Town Council Regular Meeting Council Chambers, Quispamsis Town Hall

May 3, 2022, 7:00 pm

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- 13. Business Arising from Committee of the Whole
- 14. Adjournment

## Town of Quispamsis Treaty Acknowledgement/Moment of Reflection

We would like to respectfully acknowledge that Quispamsis exists on the traditional territory of the Wolastoqiyik (Wool-las-two-wi-ig), Maliseet (Mal-i-seet) and Mi'Kmaq (Mik-mak) people whose ancestors along Passamaquoddy Tribes signed Peace and Friendship Treaties with the British Crown in the 1700s.

We would like to take this moment to pay respect to the elders, past and present and the descendants of this traditional territory.

We would also like to take this moment to reflect on our solidarity and support for the people of Ukraine, acknowledging that Canada has the third largest Ukrainian population in the world, behind Ukraine itself and Russia.

And, may we remind ourselves of the important work we have before us tonight. May we make good decisions without prejudice or bias and always in the best interests of our community, which we are here to serve.

(March 2022)



**Final Presentation** 

Presented By: Trudy Parsons, Managing Director, Deloitte Canada Clark Hoskin, Senior Manager, Deloitte Canada (formerly MDB Insight) May 3, 2022

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#### **Agenda**

- Progress to date
  - Project Overview
  - Stakeholder feedback completed
- Final Presentation
  - Vision, Mission, and Guiding Principles
  - Strategic Themes, Goals and Objectives
  - Action Plan
  - Implementation and Performance Measurement



#### **Project Overview**

#### Phase 1: Project Initiation & Background Research (October – November 2021)

Launch Meeting

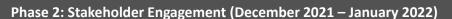
Project Charter & Workplan

Introductory Meeting with Council

Needs Assessment / Environmental Scan

Common Threads Analysis

Community Profile



Conversations with Council, Senior Management [15]

Front Line Staff Survey [31]

Workshop with Council #1

Business & Community Survey

Key Informant Interviews [14]



#### Phase 3: Moving Forward (February 2022)

SOARR Development

Input Summary Report

Council Input Session #2



#### Phase 4: Strategy Development (March - April 2022)

Draft Final Report (Mission, Vision, Guiding Principles)

Management Input Session

Council Input Session #3

Feedback from External Stakeholders

Final Submission

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#### Stakeholder Feedback

- Draft Town of Quispamsis Community Strategy document was circulated to the stakeholder interview subjects with a request for feedback
- Feedback was positive:
  - "Good set of Guiding Corporate Principles that will guide decision-making and prioritization"
  - "Strategic themes are strong, focused"
  - "Goals and Objectives are well laid out and measurable."
  - "I like how several sub plans like the Rec, Municipal Development, Transportation and Asset Management plans are to be clearly tied to the Strategic Plan"







- 31 front-line staff survey responses
- 568 community
   & business survey
   responses



Council and Management conversations

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## Mission Vision Guiding Principles





#### Mission Statement for the Town of Quispamsis:

Council, management, and staff collectively provide community-focused service excellence and a forward-thinking commitment to sustainable growth, responsible governance, and engaged, connected residents..



#### Vision Statement for the Town of Quispamsis:

Quispamsis is proud to be a vibrant, active community surrounded by natural beauty, offering a quality of life driven by exceptional services, amenities, and programs.



#### **Guiding Principles for the Town of Quispamsis:**

Transparency and Integrity

 We are open and honest in all our transactions, acting ethically with integrity and respect

Informed Decision Making

 Our decisions are influenced and informed through evidence-driven and legislative considerations

**Equity and Inclusion** 

• We foster a sense of belonging, acceptance, and inclusion for all

Service Excellence

• We strive to be responsive, community-focused, with a commitment to continuous improvement

Fiscal Responsibility

• We lead with good governance ensuring efficiencies and fiscal prudence

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#### **Strategic Themes**

Infrastructure Management Commitment to Community

Economic Development Capacity Building





#### Infrastructure Management

GOAL: The Town of Quispamsis strives to ensure fiscal and operational integrity while developing responsible plans to address climate change, water service expansion, recreation, and active transportation.

- a) Adopt plans that ensure fiscal and operational soundness (including but not limited to Recreation Master Plan, Longterm Financial Plan, Asset Management, Transportation Master Plan, Comprehensive Watershed and Stormwater Management Plan, etc.)
- b) Investigate feasible strategies to address water expansion
- c) Optimize utilization of assets/infrastructure that contribute to being a community of choice
- d) Develop a responsible growth strategy incorporating climate change considerations to improve physical infrastructure and multi-modal transportation (roads, sidewalks, land, pedestrian pathways, cycling, public transportation, waterways, etc.)

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#### **Commitment to Community**

GOAL: The Town of Quispamsis demonstrates its commitment to the community by enhancing citizen engagement, building upon the natural strengths of the area, and ensuring policies and by-laws are relevant.

- a) Implement strategies and methods that enhance citizen communication and engagement, promoting a sense of belonging within the community
- b) Expand trails and active transportation options to improve connectivity
- c) Create an environment that encourages developers to increase the number of affordable and accessible housing units and types available
- d) Identify by-laws and policies that need to be created or reviewed to remain relevant, current, and are being effectively implemented

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#### **Economic Development**

GOAL: The Town of Quispamsis endeavours to be recognized as an excellent place to invest due to a positive business environment and regional collaboration to diversify the economy.

- a) Create an environment that supports the attraction of commercial development
- b) Collaborate with regional growth agency to promote and support innovation among local businesses to fuel a diverse economy
- c) Collaborate to promote the Town as a destination

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#### **Capacity Building**

GOAL: The Town of Quispamsis ensures it is ready for growth by improving internal communications, enhancing interdepartmental cooperation, implementing efficiencies, and conducting capacity reviews.

- a)Enhance internal communication channels to maximize staff engagement, and promote cross-departmental collaboration
- b)Conduct an internal review of staffing levels and organizational structure, capacity, capabilities, corporate succession planning, and physical workspaces to ensure readiness for growth
- c)Support Council's capacity to communicate effectively with the public

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## **Action Plan**





#### Community Strategy's place within the Municipal Corporation



- Community Strategy is one component in the integrated implementation of the overall corporate organizational system
- Other plans and strategies align with the Community Strategy, including subject-specific plans and other internal documents
- High-level guidelines
  that help Council and
  Staff identify actions,
  create new services,
  and enhance programs
  under the Town's
  mandate
- Each Department must align its work with the strategic themes and goals
- Existing services should be reviewed to determine their priority within the context of the new organization-wide direction

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# Implementation and Performance Measurement





#### Implementation & Performance Measurement



#### **Implementation**

- Prior to acting on specific activities, programs, and activities, decisions will need to be made based on whether there is value in relation to the Community Strategic Plan or subordinate municipal plans.
- Resources must be put in place, staff reporting structures confirmed, and new policies created to provide a reference for decision making.
- Tools such as decision trees provide examples of how the Town of Quispamsis may prioritize the implementation of any matters, existing or new.
- Decision-making tools can be activated by management in assisting Council to make decisions.

#### **Performance Measurement**

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- The Town of Quispamsis should monitor progress on the Community Strategic Plan annually, preferably in advance of the budget review process.
- Performance measurement is a diagnostic tool that focuses on energy, attention, and effort, helping to support the Strategic Plan.

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### **THANK YOU!**

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## MUNICIPALITY OF QUISPAMSIS CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**D**ECEMBER 31, 2021



#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To Her Worship The Mayor and Members of Council Municipality of Quispamsis, New Brunswick

#### Opinion

We have audited the consolidated financial statements of the Municipality of Quispamsis, which comprise the consolidated statement of financial position as at December 31, 2021, and the consolidated statements of operations, changes in net debt and cash flows for the year then ended and notes to the consolidated financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, these consolidated financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Municipality as at December 31, 2021, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

#### Basis for Opinion

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Municipality in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the consolidated financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Consolidated Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these consolidated financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of consolidated financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the consolidated financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Municipality's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Municipality or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Municipality's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these consolidated financial statements.

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Independent Auditors' Report to His Worship The Mayor and Members of Council of the Municipality of Quispamsis (cont'd)

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Consolidated Financial Statements (cont'd)

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the consolidated financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit procedures
  that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the
  effectiveness of the Municipality's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Municipality's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the consolidated financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Municipality to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the consolidated financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicated with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

Saint John, NB May 3, 2022

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<b>2021 Budget</b> (Note 22)	<u>2021</u> Actual	2020 Actual
REVENUE (Note 23)			
Property tax warrant	\$ 24,853,968	\$ 24,853,968	\$ 24,180,624
Unconditional grant	115,092	115,092	114,312
Other own source (Note 23)	1,033,108	1,246,082	908,056
Conditional government transfers (Note 23)	28,800	3,269,440	2,128,298
Services to other governments	60,595	53,239	47,265
Water and sewer user fees	3,113,500	3,156,231	2,957,348
Public donations and sponsorships	83,815	60,938	55,572
Sundry income	<u>345,844</u>	509,582	417,765
	29,634,722	33,264,572	30,809,240
EXPENDITURE (Note 23)			
General government services	2,847,021	2,590,088	2,481,299
Protective services	7,994,588	7,968,028	7,916,310
Transportation services	7,718,215	7,515,594	7,426,172
Environmental health services	1,117,405	1,129,009	1,081,598
Environmental development services	561,263	586,515	391,946
Community services	6,367,121	6,496,479	5,418,340
Utility services	3,371,159	3,312,181	3,103,234
	29,976,772	29,597,894	27,818,899
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT) FOR THE YEAR	\$ (342,050)	3,666,678	2,990,341
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS - BEGINNING OF YEAR		92,184,217	89,192,987
CHANGE IN PERCENTAGE OWNERSHIP OF CONTROLLED ENTITIES		(383)	889
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS - END OF YEAR		\$ <u>95,850,512</u>	\$ <u>92,184,217</u>

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

#### AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents (Note 4) Accounts receivable	\$ 10,463,514	\$ 7,475,959
General	848,395	805,404
Federal Government and its agencies (Note 5)	487,843	577,534
Province of New Brunswick (Note 6)	152,742	1,038,636
Investments (Note 7)	434,246	561,727
Accrued pension asset (Note 11)	<u>149,393</u>	<del>-</del>
	\$ <u>12,536,133</u>	\$ <u>10,459,260</u>
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 4,344,907	\$ 4,317,141
Deferred revenue	2,177,323	1,148,149
Long term debt (Note 8) Accrued pension obligation (Note 11)	21,089,985	22,658,634 18,980
Accrued sick leave (Note 10)	574,381	552,537
Accrued retirement allowance (Note 11)	835,624	804,515
	29,022,220	29,499,956
NET DEBT	(16,486,087)	(19,040,696)
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible capital assets (Note 16)	196,382,774	191,787,074
Accumulated amortization (Note 16)	(84,434,950)	(80,927,214)
	111,947,824	110,859,860
Inventory	113,989	89,081
Prepaid expenses	50,495	55,898
Unamortized debenture costs	224,291	220,074
	112,336,599	111,224,913
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ <u>95,850,512</u>	\$ <u>92,184,217</u>
CONTINGENT LIABILITY (Note 12)		
COMMITMENTS (Note 13)		
APPROVED BY:		
Mayor		
Treasurer		

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

#### AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Annual surplus	\$ 3,666,678	\$ 2,990,341
Acquisition of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Change in percentage ownership of tangible capital assets Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets	(7,107,117) 46,870 6,005,242 (77) (32,882)	(7,081,879) 485,000 5,992,902 (1,700) (38,648)
	2,578,714	2,346,016
Acquisition of inventories Acquisition of prepaid assets Acquisition of unamortized debenture costs Consumption of inventories Use of prepaid assets Consumption of unamortized debenture costs	(113,989) (50,495) (224,291) 89,081 55,898 220,074	(89,081) (55,898) (220,074) 129,233 45,771 
	2,554,992	2,384,819
Change in percentage ownership	(383)	889
Decrease in net debt	2,554,609	2,385,708
Net debt - beginning of year	(19,040,696)	(21,426,404)
Net debt - end of year	\$ <u>(16,486,087</u> )	\$ <u>(19,040,696</u> )
APPROVED BY:		
Mayor		
Treasurer		

#### CONSOLIDATED STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

#### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS		
OPERATING TRANSACTIONS  Annual surplus Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Accounts receivable - General Accounts receivable - Federal Government and its agencies Accounts receivable - Province of New Brunswick Accounts payable and accrued liabilities Deferred revenue Change in accrued sick leave Change in accrued pension obligation Change in accrued retirement allowance Change in inventory/prepaid expenses/unamortized debenture costs	\$ 3,666,678 (32,882) 6,005,242 (42,991) 89,691 885,894 27,766 1,029,174 21,844 (168,373) 31,109 (23,722)	\$ 2,990,341 (38,648) 5,992,902 228,025 (84,595) (751,672) 998,308 (240,475) (61,438) (376,190) 57,131 38,803
CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS  Acquisition of tangible capital assets Change in percentage ownership of capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets FINANCING TRANSACTION	11,489,430 (7,107,117) (77) 46,870 (7,060,324)	8,752,492 (7,081,879) (1,700) 485,000 (6,598,579)
Long term debt	(1,568,649)	(151,161)
INVESTING TRANSACTION Decrease (increase) in investments	127,481	(30,799)
CHANGE IN PERCENTAGE OWNERSHIP	(383)	889
NET INCREASE IN CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS	2,987,555	1,972,842
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - BEGINNING OF YEAR	7,475,959	5,503,117
CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS - END OF YEAR	\$ <u>10,463,514</u>	\$ <u>7,475,959</u>

#### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 1. PURPOSE OF THE ORGANIZATION

Quispamsis ("the Municipality") was incorporated as a Municipality by the Province of New Brunswick Municipalities Act on January 1, 1998 and was approved for status as a Municipality effective January 1, 1998 by an amendment of New Brunswick Regulation 85-6 under the Municipalities Act. As a municipality, Quispamsis is exempt from income tax under section 149(1)(c) of the Canadian Income Tax Act.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Municipality are the representations of management prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for local government, as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAB") of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada.

The focus of Public Sector Accounting Standards ("PSAS") financial statements is on the financial position of the Municipality and the changes thereto. The consolidated statement of financial position includes all of the assets and liabilities of the Municipality and its jointly controlled entities.

Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the Municipality are as follows:

#### Reporting Entity

The consolidated financial statements reflect the assets, liabilities, revenues, expenditures and changes in net debt and cash flows of the reporting entity. The reporting entity is comprised of all organizations and enterprises accountable for the administration of their affairs and resources to the Municipality and which are owned or jointly controlled by the Municipality.

The entities included in the consolidated financial statements are as follows:

- Municipality of Quispamsis;
- Kennebecasis Regional Joint Board of Police Commissioners ("KRJBPC");
- Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc. ("KVFD"); and
- Kennebecasis Public Library ("KPL").

Interdepartmental and organizational transactions and balances are eliminated.

The jointly controlled entities have been proportionately consolidated at the following rates:

	<u>2021</u>	<u> 2020</u>
Kennebecasis Regional Joint Board of		
Police Commissioners	59.92%	59.86%
Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc.	59.23%	59.26%
Kennebecasis Public Library	61.01%	61.01%

#### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Budget

The budget figures contained in these consolidated financial statements were approved by Council on November 17, 2020 and the Minister of Local Government on November 27, 2020.

#### Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, equity instruments with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in annual surplus. All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

#### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, balances with banks and short term deposits with original maturities of three months or less.

#### Revenue Recognition

Unrestricted revenue is recorded on an accrual basis and is recognized when collection is reasonably assured. Restricted contributions are recognized as revenue in the year in which the related expenditures are incurred.

Other revenue is recorded when it is earned.

#### **Expenditure Recognition**

Expenditures are recorded on an accrual basis.

#### Measurement Uncertainty

The preparation of the consolidated financial statements in conformity with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenditures during the reporting period. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results may differ from those estimates.

Examples of significant estimates include:

- the allowance for doubtful accounts;
- providing for amortization of tangible capital assets;
- the estimated useful lives of tangible capital assets;
- the recoverability of tangible capital assets;
- the sick leave liability; and
- the post employment benefits liability.

#### Inventory

Inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realizable value with cost being determined on the first in, first out basis.

#### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Capital Reserves

The use of the Capital Reserve Funds is restricted to capital acquisitions. The intention is to use these funds for future capital acquisitions and reduce future borrowing requirements.

#### Operating Reserves

The use of these funds is restricted to payment of operating expenditures.

#### **Tangible Capital Assets**

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost which includes all amounts that are directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. The cost of the tangible capital asset, less any residual value when applicable, is amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful lives as follows:

Asset Type	<b>Estimated Useful Life</b>
Land improvements	10-25 years
Buildings and leasehold improvements	20-40 years
Vehicles	3-25 years
Machinery and equipment	3-20 years
Furniture and fixtures	5-20 years
Roads and streets	5-75 years
Treatment facilities	25-60 years
Water and wastewater networks	30-60 years

Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is available for productive use. Capital assets are subject to the half year rule of amortization in the year of acquisition.

#### **Segmented Information**

The Municipality is a diversified municipal unit that provides a wide range of services to its residents. For management reporting purposes, the Municipality's operations and activities are organized and reported by function. This presentation was created for the purpose of recording specific activities to attain certain objectives in accordance with special regulations, restrictions or limitations. Municipal services are provided by departments as follows:

#### General Government Services

This department is responsible for the overall governance and financial administration of the Municipality. This includes council functions, general and financial management, legal matters and compliance with legislation, as well as civic relations.

#### **Protective Services**

This department is responsible for the provision of policing services, fire protection, emergency measures, animal control and other protective measures.

#### **Transportation Services**

This department is responsible for common services, roads and streets maintenance, street lighting, traffic services, parking and other transportation related functions.

#### NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

#### Segmented Information (cont'd)

#### Environmental Health Services

This department is responsible for the provision of waste collection and disposal, and a climate change program.

#### **Environmental Development Services**

This department is responsible for planning and zoning, community development, tourism and other municipal development and promotion services.

#### **Community Services**

This department is responsible for the maintenance and operation of recreational and cultural facilities including the swimming pool, arenas, parks and playgrounds and other recreational and cultural facilities and community programs.

#### **Utility Services**

This department is responsible for the provision of water and sewer services including the maintenance and operation of the underground networks, treatment plants, reservoirs and lagoons.

The Municipality has documented a schedule of segmented disclosure in Note 18.

#### Post Employment Benefits

The Municipality recognizes its obligations under post employment benefit plans and the related costs, net of plan assets. The Municipality has a sick leave benefit as documented in Note 10 and a pension plan and retirement allowance as documented in Note 11.

#### 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Municipality is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments and has a comprehensive risk management framework to monitor, evaluate and manage these risks. The following analysis provides information about the Municipality's risk exposure and concentration as of December 31, 2021:

#### Credit Risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Municipality is exposed to credit risk from its accounts receivable. The Municipality minimizes credit risk through ongoing credit management.

#### Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Municipality is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from its customers and other related sources, long term debt, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and other obligations.

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#### 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (cont'd)

#### Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk to the Municipality's earnings that arise from fluctuations of foreign exchange rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The Municipality is not exposed to foreign currency risk as it does not hold foreign currencies.

#### Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. In seeking to minimize the risks from interest rate fluctuations, the Municipality manages exposure through its normal operating and financing activities. The Municipality is not exposed to interest rate risk as its long term debt does not have a variable interest rate.

#### 4. CASH

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Unrestricted	\$ 3,627,554	\$ 3,820,937
Restricted - reserve funds (Note 20)	6,382,871	3,355,575
Restricted - controlled entities	453,089	299,447
	\$ <u>10,463,514</u>	\$ <u>7,475,959</u>

#### 5. DUE FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND ITS AGENCIES

	2021	2020
Canada Revenue Agency (HST refund)	\$ 471,783	\$ 517,616
Clean Water Wastewater	-	11,471
Small Communities Fund	16,060	14,379
RCMP Secondments		34,068
	\$ 487,843	\$ <u>577,534</u>

#### 6. DUE FROM PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Clean Water Wastewater	\$ -	\$ 5,736
Regional Development Corporation	18,597	-
Small Communities Fund	16,060	14,379
Safe Restart	-	216,900
Department of Transportation and Infrastructure	12,231	677,859
Community Development Fund	-	25,902
Department of Finance and Treasury Board	7,355	-
NB Emergency Measures Organization - Disaster Recovery	 91,425	 97,860
	\$ 152,742	\$ 1,038,636

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#### 7. INVESTMENTS

The investments represent the Municipality's proportionate share of the investments of the KRJBPC. The investments consist of short term notes, Canadian equities and foreign equities and are recorded at fair market value. The unrealized gain (loss) on the investments at December 31, 2021 was \$39,211 (2020 - \$31,072). The investments are restricted for future payment of retirement benefits.

#### 8. LONG TERM DEBT

#### (a) General Capital Fund

	Balance January 1, <u>2021</u>		Issued during <u>year</u>		edeemed during <u>year</u>	De	Balance ecember 31, 2021
New Brunswick Municipal Financing	g Corporation						
Debentures:							
CA18 0.9% - 2.8%, due November							
2036, OIC # 19-0047	\$ -	\$ 1	,049,000	\$	-	\$	1,049,000
BZ18 0.3% - 1.35% due June,							
2026, OIC # 09-0040	_	4	,637,000		-		4,637,000
BE14 1.65% - 4.25%, due May							
2021, OIC # 00-43, 09-40, 09-72	5,498,000		-	5	,498,000		-
BF19 1.35% - 3.45%, due December							
2026, OIC # 11-39	457,000		-		457,000		-
FCM 10092 1-2012 2%, due May							
2027, OIC # 09-75	1,008,000		-		135,000		873,000
BJ21 1.25% - 4.4%, due November					400000		
2033, OIC # 11-83	2,348,000		-		192,000		2,156,000
BL23 1.20% - 3.70%, due December					10.000		206000
2034, OIC # 11-83	304,000		-		18,000		286,000
BP18 1.2% - 2.45%, due December	100.000				(2,000		100.000
2023, OIC # 16-39	190,000		-		62,000		128,000
BR19 1.65% - 3.2%, due December	(21,000				45,000		5776 0000
2032, OIC # 17-50	621,000				45,000		576,000
BX16 0.9% - 2.65%, due May	1.016.000				61.000		055 000
2035, OIC # 19-0037	1,016,000		-		61,000		955,000
BY21 0.5% - 2.30%, due November 2035, OIC # 20-0012	700,000				43,000		657,000
2033, OIC # 20-0012	/00,000				43,000	-	057,000
	12,142,000	5	5,686,000	_6	,511,000	_	11,317,000

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# 8. LONG TERM DEBT (cont'd)

#### (a) General Capital Fund (cont'd)

	Balance January 1, <u>2021</u>	Issued during <u>year</u>	Redeemed during <u>year</u>	Balance December 31, 2021
Capital leases: Caterpillar Financial Services Ltd, 4.45%, due May 2021, secured by				
equipment.	3,198		3,198	
	\$ <u>12,145,198</u>	\$ 5,686,000	\$ <u>6,514,198</u>	\$ <u>11,317,000</u>

Principal payments required during the next five years for the General Capital Fund are as follows:

2022 - \$1,544,000; 2023 - \$1,565,000; 2024 - \$1,452,000; 2025 - \$1,472,000; 2026 - \$1,494,000

# (b) Utility Capital Fund

	Balance	Issued	Redeemed	Balance
	January 1,	during	during	December 31,
	2021	<u>year</u>	vear	2021
New Brunswick Municipal Financing	g Corporation			
Debentures:				
BE15 1.65% - 4.25%, due May				
2021, OIC # 00-43, 01-11	68,000	<i>"</i>	68,000	-
BF20 1.35% - 3.45%, due December	•			
2021, OIC # 09-68	20,000	-	20,000	-
BI19 1.35% - 4.0%, due June				
2033, OIC # 09-93	1,239,000	-	77,000	1,162,000
BJ22 1.25% - 4.4%, due November				
2033, OIC # 11-83	1,983,000	-	121,000	1,862,000
BK10 1.15% - 4.15%, due May				
2034, OIC # 12-0079, 12-0091	2,932,000	-	130,000	2,802,000
BL24 1.2% - 3.7%, due December				
2034, OIC # 14-0009	1,639,000	-	66,000	1,573,000
BO18 1.45% - 2.9%, due June				
2026, OIC # 04-0015	814,000	-	128,000	686,000
BR20 1.65% - 3.3%, due Dec				
2037, OIC # 15-0091	912,000	-	31,000	881,000
BX17 0.9% - 2.95%, due May				
2040, OIC # 19-0037	\$ 500,000	\$	\$ <u>16,000</u>	\$ <u>484,000</u>
	\$ <u>10,107,000</u>	\$	\$ <u>657,000</u>	\$ <u>9,450,000</u>

Principal payments required during the next five years for the Utility Capital Fund are as follows:

2022 - \$585,000; 2023 - \$601,000; 2024 - \$619,000; 2025 - \$640,000; 2026 - \$660,000

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#### 8. LONG TERM DEBT (cont'd)

(c) Jointly Controlled Entity - KRJBPC (proportionate share)

		Balance anuary 1, <u>2021</u>		Issued during <u>year</u>	 edeemed during <u>year</u>	Balance cember 31, 2021
New Brunswick Municipal Financin	ıg Co	orporation				
Debentures:						
BN 35 1.05% - 3.15%, due 2025, OIC # 03-0053 BL 45 1.2% - 3.1%,	\$	280,235	\$	-	\$ 53,127	\$ 227,108
due 2024, OIC# 02-66, 03-53		126,201			 30,324	 95,877
	\$	406,436	\$_		\$ 83,451	\$ 322,985

Principal payments required during the next four years are as follows:

2022 - \$85,690; 2023 - \$84,788; 2024 - \$90,484; 2025 - \$62,023

#### Total Long Term Debt:

	2.02.1.	2020
General Capital Fund	\$ 11,317,000	\$ 12,145,198
Utility Capital Fund	9,450,000	10,107,000
Jointly Controlled Entity - KRJBPC	322,985	406,436
	\$ <u>21,089,985</u>	\$ <u>22,658,634</u>

Approval of the Municipal Capital Borrowing Board has been obtained for the long term debt. There was no approval of the Municipal Capital Borrowing Board obtained for the capital leases.

#### 9. SEWER OUTFALL RESERVE

In accordance with an agreement with Rothesay, the Municipality and Rothesay are required to fund, on an annual basis, an amount to cover the operating and maintenance costs associated with the shared sewer effluent line and outfall pipe. The contributions are made on a per unit basis, with Rothesay contributing \$1 per unit and the Municipality of Quispamsis contributing \$2 per unit.

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#### 10. ACCRUED SICK LEAVE

Quispamsis provides sick leave that accumulates at a rate of one and one-half days per month. All employees can accumulate a maximum of 200 days and can take leave with pay for an amount of time equal to the accumulated sick leave.

KVFD provides sick leave that accumulates at a rate of 18 hours per month while the employees sick bank is below 1,000 hours, and at 13.5 hours per month while the sick bank is above 1,000 hours. All employees can accumulate to a maximum of 2,184 sick leave hours and can take leave with pay for an amount of time equal to the accumulated sick leave.

An actuarial valuation in accordance with PSAS 3255, was performed for each plan, December 31, 2021 for the Municipality and December 31, 2020 for KVFD, the 88 employee plan for Quispamsis and the 37 employee plan for KVFD. The actuarial method used was the Projected Unit Credit prorated on service to expected usage. The valuation was based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and retirement. The assumptions used reflect the Municipality's and KVFD's best estimates.

The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation:

- annual salary increase is 3.5% for the Municipality and 2.25% for the KVFD;
- the discount rates used to determine the accrued benefit obligations are 2.54% for the Municipality and 1.99% for KVFD;
- retirement age is 65 for the Municipality and 60 for KVFD;
- estimated net excess utilization of rate of sick leave is independent of age; and
- Municipal members are assumed to terminate from employment at a rate of 2.5% per annum for all ages.

The sick leave is an unfunded benefit and as such, there are no applicable assets. Benefits are paid out of general revenue as they come due.

The consolidated unfunded liability consist of:

	2021	2020
Quispamsis KVFD KRJBPC	\$ 275,200 290,013 9,168	\$ 140,073 403,306 9,158
	\$ 574,381	\$ 552,537

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#### 11. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

#### Retirement Allowance Program

KVFD's retiring employees are entitled to four weeks' regular salary for every five years of employment to a maximum of 24 weeks based on a minimum of ten years service. This benefit is available to all employees who have reached the retirement age of 55.

The accrued liability is based on an actuarial valuation as at December 31, 2019, which used a discount rate of 2.69% and an annual salary increase rate of 2.5%.

KRJBPC's retiring employees are entitled to accumulate the greater of fifty percent of unused sick leave credits or one month's standard salary for every five years, or any part thereof, of service to a maximum of 6 months.

The accrued liability is based on an actuarial valuation as at December 31, 2019, which used a discount rate of 2.69% and an annual salary increase rate of 3.0% for four years and 2% thereafter.

Both organizations have internally restricted funds for these liabilities. The balance at December 31, 2021 consists of:

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
KVFD KRJBPC	\$ 339,301 496,323	\$ 299,768 504,747
Balance at end of year	\$ 835,624	\$804,515

#### Pension Obligation

Employees of Quispamsis, KVFD and KRJBPC participate in the New Brunswick Municipal Employees Pension Plan ("NBMEPP"). The NBMEPP is a multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by a board elected by the members under the provisions of the Local Governance Act of New Brunswick. The NBMEPP provides pensions based on length of service and best average earnings.

Actuarial valuations for funding purposes are performed either annually or triennially depending on the financial position of the NBMEPP (currently annually). In turn, the actuarial valuations for accounting purposes are based on these figures (with adjustments). The most recent actuarial valuation was prepared as at December 31, 2019 and resulted in an overall NBMEPP accrued benefit obligation of \$135,126,100 based on the accounting basis.

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#### 11. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (cont'd)

The actuarial valuation for accounting purposes was based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as inflation rates, interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and mortality. The assumptions used reflect management's best estimates. The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation as at December 31, 2019:

- the expected inflation rate is 2.10% (prior 2.10%);
- the discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation is 5.55% (prior 5.75%);
- the expected rate of return on assets is 5.55% (prior 5.75%);
- retirement age varies by age and employment category; and
- estimated average remaining service life (EARSL) is 13 years (prior 14 years).

The actuarial valuation prepared as at December 31, 2019 indicated that the market value of the net assets available for the accumulated plan benefits were less than the present value of these benefits. The pension plan has been granted a solvency deficiency exemption by the Province of New Brunswick. On a going concern valuation basis, the actuarial valuation indicated a plan deficit of \$641,800, a change of of \$6,896,200 from the December 31, 2018 deficit of \$7,538,000. Based on the assumptions as at December 31, 2019, the actuary expected the level of employer and employee contributions to be sufficient to fund the deficit in less than fifteen years, as allowed by the Pensions Benefits Act.

As at December 31, 2019, the NBMEPP provides benefits for 277 retirees. Total benefits payments to retirees and terminating employees during 2021 are estimated to be approximately \$4,641,200 (actual 2020, \$5,662,100) in totality for the NBMEPP.

Employees make contributions using rates that vary by earnings level and employment category, with an overall average contribution rate of approximately 8.00%. Each municipality contributes an amount that equals their employees contributions amounts. Pension fund assets are invested in short term securities, bonds, Canadian equities and foreign equities. Combined employees and municipalities contributions for 2021 are estimated to be approximately \$7,136,800 (actual 2020, \$6,929,400) in totality for the NBMEPP.

The following summarizes the NBMEPP data as it relates to Quispamsis:

- The average age of the 86 active employees covered by the NBMEPP is 47.5 (2020 47.0);
- benefit payments were \$388,300 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$284,600 in 2021; and
- combined contributions were \$792,000 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$815,800 in 2021.

The following summarizes the NBMEPP data as it relates to KVFD:

- The average age of the 42 active employees covered by the NBMEPP is 42.7 (2020 42.9);
- benefit payments were \$531,900 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$531,900 in 2021; and
- combined contributions were \$587,600 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$605,200 in 2021.

The following summarizes the NBMEPP data as it relates to KRJBPC:

- The average age of the 44 active employees covered by the NBMEPP is 44 (2020 43.1);
- benefit payments were \$449,900 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$432,700 in 2021; and
- combined contributions were \$796,600 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$820,400 in 2021.

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#### 11. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS (cont'd)

In addition to determining the position of the NBMEPP as it relates to Quispamsis and the other controlled entities as at December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020, NBMEPP's actuary performed an extrapolation of the December 31, 2020 accounting valuation to determine the estimated position as at December 31, 2021. The extrapolation assumes assumptions used as at December 31, 2021 remain unchanged from December 31, 2020. The extrapolation also assumes assets return 5.55%, net of all fees and expenses. If experience is different than assumed, amounts will be adjusted to reflect actual experience. Results of the extrapolation are as follows:

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Accrued Benefit Liability (Asset)		
Accrued benefit liability at beginning of period	\$ 18,980	\$ 432,170
Change in ownership percentage	61	321
Adjustment to actual	20,013	(18,564)
Pension expense for the year	644,487	423,322
Employer contributions	(832,934)	(818,269)
Accrued benefit liability (asset) at end of period	\$ <u>(149,393</u> )	\$ <u>18,980</u>

In summary, the consolidated accrued benefit asset is estimated to be \$149,393 as at December 31, 2021. The December 31, 2020 liability was estimated in the prior year. The actual liability was calculated to be \$38,993. The difference of \$20,013 has been recorded in the current year. This amount is included in the post employment benefits payable on the consolidated statement of financial position.

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020		
Quispamsis KVFD KRJBPC	\$ (277,600) 94,650 33,557	\$ (254,000) 86,283 186,697		
	\$(149,393)	\$18,980		

The financial position as it relates to the accrued benefit liability is shown as follows and illustrates the unamortized amounts being recognized in pension expense over time:

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Reconciliation of Funded Status at End of Period		
Accrued benefit obligation	\$ 34,691,686	\$ 32,394,580
Plan assets	(33,817,855)	(31,247,296)
Plan deficit	873,831	1,147,284
Unamortized experience losses	(1,023,224)	(1,108,291)
Accrued benefit liability (asset) at end of period	\$ <u>(149,393)</u>	\$ 38,993

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# 11. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE (cont'd)

The following illustrates the reconciliation of accrued benefit obligation from the beginning of period to the end of period:

	Estimated	
	Jan 1, 2021 to	Jan 1, 2020 to
	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Reconciliation of Accrued Benefit Obligation		
Accrued benefit obligation at beginning of period	\$ 32,394,580	\$ 29,214,829
Change in ownership percentage	6,954	10,472
Current service cost	1,337,526	1,195,556
Benefits payments	(858,931)	(972,805)
Interest for period	1,811,557	1,686,913
Experience gain during period	<del>-</del>	1,259,615
Accrued benefit obligation at end of period	\$ <u>34,691,686</u>	\$ <u>32,394,580</u>

The following illustrates the reconciliation of plan assets from the beginning of period to the end of period:

	Estimated	
	Jan 1, 2021 to	Jan 1, 2020 to
	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Reconciliation of Plan Assets		
Plan assets at beginning of period	\$ 31,247,296	\$ 28,531,008
Change in ownership percentage	6,701	10,213
Employer contributions	832,934	808,520
Employee contributions	832,934	808,520
Benefit payments	(858,931)	(972,805)
Return on plan assets during period	1,756,921	2,061,840
Plan assets at end of period	\$ <u>33,817,855</u>	\$ <u>31,247,296</u>

Total expense related to pensions include the following components:

	Estimated	
	Jan 1, 2021 to	Jan 1, 2020 to
	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Pension Expense		
Employer current service cost	\$ 504,592	\$ 387,036
Interest on accrued benefit obligation	1,811,557	1,686,913
Expected return on assets	(1,756,920)	(1,659,660)
Amortization of unrecognized balances		
Experience gain	85,259	19,298
Pension expense	\$ <u>644,488</u>	\$ <u>433,587</u>

The pension expense is included in the statement of operations.

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#### 12. CONTINGENT LIABILITY

In the normal course of operations, the Municipality becomes involved in various claims and legal proceedings. While the final outcome with respect to claims and legal proceedings pending at December 31, 2021 cannot be predicted with certainty, it is the opinion of management and council that resolution of these matters will not have a material adverse effect as the Municipality maintains insurance coverage in amounts considered appropriate.

#### 13. COMMITMENTS

#### Dalhousie School of Medicine

In 2012, the Municipality committed \$50,000 payable over 10 years to the Dalhousie School of Medicine. During the year, a payment of \$5,000 (2020 - \$5,000) was made. The commitment was completed during 2021.

#### Fero Waste & Recycling Inc.

The Municipality has entered into a long-term agreement for services to collect and transport residential waste, Municipal generated waste and recyclable materials for all areas of Quispamsis. The contract expires on December 31, 2023. The future minimum payments over the next two years are estimated as follows:

2022 \$716,900 2023 \$759,914

#### 14. SHORT TERM BORROWING

#### **Operating Borrowing**

As prescribed in the Local Governance Act, borrowing to finance General Operating Fund operations is limited to 4% of the Municipality's budget. Borrowing to finance Water and Sewer Fund operations is limited to 50% of the operating budget for the year. In 2021, the Municipality has complied with these restrictions.

# **Interim Borrowing Capital Funds**

The Municipality has arranged a revolving operating facility bearing interest at BMO prime minus 1% for the Capital Funds. The facility is used to provide interim financing for capital expenditures. At December 31, 2021, the Municipality had no funds (2020 - nil) borrowed from the facility.

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#### 14. SHORT TERM BORROWING (cont'd)

#### **Inter-fund Borrowing**

The Municipal Financial Reporting Manual requires that short term inter-fund borrowings be repaid in the next year unless the borrowing is for a capital project. The amounts payable between Funds are in compliance with the requirements.

Amounts outstanding at year end are inter fund regular payables or in some cases, a short term loan may exist from the reserve account. Where a loan is in place, interest is paid to the reserve account at a rate that equates what the account would have earned had it been in the bank. These loan amounts are paid off within the following year and council is given a summary at year end to be fully informed of these transactions.

At December 31, 2021, the Municipality has remaining outstanding authority for short-term borrowings as follows: M019-0047 \$709,000 and M021-0034 \$2,081,000.

#### 15. WATER AND SEWER FUND SURPLUS

The Local Governance Act requires Water and Sewer Fund surplus amounts to be absorbed into one or more of four Operating Budgets commencing with the second next ensuing year. The balance of the surplus at the end of the year consists of

		2021		2020
2021 Surplus 2020 Surplus 2019 Surplus	\$	2,092 42,082	\$	- 42,082 25,947
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	<u></u>	44,174	» <u></u>	68,029

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#### 16. SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

•	SCHEDULE OF TAI	NGII	BLE CAPI	TAL	ASSETS												
					Land	Buildings and Leasehold	Furniture and		Machine and	٠		Infrastructu Treatment	Water and		Assets Under	2021	2020
	COST		Land	Im	provements	<u>Improvements</u>	<u>Fixtures</u>	Vehicles	Equipn	<u>ient</u>	Streets	<u>Facilities</u>	Sewer	Subtotal	Construction	<u>Total</u>	<u>Total</u>
	Balance - beginning of year	\$	3,522,188	\$	8,500,839	\$ 35,001,098 \$	1,026,335 \$	4,120,370	\$ 7,826	,956	\$ 74,551,072 \$	5 19,710,249	\$ 35,265,804	\$ 189,524,911	\$ 2,262,163 \$	5 191,787,074 \$	8 186,706,576
	Change in percentage ownership		96	í	36	587	129	(553)		160	-	-	-	455	-	455	3,404
	Add: Net additions during the year		-		418,691	1,949,005	176,094	214,415	434	,579	4,155,407	123,138	38,651	7,509,980	1,204,597	8,714,577	7,859,781
	Less: Disposals during the year		-	_				(169,175)	(149	<u>,640</u> )	(2,193,057)			(2,511,872)	(1,607,460)	(4,119,332)	(2,782,687)
	Balance - end of year	_	3,522,284	<u> </u>	8,919,566	36,950,690	1,202,558	4,165,057	8,112	,055	76,513,422	19,833,387	35,304,455	194,523,474	1,859,300	196,382,774	191,787,074
	ACCUMULATED A	MOI	RTIZATIO	ΟN	4,334,919	11,502,828	591,416	2,260,557	5,112	002	41.274.034	6,375,813	9.474.755	80.927.214		80.927.214	76,491,050
	of year		-		4,334,919	11,302,626	391,410	2,200,337	3,112	,092	41,2/4,034	0,373,613	9,474,733	80,927,214	-	00,927,214	70,491,030
	Change in percentage ownership		-		29	222	91	(152)		188	-	-	-	378	-	378	1,704
	Add: Amortization during the year		-		399,180	1,047,696	112,540	<b>30</b> 5,770	520	,359	2,432,265	593,444	587,988	6,005,242	-	6,005,242	5,992,902
	Less: Accumulated																
	amortization on disposals	_						(155,187)		,640)	(2,193,057)			(2,497,884)		(2,497,884)	(1,558,442)
	Balance - end of year	_	-		4,734,128	12,550,746	704,047	2,410,988	5,489	,799	41,513,242	6,969,257	_10,062,743	84,434,950		84,434,950	80,927,214
	NET BOOK VALUE TANGIBLE CAI ASSETS	PITA	L 3,522,284	\$	4,185,438	\$ <u>24,399,944</u> \$	498,511 \$	1,754,069	\$ <u>2,622</u>	,256	\$_35,000,180	\$ <u>12,864,130</u>	\$ <u>25,241,712</u>	\$ <u>110,088,524</u>	\$ <u>1,859,300</u>	\$ <u>111,947,824</u> \$	110,859,860
	Consists of:																
	General Fund Assets Utility Fund	\$	2,268,627	\$	4,113,678	\$ 20,635,903 \$	459,642 \$	<b>39</b> 3,199	\$ 1,958	,006	\$ 35,000,180 \$	-	\$ -	\$ 64,829,235	\$ 131,185	\$ 64,960,420 \$	63,805,255
	Assets Jointly Controlled		872,064	ı	-	-	11,122	84,514	351	,318	-	12,864,130	25,241,712	39,424,860	1,728,118	41,152,978	41,058,427
	Entities Entities	_	381,593	_	71,760	3,764,041	27,747	1,276,356	312	,929				5,834,426		5,834,426	5,996,178
		\$	3,522,284	\$	4,185,438	\$ <u>24,399,944</u> \$	498,511 \$	1,754,069	\$ 2,622	,253	\$ 35,000,180	12,864,130	\$ <u>25,241,712</u>	\$ <u>110,088,521</u>	\$1,859,303	\$ <u>111,947,824</u> \$	110,859,860

The Municipality has tangible capital assets under capital leases as follows, included in the amounts listed above:

Historical Cost Accumulated Mortization Value

Machinery and equipment \$\frac{429,000}{2}\$ \$\frac{235,950}{2}\$ \$\frac{193,050}{2}\$

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#### 17. SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS FOR JOINTLY CONTROLLED ENTITIES

	1	Land	Land and Improvements Buildings		Buildings	Furniture and Fixtures		Vehicles	Machinery and Equipment		ts Under	2021 Total	2020 Total
COST	-					<u>a11</u>							<u> </u>
Balance - beginning of year	\$ .	381,497	\$	186,316	\$ 6,186,904	\$	118,751	\$ 2,509,443	\$ 1,062,096	\$	-	\$10,445,007	\$ 9,995,460
Change in percentage ownership		96		36	587		129	(553)	160		-	455	3,404
Add: Net additions during the year		-		-	137,469		-	137,340	52,817		-	327,626	738,648
Less: Disposals during the year	-					_		(95,761)	(8,000)	_		(103,761)	(292,505)
Balance - end of year	:	381,593	_	186,352	6,324,960	_	118,880	2,550,469	1,107,073	_		10,669,327	10,445,007
ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION													
Balance - beginning of year		-		102,795	2,338,810		85,098	1,193,606	728,520		-	4,448,829	4,261,766
Change in percentage ownership		-		29	222		91	(152)	188		-	378	1,704
Add: Amortization during the year		-		11,768	221,887		5,944	162,432	73,436		-	475,467	478,569
Less: Accumulated amortization on disposals	_		_			۱,		(81,773)	(8,000)	_		(89,773)	(293,210)
Balance - end of year	_		_	114,592	2,560,919	1	91,133	1,274,113	794,144	_		4,834,901	4,448,829
NET BOOK VALUE OF TANGIBLE													
CAPITAL ASSETS	\$	381,593	\$_	71,760	\$ 3,764,041	\$_	27,747	\$ <u>1,276,356</u>	\$ 312,929	\$	-	\$_5,834,426	\$ 5,996,178

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#### 18. SCHEDULE OF SEGMENT DISCLOSURE

	General	<b>Protective</b>	Transportation	Environmental <u>Health</u>	Environmental <u>Development</u>	Community Services	Utility Services	2021 Consolidated	2020 Consolidated
REVENUE									
Property tax warrant	\$ 3,031,349	\$ 9,135,678	\$ 5,306,652	\$ 1,243,690	\$ 636,847	\$ 5,499,752	\$ -	\$24,853,968	\$24,180,624
Services provided to other	r								
governments	-	-	53,239	-	-	-	-	53,239	47,265
Other own source	88,766	258,439	-	-	-	898,877	-	1,246,082	908,056
Unconditional grant	14,037	42,305	24,574	5,759	2,949	25,468	-	115,092	114,312
Conditional government									
transfers	766,205	-	664,601	-	-	427,194	1,411,440	3,269,440	2,128,298
Water and sewer user fee		-	-	-	-	-	3,156,231	3,156,231	2,957,348
Contributions from public	;								
donations and									
sponsorship	-	-	-	-	-	60,938	-	60,938	55,572
Sundry	41,930	347,613				12,226	107,813	509,582	417,765
	3,942,287	9,784,035	6,049,066	1,249,449	639,796	6,924,455	4,675,484	33,264,572	30,809,240
EXPENDITURE									
Salaries and benefits	1,259,610	6,545,479	2,534,274	_	320,850	2,328,013	909,553	13,897,779	13,080,744
Goods and services	1,207,278	1,065,066	2,031,870	1,129,009	265,665	2,486,055	782,469	8,967,412	7,948,087
Interest	8,491	24,259	27,898	-	-	314,169	354,871	729,688	858,842
Other	-	(4,235)	(8,290)	_	_		-	(12,525)	(61,677)
Amortization	114,709	337,459	2,929,842			1,368,242	1,265,288	6,015,540	5,992,903
	2,590,088	7,968,028	7,515,594	1,129,009	586,515	6,496,479	3,312,181	29,597,894	27,818,899
Surplus (deficit) for									
the year	\$ <u>1,352,199</u>	\$ <u>1,816,007</u>	\$ <u>(1,466,528)</u>	\$ <u>120,440</u>	\$53,281	\$ <u>427,976</u>	\$ <u>1,363,303</u>	\$ <u>3,666,678</u>	\$ <u>2,990,341</u>

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#### 19. RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL SURPLUS

	General Operating <u>Fund</u>	General Capital <u>Fund</u>	Utility Operating <u>Fund</u>	Utility Capital Fund	General Operating Reserve <u>Fund</u>	General Capital Reserve <u>Fund</u>	Utility Operating Reserve <u>Fund</u>	Utility Capital Reserve <u>Fund</u>	Land Trust <u>Fund</u>	Jointly Controlled <u>Entities</u>	<u>Total</u>
2021 annual surplus (deficit)	\$ <u>3,112,494</u>	\$ <u>(1,536,764</u> )	\$ <u>1,699,335</u>	\$ <u>(288,871</u> )	\$ <u>9,386</u> \$	12,596	\$4,225	\$8,921_5	8,337	\$ 637,019	\$ <u>3,666,678</u>
Adjustments to annual surplus											
for funding requirements											
Second previous year's surplus	49,230	-	25,947	-	-	-	-	-	-	86,320	161,497
Transfers between funds											
Transfer elimination	(9,500)	-	-	-	9,500	-	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	(371,897)	-	-	-	-	371,897	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	(457,000)	-	-	-	-	457,000	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	(481,500)	-	-		-	481,500	-	-	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	-	-	(102,222)	-/	_	-	-	102,222	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	-	-	(925,000)	Z.	<u></u>	-	-	925,000	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	-	-	(19,500)	- **	-	-	19,500	-	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	-	-	(46,438)	-	<b>\</b> \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	-	-	46,438	-	-	-
Transfer elimination	-	-	12,883	-	4-A-	-	-	(12,883)	-	-	-
Long term debt principal											
repayment	(1,877,198)	1,877,198	(657,000)	657,000	- ~	-	-	-	-	-	-
Provision for pension liability	(20,620)	-	(2,981)	-	-	-	-	-	-	(144,932)	(168,533)
Provision for sick leave accrual	118,059	-	17,068	-	-	-	-	-	-	(115,221)	19,906
Provision for retirement											
allowance	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(2,243)	(2,243)
Proceeds from disposal of tangi	ble										
Accumulated amortization on di	isposal										
of tangible capital assets	-	(2,408,111)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(89,773)	(2,497,884)
Unrealized gains on investment	s -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	(39,211)	(39,211)
Amortization expense		4,264,487		1,265,288						475,467	6,005,242
Total adjustments to 2021 annu surplus (deficit)	al _(3,050,426)	3,733,574	(1,697,243)	1,922,288	9,500	1,310,397	19,500	1,060,777		_(180,581)	3,478,774
2021 annual surplus (deficit) fo funding requirements		\$ <u>2,196,810</u>	\$ 2,092	\$ <u>1,633,417</u>	\$ <u>18,886</u> S	\$ 1,322,993	\$ 23,725	\$ <u>1,069,698</u> \$	88,337	\$ <u>456,438</u>	\$ <u>6,794,464</u>

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# 20. STATEMENT OF RESERVES

	General Operating <u>Reserve</u>	General Capital <u>Reserve</u>	Utility Operating <u>Reserve</u>	Utility Capital <u>Reserve</u>	Land Trust <u>Fund</u>	2021 <u>Total</u>	2020 <u>Total</u>
ASSETS  Cash and short term investments  Accounts receivable from other funds	\$1,101,884 	\$2,623,589 _352,969	\$ 157,312 3,195	\$2,360,044 298,745	\$ 140,042 	\$ 6,382,871 810,614	\$ 3,355,576 
	\$ <u>1,250,128</u>	\$ <u>2,976,558</u>	\$ <u>160,507</u>	\$ <u>2,658,789</u>	\$ <u>147,503</u>	\$ <u>7,193,485</u>	\$ <u>4,749,846</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ <u>1,250,128</u>	\$ <u>2,976,558</u>	\$ <u>160,507</u>	\$ <u>2,658,789</u>	\$ <u>147,503</u>	\$ <u>7,193,485</u>	\$ <u>4,749,846</u>
REVENUE Lot fees Transfers from General Operating Fund Transfers from Utility Operating Fund Interest	\$ - 9,500 - 9,386	\$ - 1,310,397 - 12,596	\$ - 19,500 4,225	\$ - 1,073,660 8,921	\$ 8,099 - - 1,064	\$ 8,099 1,319,897 1,093,160 36,192	1,189,500 365,573
EXPENDITURES Transfers to Funds		1,322,993		1,082,581 12,883	9,163	2,457,348	
ANNUAL SURPLUS	\$ <u>18,886</u>	\$ <u>1,32</u> 2,993	\$ 23,725	\$ <u>1,069,698</u>	\$ 8,337	\$ <u>2,443,639</u>	\$ <u>1,183,206</u>

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#### 20. STATEMENT OF RESERVES (cont'd)

Council Resolutions regarding transfers to and from reserves:

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Miller

BE IT RESOLVED that \$9,500 be transferred from the General Operating Fund to the General Operating Reserve Fund for future expenditures.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Thompson

BE IT RESOLVED that \$371,897 be transferred from the General Operating Fund to the General Capital Reserve Fund as per the 2021 budget.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Olsen

BE IT RESOLVED that \$457,000 be transferred from the General Operating Fund to the General Capital Reserve Fund for future expenditures.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Donovan

BE IT RESOLVED that \$481,500 be transferred from the General Operating Fund to the General Capital Reserve Fund for future use.

Motion Carried

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Donovan

BE IT RESOLVED THAT \$102,222 be transferred from the Utility Operating Fund to the Utility Capital Reserve Fund as per the 2021 budget.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Thompson

BE IT RESOLVED that \$925,000 be transferred from the Utility Operating Fund to the Utility Capital Reserve Fund for future use on 2021 capital projects carries forward and planned 2022 projects.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Olsen

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#### **20. STATEMENT OF RESERVES** (cont'd)

BE IT RESOLVED that \$19,500 be transferred from the Utility Operating Fund to the Utility Operating Reserve Fund for future use.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Miller Seconded By Councillor Donovan

BE IT RESOLVED that \$46,438 be transferred from the 2021 Utility Operating Fund to the Utility Capital Replacement Reserve Fund to pay for future costs od replacement of capital items for the Wastewater System Upgrades.

**Motion Carried** 

Moved By Councillor Donovan Seconded By Councillor Luck

BE IT RESOLVED that \$12,883.08 be transferred from the 2021 Utility Capital Replacement Reserve Fund to the 2021 Utility Operating Fund to pay for the Longwood Treatment Plant Aerator project.

I hereby certify that the above are true and exact copies of resolutions adopted at a meeting of Council on December 22, 2021.

Town Clerk,

Date

Town of Quispamsis

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# 21. STATEMENT OF JOINTLY CONTROLLED ENTITIES OPERATIONS

	KVFD	<b>KRJBPC</b>	<u>Library</u>	2021 <u>Total</u>	2020 <u>Total</u>
ASSETS	\$ <u>2,978,857</u>	\$ <u>2,019,698</u>	\$ <u>2,451,888</u>	\$ <u>7,450,443</u>	\$ <u>7,514,117</u>
LIABILITIES	\$ <u>815,203</u>	\$ <u>1,079,896</u>	\$ <u>41,568</u>	\$ <u>1,936,667</u>	\$ <u>2,276,249</u>
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ <u>2,163,653</u>	\$ 939,802	\$ <u>2,410,320</u>	\$ <u>5,513,775</u>	\$ <u>5,245,018</u>
REVENUE	\$ 3,386,023	\$ 4,533,712	\$ 151,252	\$ 8,070,987	\$ 8,549,847
<b>EXPENDITURES</b>	3,266,863	4,219,606	270,031	7,756,500	7,696,049
	119,160	314,106	(118,779)	314,487	853,798
CHANGE IN PERCEN OWNERSHIP	TAGE (1,038)	655		(383)	889
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)	\$ <u>118,122</u>	\$314,761	\$ (118,779)	\$ 314,104	\$ 854,687

The above noted entities are included in the consolidated financial statements. The above figures do not include the eliminating adjustments and represent Quispamsis' proportionate share.

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#### 22. OPERATING BUDGET TO PSAS BUDGET

DIVIDUE	Operating Budget <u>General</u>	Operating Budget Water and Sewer	Amortization and Long Term <u>Accruals</u>	Controlled Entities	<u>Transfers</u>	<u>Total</u>
REVENUE	0 24.052.060	\$ -	s -	\$ -	S -	\$ 24.853.968
Property tax warrant Unconditional transfers from other governments	\$ 24,853,968 115.092	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 24,853,968 115,092
Conditional transfers from Federal or Provincial governments	28,800	-	-	-	-	28,800
Services other governments	60,595	-	-	-	-	60,595
Other own source	1,007,867	25,241	-	-	-	1,033,108
Public donations and sponsorships	83,815	23,241	-	-	-	83,815
• •	,		-	-	(224.052)	65,615
Other transfers	131,500	203,452	-	-	(334,952)	2 112 500
Water and sewer user fees	-	3,113,500	-	240.004	-	3,113,500
Sundry income Surplus of second previous year	24,140 49,230	73,700 25,947	-	248,004	(75,177)	345,844
Surplus of second previous year	49,230	25,947			(/3,1//)	
	<u>26,355,007</u>	3,441,840		248,004	(410,129)	29,634,722
EXPENDITURES						
General government services	2,715,945	d	131,076	-	-	2,847,021
Protective services	8,208,039	₩ Z> <sub>x</sub> -	330,357	7,262,842	(7,806,650)	7,994,588
Transportation services	4,767,813	7	2,958,692	-	(8,290)	7,718,215
Environmental health services	1,117,405	<b>√</b> -	-	-	-	1,117,405
Environmental development services	1,250,390	-	5,032	-	(694,159)	561,263
Community services	4,270,698	-	1,402,264	141,774	552,385	6,367,121
Fiscal services						
Long term debt repayments	1,874,198	657,000	-	-	(2,531,198)	-
Interest	438,063	412,329	-	-	(850,392)	-
Transfer from General Operating Fund to						
Utility Operating Fund	91,923	-	-	-	(91,923)	-
Transfer from General Operating to						
General Capital Reserve Fund	116,000	-	-	-	(116,000)	-
Transfer from Utility Operating Fund to						
Utility Capital Replacement Reserve Fund	-	148,056	-	-	(148,056)	-
Transfer from General Operating Fund to						
General Capital Fund	1,248,636	-	-	-	(1,239,155)	-
Transfer from Utility Operating Fund to						
Utility Capital Fund	-	545,000	-	-	(35,000)	-
Transfer from General Operating Fund to General	****				(0.55.005)	
Operating Reserve Fund	255,897	-	-	-	(255,897)	-
Utility services		1,679,455	1,279,375		412,329	3,371,159
	26,355,007	3,441,840	6,106,796	7,404,616	_(12,812,006)	29,976,772
Surplus (deficit)	\$ <u> </u>	\$	\$ <u>(6,106,796)</u>	\$ <u>(7,156,612)</u>	\$ <u>12,401,877</u>	\$ (342,050)

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# 23. REVENUE AND EXPENDITURES SUPPORT

	<u>2021</u> Budget	<u>2021</u> Actual	2020 Actual
REVENUE			
Other own source Permits and fines Connection fees Developers infrastructure contribution Rental revenue Miscellaneous	\$ 146,00 - 862,96 	35,713 8 898,877 0 53,053	\$ 230,044 43,610 67,096 522,103 45,203 \$ 908,056
Conditional government transfers Government of Canada			φ <u></u>
Student Grant Canadian Parks Small Communities Fund Canada Summer Jobs	\$ - 19,80	\$ 28,730 1,680 0 56,737	\$ - 110,543 32,643
Province of New Brunswick Small Communities Fund Department of Tourism PNB CIF Regional Development Corporation	- - -	1,681 40,000 38,597 249,098	110,543 - - 60,753
Safe Restart P-GAP Employment & Social Dev SEED Grant	- - - 9,00	990,447 240,769	216,900 - 94,043 7,074
Canada Community Building Fund Other	-	1,607,680 8,000	1,480,799 15,000
	\$28,80	0 \$ 3,269,440	\$ <u>2,128,298</u>
EXPENDITURE General government services Legislative			
Mayor Councillors	\$ 61,33 	,	\$ 45,842 149,610
Administrative	261,30	7 228,677	<u>195,452</u>
Administration Office building Solicitor Professional fees	1,222,50 197,01 150,00	0 162,095	1,159,551 157,850 133,618 (3,228)
Other	311,88	ŕ	207,121
Financial management External audit	1,881,40 29,30		1,654,912 22,338

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	<u>2021</u> Budget	<u>2021</u> Actual	<u>2020</u> Actual
General government services (cont'd)			
Other Civic relations Marketing Insurance Cost of assessment Other	55,160 1,500 128,000 359,070 200	40,490 1,656 129,266 359,070	52,455 2,060 111,492 349,350
Interest Pension expense (recovery) Sick leave expense Amortization	(3,464) 19,831 114,709	8,491 (3,464) 19,831 114,709	10,974 (18,629) (4,810) 
	675,006	670,049	608,597
	\$ 2,847,021	\$ 2,590,088	\$ 2,481,299
Protective services Fire Administration Firefighting force Telecommunications Insurance Prevention and training Facilities Fleet Operations Water costs Retirement allowance Other Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital assets	\$ 469,800 2,280,561 122,649 29,615 34,650 107,832 62,517 37,611 19,237 24,291 1,777 (10,154)	\$ 448,715 2,209,403 121,004 31,014 19,427 104,052 48,072 34,854 19,239 37,440  (10,154)	\$ 413,711 2,066,477 21,909 20,734 133,035 44,549 39,065 18,686 36,932 1,518 (21,884)
Amortization	204,875	204,875	204,088
	3,385,261	3,267,941	2,978,820
Police Crime control Vehicle fleet Property Administration Retirement allowance Communications Labour relations Loss on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization	2,947,122 117,097 126,557 631,076 47,615 196,917 - 5,919 126,583 4,198,886	3,029,948 107,743 131,924 641,199 52,037 169,338 - 5,919 126,583 4,264,691	2,977,857 101,299 131,930 706,172 51,496 257,008 127,392 (1,145) 133,111 4,485,120

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	<u>2021</u> Budget	2021 Actual	2020 Actual
Protective services (cont'd)			
Other			
Emergency measures	94,573	134,400	156,408
Animal control	64,742	50,132	58,224
Building inspection	231,949	207,208	196,930
Crosswalk guards Interest	10,305	10,525 24,259	7,867 31,355
Pension expense (recovery)	(608)	(608)	(3,509)
Sick leave expense (recovery)	3,479	3,479	(906)
Amortization	6,001	6,001	6,001
	410,441	435,396	452,370
	\$ <u>7,994,588</u>	\$ <u>7,968,028</u>	\$ <u>7,916,310</u>
<b></b>			
Transportation services Common			
Workshop, yard and equipment maintenance	\$ 72,523	\$ 71,996	\$ 77,515
Engineering	551,627	519,505	481,266
- Engineering			101,4400
	624,150	591,501	558,781
Roads and streets			
Culverts and drainage ditches	73,000	72,610	73,067
Summer maintenance	1,412,344	1,389,883	1,435,463
Snow and ice removal	2,233,165	2,119,752	2,058,636
Street lighting	158,000	149,037	146,566
Street signs	37,800	30,043	31,448
Traffic lane marking	38,000	40,078	33,302
Traffic signals and signs Railway crossing signals	8,166 10,100	10,362 9,529	11,777 9,528
Public transit - Comex Service	173,088	124,499	161,775
Pension expense (recovery)	(8,284)	(8,284)	(43,875)
Sick leave expense	47,431	47,431	(11,328)
Interest	-	27,898	36,058
Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	(8,290)	(8,290)	(38,648)
Amortization	_2,919,545	2,919,545	2,963,622
	7,094,065	6,924,093	6,867,391
	\$ <u>7,718,215</u>	\$ <u>7,515,594</u>	\$ 7,426,172
Environmental health services			
Waste collection and disposal	\$ 1,113,405	\$ 1,125,307	\$ 1,081,233
Climate protection	4,000	3,702	365
	\$ <u>1,117,405</u>	\$ <u>1,129,009</u>	\$ <u>1,081,598</u>
	* <u></u>	+ <u>-1,1-2,100</u>	+ <u>1,001,070</u>

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

		2021 Budget		<u>2021</u> Actual		<u>2020</u> Actual
Environmental development services Administration Municipal plan Enterprise Saint John Envision Saint John: The Regional Growth Agenc Regional Services Commission Pension expense (recovery) Sick leave expense	\$ ·y 	353,131 27,500 - 168,000 7,600 (1,065) 6,097	\$	350,729 55,154 - 168,000 7,600 (1,065) 6,097	\$	280,047 (7) 112,133 - 5,227 (4,335) (1,119)
	\$_	561,263	\$_	586,515	\$_	391,946
Community services Administration Facilities maintenance Parks office Beaches Quispamsis Arena Qplex Parks and playgrounds Civic Centre Recreation programs Regional Facilities Commission Library Warehouse Food bank building Beach house Pension expense (recovery) Sick leave expense Interest Amortization	\$	185,540 602,530 92,031 72,940 337,548 1,832,057 983,832 - 77,295 532,253 161,906 13,975 10,115 62,835 (7,199) 41,221 -	\$	168,918 561,971 91,587 77,413 303,750 1,762,103 974,230 - 56,642 555,239 148,901 11,594 8,787 58,911 (7,199) 41,221 314,169 1,368,242	\$	174,112 454,774 83,375 37,062 278,618 1,044,214 772,582 46,211 6,850 610,282 149,798 9,429 7,494 34,273 (31,481) (8,128) 406,064 1,342,811
	\$	6,367,121	\$	6,496,479	\$	5,418,340
Utility services Water System Treatment Wellfields Pump Infrastructure Pension expense (recovery) Interest and bank charges Sick leave expense	\$	46,400 6,250 47,268 169,421 (458) 25,625 2,623 297,129	\$	41,532 13,414 41,849 175,626 (458) 26,281 2,623 300,867	\$	41,717 3,239 35,905 165,060 (2,440) 26,662 (630) 269,513

# NOTES TO CONSOLIDATED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
	Budget	Actual	Actual
Sewer System			
Sewer collection system	155,912	178,289	170,859
Sewer lift stations	305,098	337,561	296,150
Treatment and disposal	262,511	262,293	263,328
Pension expense (recovery)	(1,095)	(1,095)	(5,720)
Sick leave expense	6,269	6,269	(1,477)
Interest and bank charges	386,714	354,871	374,390
Loss (gain) on disposal of tangible capital asset	-	(20,357)	-
Amortization	1,265,288	1,265,288	1,227,268
	2,380,697	2,383,119	2,324,798
Administration			
Administration	686,585	621,447	516,862
Pension expense (recovery)	(1,428)	(1,428)	(6,310)
Sick leave expense	8,176	8,176	(1,629)
	693,333	628,195	508,923
	\$ <u>3,371,159</u>	\$ <u>3,312,181</u>	\$ <u>3,103,234</u>



# Town of Quispamsis – Rezoning Schedule

# $Select\ Applicable\ Boxes:$

	AMEND A	SECTION	59	COMMUNITY	PLANNING.	ACT	AGREEMENT
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 $\boxtimes$  AMEND ZONING BY-LAW \$1500 fee paid/March 8/22

☐ AMEND MUNICIPAL PLAN BY-LAW & ZONING BY-LAW

LI AMEND MUNICIPAL PLAN BY-LAW 8	
	ROPERTY INFORMATION
Applicant's Contact Information:	Name: Rob Viger, Rugged Residential Inc. Address:15 Corduroy Rd., Quispamsis, NB Telephone No.: 780-239-2546 Email: robviger77@hotmail.com
Name & Contact of other Agent representing applicant, (if different from above):	Name: Andrew Toole, P. Eng., Don-More Surveys & Engineering Address: 16 Fulton Ln., Saint John, NB E2H 2W4 Telephone No.:506-652-1522 Email: info@dmse.ca
Identification of Property:	A portion of PID No.: 231928, (8.1 hectares of 13 hectare parcel), off Corduroy Road Property Description: Maple Ridge Estates – Cargo Lane –
Current Zoning Status:	Rural Residential (RU)
Proposed Zoning Status:	Multiple Residential (R2)
Proposed Use:	To develop a Bare Land Condo clustered development to be registered under the <i>Condominium Act</i> , consisting of 19 separate units on 8.1 hectares (approx. 20 acres), off Corduroy Road, (which is off Elliot Road)
Proposed Am	ENDMENT SCHEDULE
Council's Receipt of Application:	April 5, 2022
Public Presentation (Only required when a Municipal Plan Amendment is involved)	N/A
Refer to PAC:	April 5, 2022
Issue Notice to landowners within 100m radius of property proposed for change:	April 5, 2022
Public Hearing:	May 3, 2022
Consideration of 1st & 2nd Reading:	May 3, 2022
Consideration of 3 <sup>rd</sup> & Final Reading (Pending finalization of developer's agreement)	May 17, 2022
RECOMMENDATION for Council Mot following the Public Hearing, considerat	1000 ion – At the May 3, 2022 Regular Meeting, $100$ ion of $1$ and $10$ reading.



# Staff Report to Council

Date: April 28, 2022

From: Dwight Colbourne, PTech -Planning (Development) Officer

#### Subject:

Rugged Residential Inc. – Request to Amend Zoning By-law No. 038 – Rezoning of PID 00231928 from Rural (Ru) or Multiple Residential (R2) – Bare-Land Condominium Development Public Hearing.

#### Background and Discussion:

Rugged Residential Inc. (Mr. Rob Vigor) is requesting an amendment to Zoning By-law 038 for a proposed Bare-Land Condominium residential development on the lands identified by PID 00231928 (herein also referred to as Maple Ridge Estates Condo).

Rugged Residential Inc. has been developing the Maple Ridge Estates residential subdivision for over 5 years as conventional residential development (i.e., 1-acre lots) and is now looking to undertake a different approach to develop the more topographically challenging part of the land. Using the Sustainable Community Design model to undertake a cluster style development with a Bare-Land Condominium ownership model.

PID 00231928 is currently zoned Rural (RU); therefore, to allow a condominium residential style the property must be rezoned from RU to R2, as per the Municipal Plan By-law and Zoning By-law, and conducted per the Community Planning Act (CPA).

As stated in the Rezoning Application and supporting documentation, Rugged Residential Inc. is proposing a Bare-Land Condominium residential neighbourhood style of development (as depicted by the red blocks in the image) with:

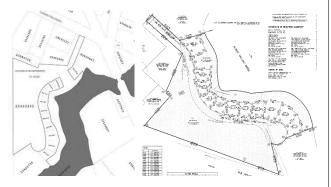
- 19 dwelling units on 8.1 hectares (19.9 acres) of the 13 hectares (32.1 acres) total lot area of PID 00231928.
- The remainder of PID 00231928 will be developed as typical one acre lot single dwelling units being located to the north of the bare-land condominium development.
- Eco-friendly buildings and amenities with the aim to reducing the neighborhoods carbon footprint
- This will be a two-phase project



As the development will be a condominium style ownership, each dwelling unit, and the land on which they directly occupy, is distinctly owned with a condominium corporation owning the shared areas, the access from the public street and infrastructure servicing the units. The condominium must be registered with the province and subject to the provincial Condominium Act and regulations. This means the Developer, in collaboration with the provincial Manger of Condominiums must establishment of a Condominium By-law for the development that will govern the operation of the condominium corporation and ensure the upkeep and maintenance of shared areas and entities, as well as maintaining a standard of upkeep for the distinctly owned properties.

As stated in the Condominium Act Section 4(2), in addition to the requirements set out in the Act and this Regulation, a declaration and description for a bare-land condominium property shall be accompanied by a letter from the relevant local government or regional service commission, as the case may be, confirming that the bare-land condominium property is in compliance with any zoning by-law or regulation. At this stage, the current zoning of the land does not permit the condominium development; therefore, a rezoning must be enacted by Council for compliance as required by the province.

Bare-Land condominium exist in other locations in the province, with a similar one in Grand -Digue (image to the right). The proposed Maple Ridge Estates Condo development is of a similar layout. The proposed layout for Maple Ridge is referred to as a "Cluster" development is based on the Sustainable Community Design as promoted by the province. The conventional typical subdivision design would see 19 one-



acre parcels developed on the subject property; however, given topographic constraints there are significant challenges to support conventional design. Bring the dwelling units closer supports the same level of density development (1unit/acre); however, there is a reduction in the overall impacts on the land as much of the land stays undeveloped.

The Municipal Plan provides policy statements for residential development in the Rural Zone based on conventional subdivision design – 4047 sq. metres (1 acre) per building lot. The 1-acre lot density is to provide sufficient land for the dwelling unit, individual onsite sewage disposal system and drilled well. The proposed development applies the same level of density with 19 units per 19 acres; however, it eliminates the individual sewage disposal system and drilled well per unit with the installation of communal systems; as such it is not a higher density level of development but a clustering of the development.

Rugged Residentials Inc.'s proposed Bare-Land Condo development and request to amend the Zoning By-law is in keeping with the Municipal Plan as adopted by the Council in 2018. Council through the Municipal Plan established policies aimed at fostering more sustainable development through innovative approaches for mixed and compact developments, diversification of house-styles and options for all ages and family types while continuing to a sense of community and neighbourhoods. The proposed development aims to achieve that goal in a Rural setting based on proven and acceptable land development practices.

Rugged Residential Inc.'s application for the proposed Zoning By-law amendment is now at the Public Hearing Stage. The Public Hearing is required as per the Community Planning Act and is an opportunity for Council to hear and consider the public's views on the proposed

development. The Council is to consider the view's received through written correspondence as well as those hear expressed at the Public Hearing.

When considering the concerns expressed by the public it is important to use the conditions established in the Municipal Plan as the reference when determining if sufficient information has been provided to demonstrate the conditions can be or will be meet and in doing mitigate the concerns to the satisfaction of the Town, and the development of the lands in the manner proposed is reasonable, desirable and keeping with the intent of the Municipal Plan and Zoning By-law.

In considering the proposed development it would be reasonable for the Council to apply the conditions established in the Municipal Plan for higher density residential uses (3 units or more) being consider for approval through an amendment process as per Section 59 of the Community Planning Act. Although the proposed development is not a "higher density" development, the conditions established in the Municipal Plan are the reasonable framework when consider conditions that must be satisfied to mitigate potential impacts on existing properties and municipal infrastructure, the safety of the public and the quality of life in the area. The conditions to be considered are as follows:

- 1. The development be located on, or adjacent to, a designated arterial or collector street, so that higher traffic generated will not pass-through lower density residential streets.
- 2. The lot size, yard requirements, building height, number of units and parking requirements be subject to the conditions as outlined in the Zoning By-law.
- 3. The development will not exceed capacities of existing municipal services.
- 4. If the proposed site is not serviced by a municipal water system, then the proponent must undertake a hydrogeological study to demonstrate that the local well yield is of sufficient quality and quantity to support the density of development proposed and existing wells will not be adversely affected by the proposed development.
- 5. There are adequate landscaped buffer areas on the lot periphery to screen the buildings and parking areas from adjacent low density residential development.

Whereas the rezoning of lands must be completed as per the requirements of Section 59 of the Community Planning Act, notice was provided directly to all property owners within 100 metres of the subject lands, as well as general notice was given to the public through posting on the Town website. No concerns were received regarding the proposed development.

The application was also forward to the Planning Advisory Committee for their written comments. The PAC supported the proposed project unanimously and provided specific conditions the committee believe reasonable to included in the Development Agreement.

#### Financial Implications:

No expected financial implications to the 2022 municipal budget

#### Attachment(s):

- 1. Rugged Residential Inc. Rezoning Application
- 2. Maple Ridge Estates Condo Development Brief from Don-More Surveys and Engineering Ltd.
- 3. Maple Ridge Estates Condo Overview Site Plan

- 4. Maple Ridge Estates Condo Exterior Building Views and Floor Plans
- 5. Sustainable Community Design Information Session Mr. Daniel Savard

#### Recommendation:

Council gives first and second readings to the proposed Zoning By-law amendment with consideration of third and final reading pending the execution of a Section 59 Development Agreement.

# Maple Ridge Estates

April 5, 2022

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# Currently zoned Rural

1 acre lots

Matches what has already been done in Maple Ridge (Corduroy Road, Khaki Court)

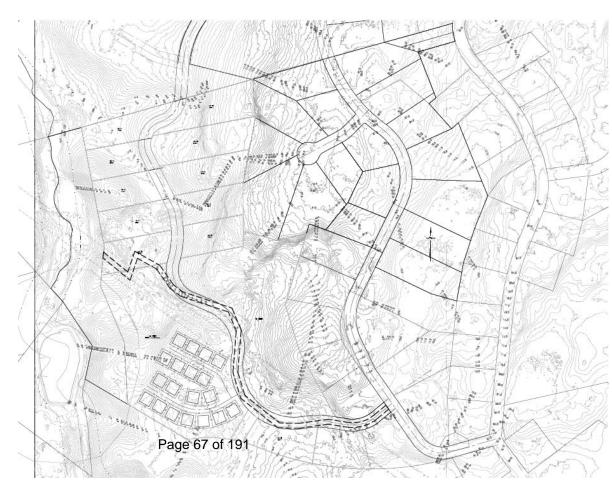
New development area:
Development area is 20 acres outside of roads - in traditional development this translates to 20 lots.
Looking to do the same density (19 lots), but in a much more sustainable way.
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# Challenges

Steep slopes

Transmission lines

Environmental setbacks



Cluster of 19 units
Bare Land
condominium
Private streets
Shared sanitary
treatment and
wells





Fusion® Series Treatment Systems
Small Scale Residential & Commercial Treatment Units

### Clarus Environmental Overview

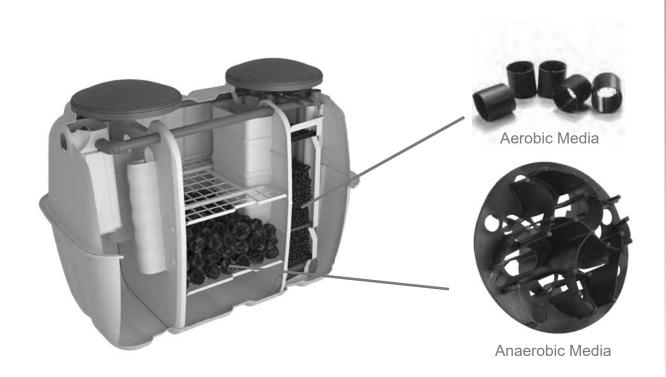
Clarus Environmental is a division of the Zoeller Company, an industry leader in pumps and pumping systems since 1939. Our objective is to meet the growing demand for solutions, products, and services in the fields of environmental protection and wastewater treatment. We seek to provide our customers with environmentally friendly solutions by offering high quality products and proven technology. When it comes to wastewater treatment systems and products, Clarus Environmental has the solutions for you.

### Fusion® Series Overview

The Fusion® Series Treatment Systems combine the best elements of anaerobic and aerobic digestion to provide superior wastewater treatment. The system readily and consistently meets the secondary treatment standards of 9 mg/L CBOD<sub>5</sub>, and 9 mg/L TSS. Because the Fusion® is equipped with built-in pretreatment, no additional septic tank is needed unless required. The system's two types of media provide a stable environment to ensure that strong bacterial colonies remain even after high flow events that may impede the performance of a normal septic tank.

The anaerobic chamber uses fixed media to improve the efficiency of traditional primary treatment. The aerobic chamber employs suspended media in two zones to enhance secondary treatment. The upper zone provides a stable home for beneficial bacteria to colonize. The packed lower zone provides a filtration mechanism while a sludge return process enables the efficient reduction of suspended solids in the effluent. Additionally, an automatic backwash routine stirs the media with air, twice daily, to thoroughly break up accumulated solids. These solids are then returned to the sedimentation chamber. Denitrification is achieved by returning nitrified effluent to a carbon-rich anoxic environment in the first chamber.

The use of media within the Fusion® yields extremely reliable treatment. Although wastewater constituents and flow rates can vary from day to day, the Fusion® will continue to perform consistently, effectively, and efficiently. The system can even sustain low or no flow periods for several months with little or no disruption of effluent quality.

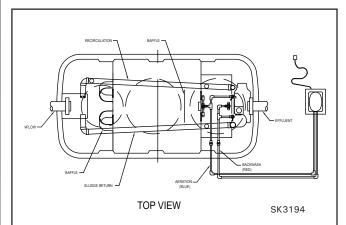


## PROCESS DESCRIPTION

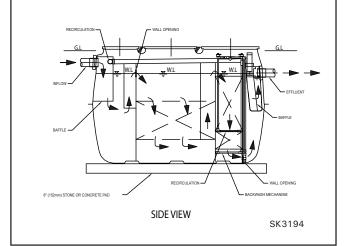
How the **Fusion**® system works



Certified to NSF/ANSI Standard 40 Class 1 Performance Designation



### Numbers correspond to the explanations below.



### 1. Sedimentation Chamber

This chamber is designed to physically separate solids (sludge) and floating materials (scum) from the incoming water.

#### 2. Anaerobic Chamber

This chamber contains a spherical-skeleton type of filter media (4.3 inch diameter). Through fixed film processes on the surface of the filter media, biological anaerobic treatment thrives while suspended solids are captured. Furthermore, the microorganisms in this chamber convert nitrates in the recirculated effluent returning from the aerobic chamber to gaseous nitrogen. The nitrogen then escapes to the atmosphere.

### 3. Aerobic Filter Media Chamber

The aerobic floating and circulating filter media chamber consists of an aeration upper section and a filter media lower section. The chamber is filled with hollow, cylindrical filter media (0.6 inch diameter and 0.55 inches long). Biological treatment takes place with the help of the fixed film growth on the filter media surface. Aeration is continuous. Residual suspended solids are captured by the filter media circulating in this section.

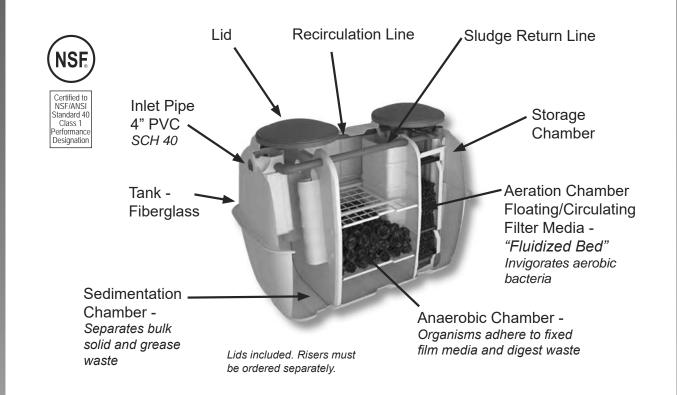
The filter media in the Aeration chamber are backwashed regularly (5 or 10 minute cycle, twice a day) by the backwash system located at the bottom of the chamber. The backwashed effluent is transferred by air lift back into the sedimentation chamber for further digestion.

### 4. Treated Water Storage Chamber

During normal operation, a recirculation line transfers a portion of the treated effluent back into the sedimentation chamber by way of an air lift. This chamber is designed to temporarily store treated effluent coming out of the aerobic filter media chamber. The treated effluent in the storage chamber is ready for discharge.

All Clarus Environmental products must be installed and maintained in accordance with all applicable codes.

Product information presented here reflects conditions at time of publication. Consult factory regarding discrepancies or inconsistencies.



### **Application:**

Residential/commercial wastewater secondary treatment **Treatment Unit Types:** 

> 5250-0001 ► 450 GPD 5250-0003 -→ 800 GPD

Waste strength reduction\*:

9 mg/l CBOD<sub>5</sub> 9 mg/l TSS

### Material:

Materials will not corrode in the septic environment. Media never needs to be removed or replaced.

### Easy to install or retrofit:

Fusion® Series Treatment Systems are compact, efficient, and designed to be installed in a typical residential/commercial environment.

### Maintenance:

The system requires semiannual maintenance and will be provided with maintenance contract information. Maintenance provider is dependent upon geographical location.

Chambana	Actual Values Volumes (gallons)	
Chambers		
Model Number	ZF450	ZF800
Sedimentation Chamber	130	258
Anaerobic Chamber	262	526
Aeration Chamber	80	132
Storage Chamber	73	129.5
Total	545	1046
Inflow in gallons/day	450	800
Size: Width in inches	44	56
Length in inches	85	99
Height in inches	62	74
Weight in pounds	504	882

<sup>\*</sup>Based upon residential strength waste and NSF/ANSI Std 40 performance evaluation.

### Versatility

Fusion® Series Treatment Systems are easily installed in both new construction and retrofit applications.

Other applications in which Fusion® Systems are beneficial include:

- high water tables
- shallow bedrock
- shallow soil restrictive horizons
- heavy clay soils
- small lots
- renovation of failed systems
- environmentally sensitive areas
- surface discharge applications
- reuse applications

Always consult your state and local regulations for specific design & installation requirements.

## Fusion® Discharge Options

Treated effluent from the Fusion® system is suitable for discharge into either a soil absorption system or to the surface. Discharge options are dependent upon the site/soil conditions as well as the state and local regulations.

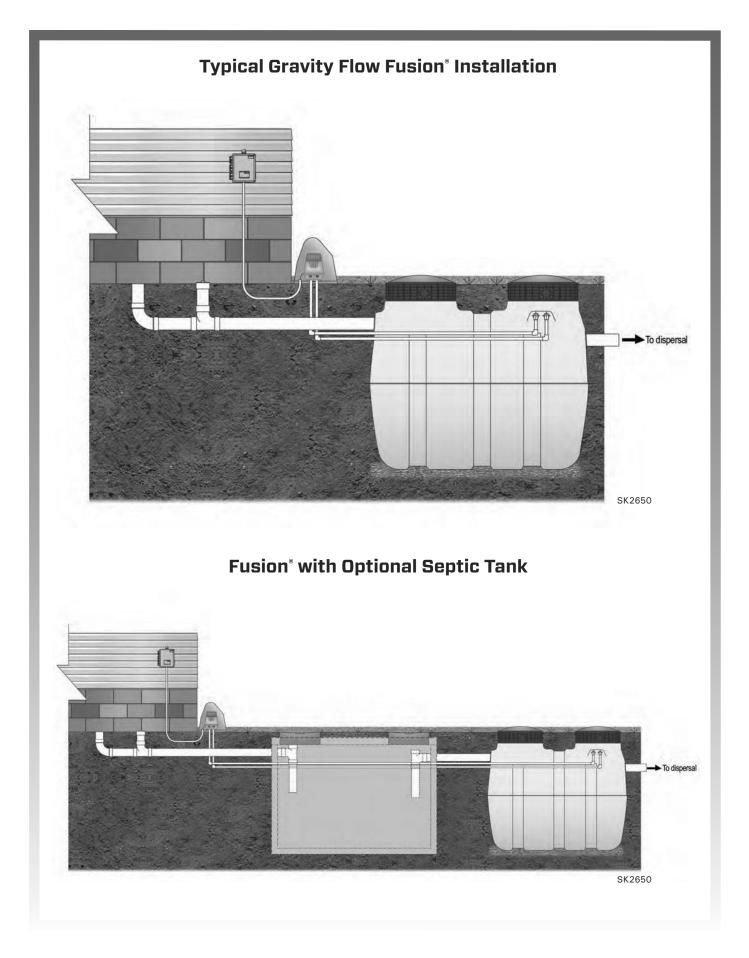
### **Soil Absorption Systems**

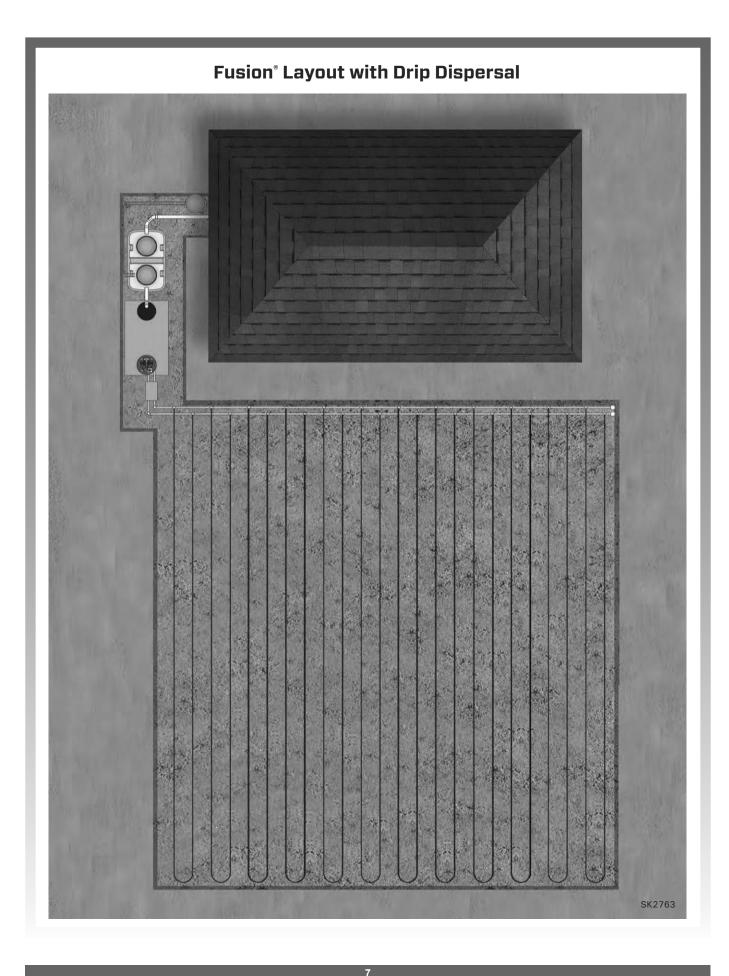
Since the Fusion® system treats effluent to such a high level, many state and local regulations allow a reduction in the size of the soil absorption system compared to soil absorption systems receiving conventional septic tank effluent. This is based upon the fact that the bulk of the treatment occurs within the Fusion® system, rather than in the soil. Finished Fusion® effluent can be dispersed into nearly all available soil absorption options. Conventional gravel trench systems, leaching chamber systems, drip irrigation systems, and various gravelless pipe technologies are all examples of common dispersal technologies following Fusion® treatment.

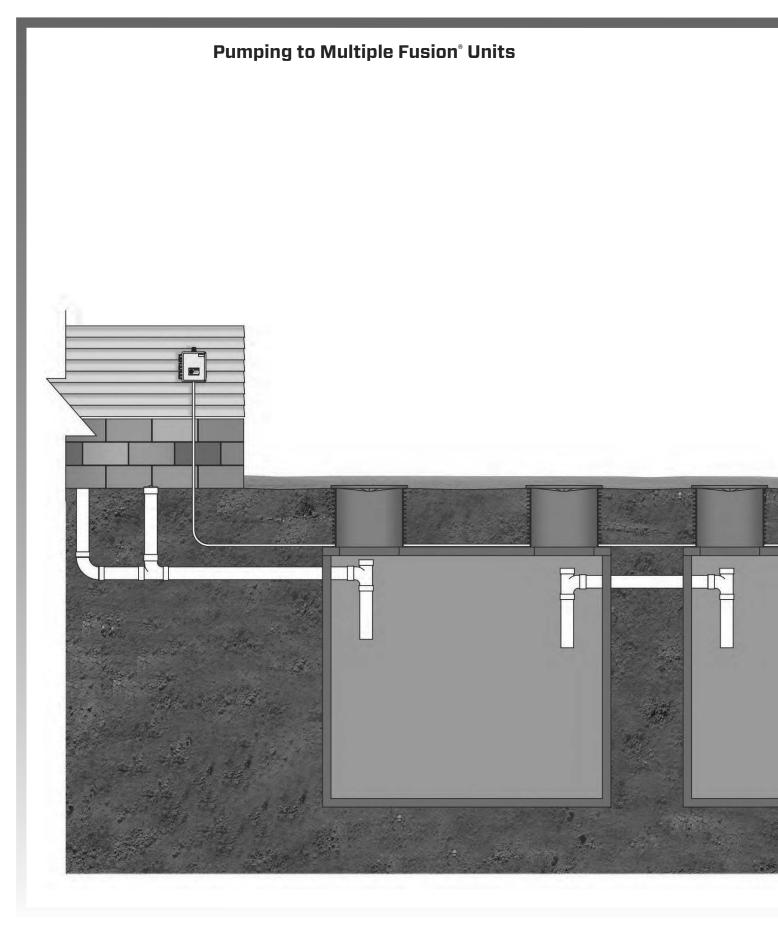
### Surface Discharge Systems

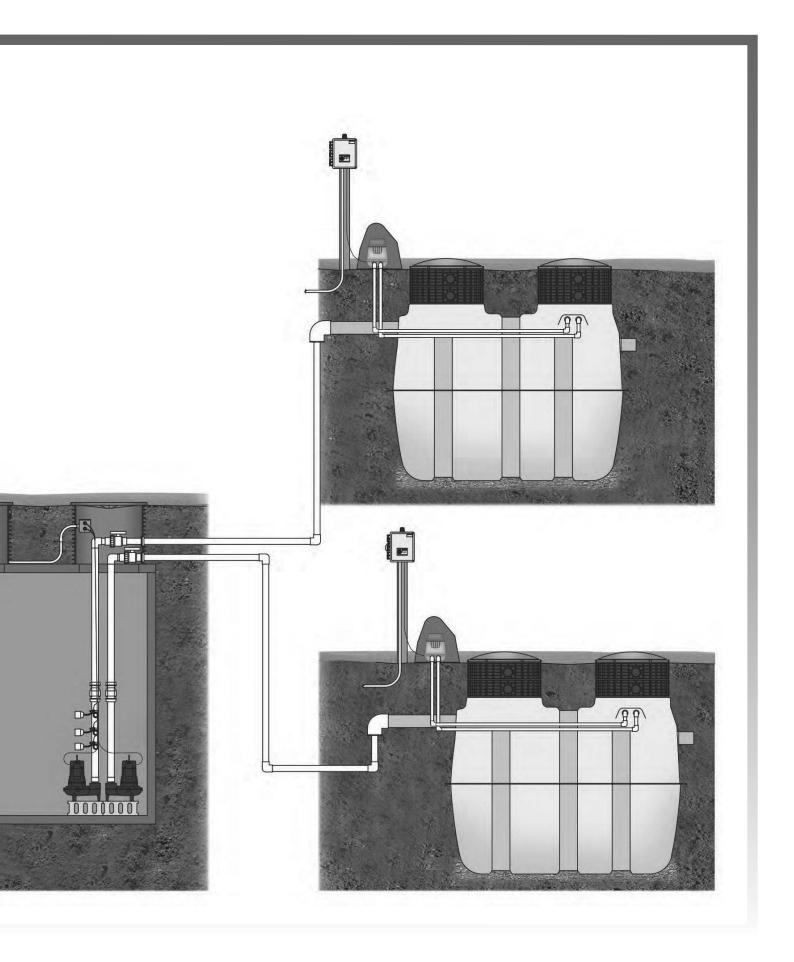
Surface discharge options typically include either direct/indirect stream discharge or surface irrigation systems. The treated effluent normally requires disinfection by chlorination or ultraviolet light to reduce coliform bacteria to acceptable levels. In addition, a post-treatment aeration device may be required to increase dissolved oxygen levels, depending upon state and local regulations.

For additional information or assistance with discharge options, please contact Clarus Environmental.









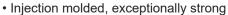
## FUSION® UNITS & ACCESSORIES

### **Fusion® Series Treatment Systems**

P/N 5250-0001 ZF450 Fusion® P/N 5250-0003 ZF800 Fusion®

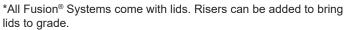
### Economy 20" and 24" Riser Systems\*

P/N 5085-0001 20" X 6" Riser P/N 5085-0002 20" Cover 24" X 6" Riser P/N 5086-0001 P/N 5086-0002 24" Cover



- HDPE is noncorrodible in a septic environment
- Watertight
- Simple to install
- Stackable
- Economical





ZF450 has 2 - 24" diameter openings

ZF800 has 2 - 24" diameter openings and 1 - 20" diameter opening.



### **UV Disinfection Unit #3G**

P/N 5250-0004

The Salcor Model 3G Ultraviolet Disinfection Unit is designed to disinfect the effluent from advanced treatment units. It couples directly to the discharge pipe and is permanently installed below grade.



## FUSION® SERVICE PARTS

### **Blower Assembly**

P/N 5250-0050 Model Duo 80

Programmable compressor that feeds oxygen to the aeration chamber and powers recirculation/sludge return.

- 115V, 1 PH, 71 watt/hr
- 80L/min





## Fusion® Alarm Panel

P/N 10-2148

- 120V, 1 PH, 10 Amp
- Alarm float w/30' cord
- Audible and visual alarm



## **Blower Air Filter**

P/N 152950

• Fits Duo 80 blower



### **Blower Diaphragm Kit**

P/N 152949

• Fits Duo 80 blower



## **Blower Air Filter**

P/N 018849

• Fits MX80, MX80N and MX80NZ blowers



### **Blower Diaphragm Kit**

P/N 018848

• Fits MX80N and MX80NZ blowers



### Fusion® Service Kit (Full version)

P/N 5250-0007

Kit contains 250 mL ladle, 60cm transparency tube, tool box, sludge judge w/ case (not shown), 1 box of latex gloves, 1000 mL graduated plastic beaker, O&M Fusion manual, maintenance check sheet and Fusion door hanger (not shown).

## Fusion® Service Kit (Compact version)

P/N 5250-0035

Kit includes all items listed in the full version, except for the tool box and latex gloves.



SECTION: C3.10.120 CL0052 0120 Supersedes 0218



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## ${\bf Application\ for\ a\ Municipal\ Plan\ By-law,\ and/or\ Zoning\ By-law\ or}$

## **DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT AMENDMENT**

То:	Mayor & Council c/o Town Clerk Town of Quispamsis 12 Landing Court Quispamsis, NB E2E 4R2 Email: csnow@quispamsis.ca	OFFICE USE ONLY  Date: March 9, 2022  Fee Received: Yes  No  Copy to Planning Dept
To be	completed by Applicant following pre-consultation w	ith Planning Department.
Select	t Applicable Boxes:	
Al	MEND A DEVELOPMENT AGREEMENT ( SECTION 59 COMM	UNITY PLANNING ACT) – Fee, \$850
<b>√</b> AI	MEND ZONING BY-LAW ONLY – Fee, \$1,500	
Al	MEND MUNICIPAL PLAN BY-LAW & ZONING BY-LAW – Fee	\$1,800
	Date of Pre-Consultation with Planning Staff (if one was held	):
(N	Month/Day/Year)	
	The undersigned hereby applies to the Council of the Town of Act for an amendment to a Section 59 Development Agree and\or Zoning By-law as described in this application:	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Re	egistered Owner(s): Rugged Residential dinc.	Cell Phone No.: 7802299525
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(	Other:			
i.	Current Zoning Designation:	<b>昭1</b> ————————————————————————————————————		
i.	Proposed Zoning Designation	n: <b>R2</b>		
. Dimensions in metric units of the land to be rezoned:				
9	See attached plams			
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	Describe the existing use(s) o	n the subject land:		
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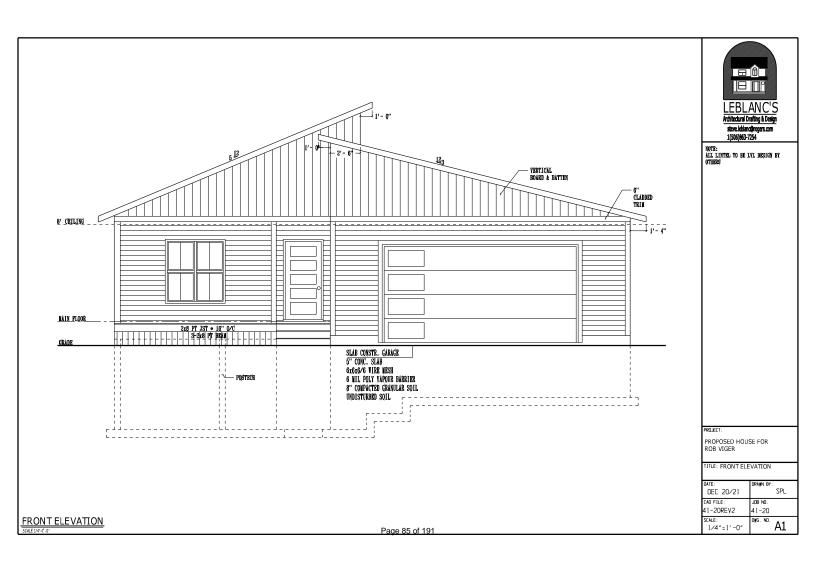
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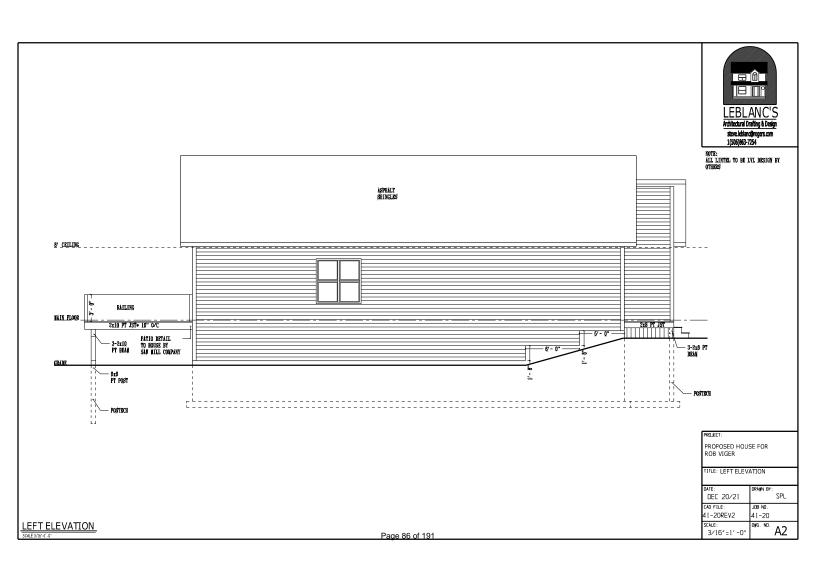
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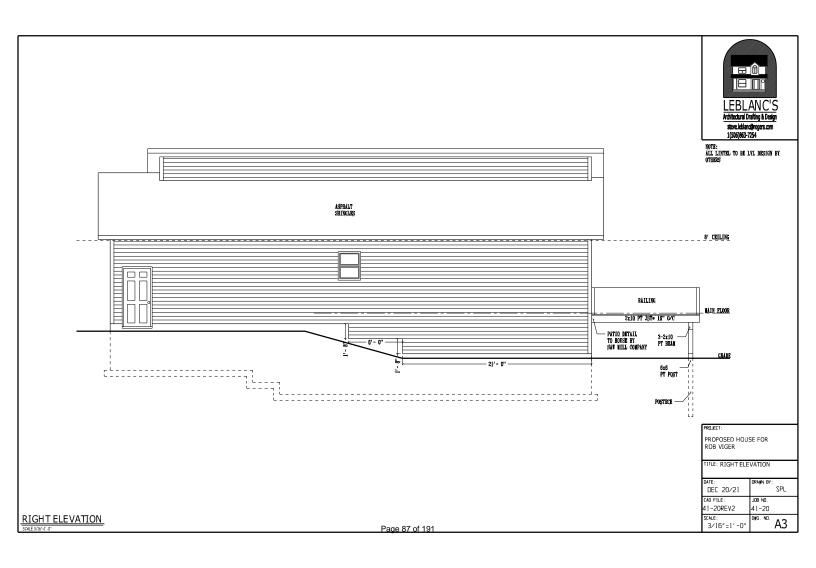
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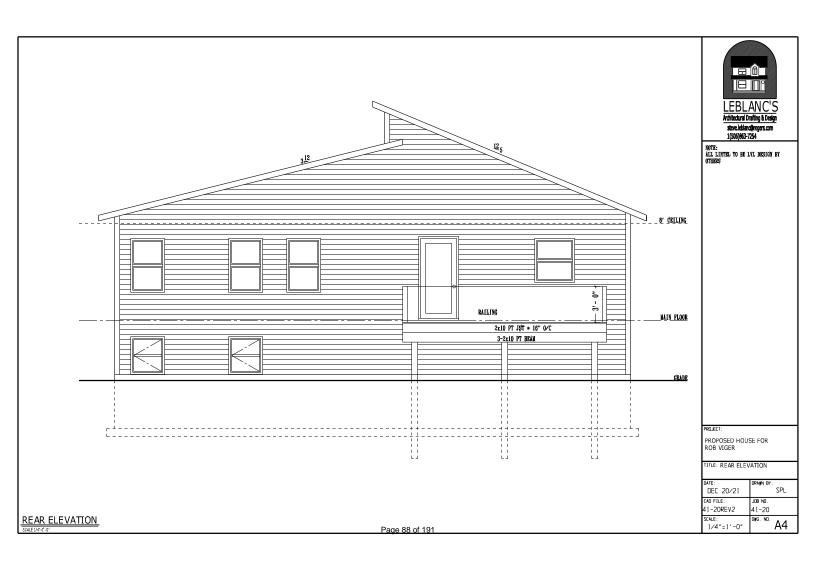
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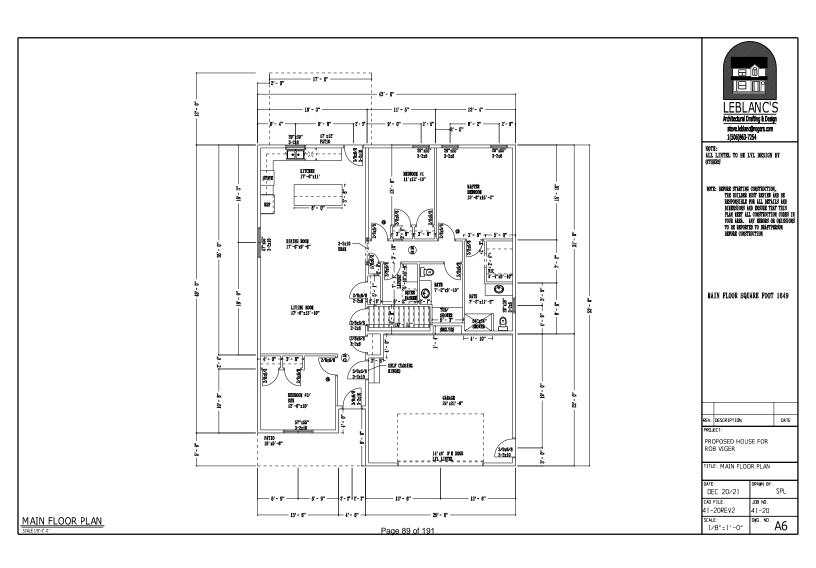
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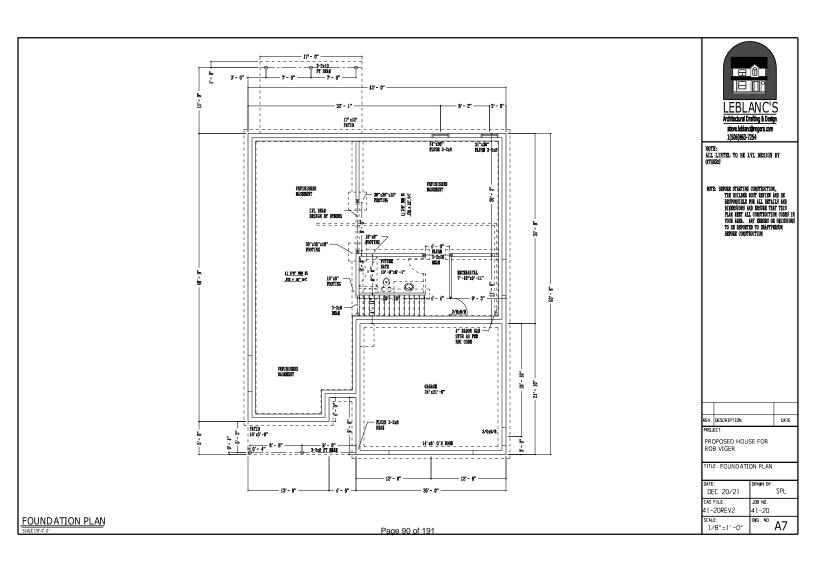


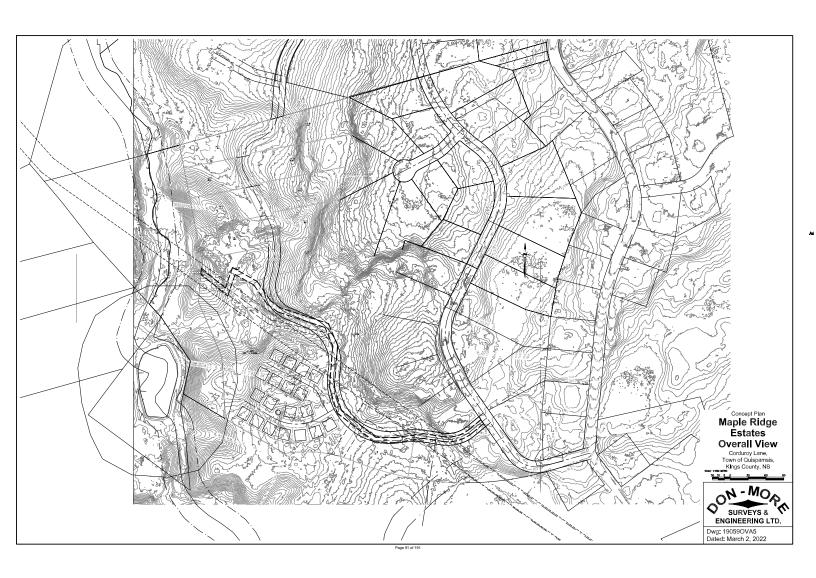


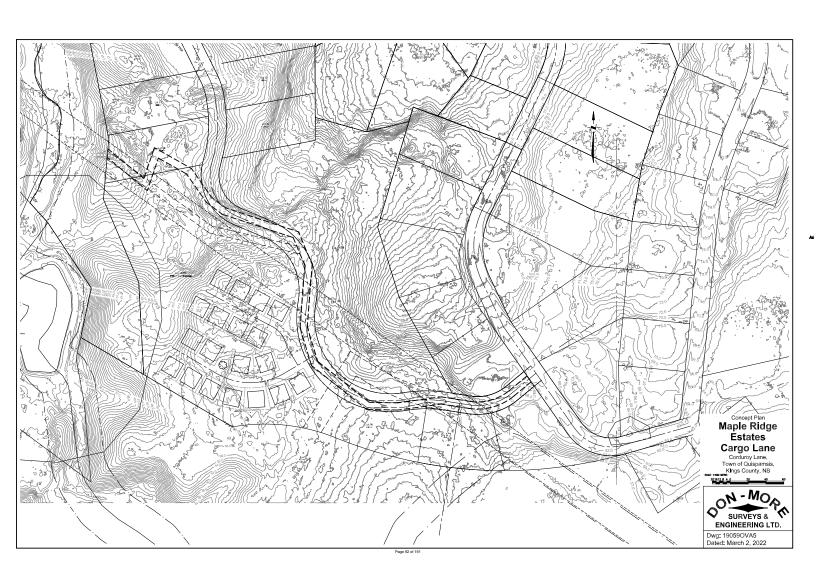


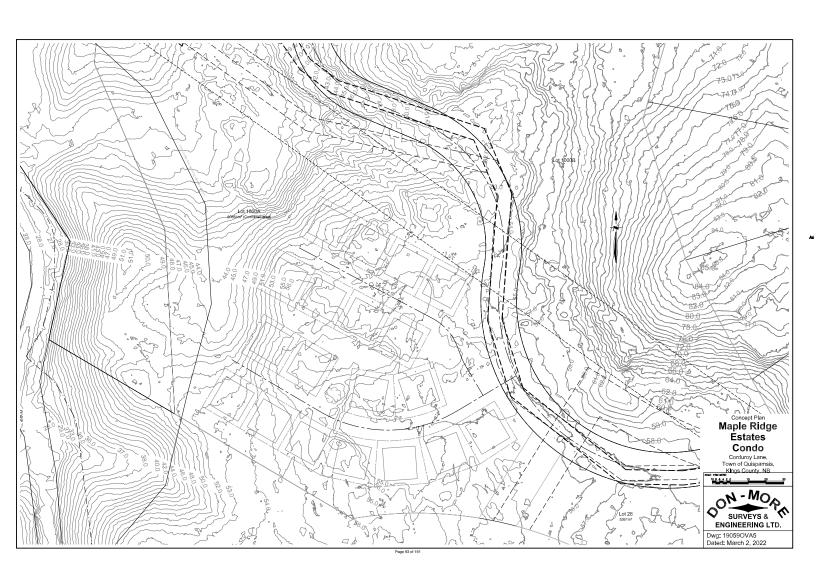














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March 2, 2022

Dwight Colbourne
Town of Quispamsis
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VIA E-Mail: dcolbourne@quispamsis.ca

## Re: Maple Ridge Estates - Cargo Lane

Don-More Surveys and Engineering Ltd. has been engaged by Rugged Residential Inc. to support the development of the next phase of Maple Ridge Estates adjacent to Corduroy Road which will consist of the extension of Cargo Lane through the remainder of the property as generally illustrated on the attached concept plan. This road extension will support the existing lots which have been created on a private access by converting them to access to a public street, as well as servicing new areas for future development.

The development will be composed of two types of development. The initial section that Cargo Lane passes through is a very challenging section in terms of development in that there are significant rock outcrops, steep slopes, a transmission line, and various site constraints that limit where development can take place. In this area we are proposing a modified approach following design guidelines based on Sustainable Community Design. <a href="https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/elg/environment/content/sustainable\_communitydesign.html">https://www2.gnb.ca/content/gnb/en/departments/elg/environment/content/sustainable\_communitydesign.html</a>

The remainder of the site will be developed based on the traditional one acre lot style of development.

### Sustainable Community Design

This area of the development will be developed at a similar density as the overall development, but developed as a cluster of residences concentrated in the relatively flat and more desirable area lying west of Cargo Lane. The actual mechanism used to support this development will be a bare land condominium.

The overall parcel comprises an area of about 8.1ha. This area will become the common area owned by the condominium corporation. 19 individual sites will be created linked by a private roadway system to support the development of the individual residences. Shared wells will be constructed to support the new residences. Shared on-site septic systems will be constructed to treat the effluent generated from the development. The condominium corporation will own

and maintain the private roadway system, wells and treatment systems.

This portion of the development will require a rezoning to the R2 zone to support clustered development.

### **Development density**

The density of the proposed development is slightly less than what is allowed as-of-right using the traditional one acre lot style of development. The development footprint is approximately 8.1ha. A minimum lot using the current zoning requires 4050m². This would translate to 20 one acre lots.

The proposed approach results in the same overall density in the development, but clusters the dwellings in the more desirable and developable area of the site.

### **Traffic**

Cargo Lane is currently a private access. This area will be upgraded to a public street standard, and extended through the development as a public street. Generally we should encourage higher density zones to be located closer to collector and arterial streets to discourage higher traffic volumes through low density residential developments.

In this case, Elliott Road is a collector street. Cargo Lane connects to Corduroy Road early in the development, resulting in the new street not passing through the existing residential area.

Even though R2 zoning is considered a higher density residential zone, in this case the resulting density following development will be similar to the existing residential development around it.

### Water servicing

The new dwellings will be serviced using shared wells. As part of the detailed design process, a detailed hydrological assessment will be conducted. One of the outcomes of this will be a determination of the number of residential dwellings that can be serviced per well. Preliminary conversations indicate that we are likely to end up at a level of about 4 buildings per well.

### Sanitary servicing

The new dwellings are clustered closely together. A small private collection system composed of a gravity sewer network complete with manholes and interconnected via sanitary sewer will be developed to collect and transport the sanitary from the residences to the treatment.

Treatment will be carried out using an on-site treatment solution. Partial treatment will take place using Clarus Environmental - Fusion Series Treatment System. Following treatment by this system, the effluent will pass into a drip field for final treatment.

A number of these systems are currently in use in New Brunswick and we have had

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preliminary discussions with both the supplier and an installer of prior systems here in New Brunswick. During detailed design, the final details of the system will be developed and approved by the Department of Public Safety.

These systems do require annual maintenance, and the condominium model is seen as a very positive benefit in helping ensure that this on-going maintenance actually happens. Part of the condominium creation and operation process is the development of a reserve fund to support activities like the on-going maintenance of this system, as well as the water wells and pumps, private roads in terms of plowing and garbage disposal, etc.

If you have any questions please contact the undersigned.

Yours truly,

Don-More Surveys & Engineering Ltd.

Andrew Tools

Andrew Toole, NBLS, P.Eng.



### Town of Quispamsis

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### **NOTICE OF DECISION**

TO: Rugged Residential Inc.

Attn: Rob Viger 15 Corduroy Road

Quispamsis, NB E2G 0K6

TAKE NOTICE that a decision of the Quispamsis Planning Advisory Committee was rendered in the matter of your request pursuant to the provisions of the *Community Planning Act of New Brunswick*.

### 1. Matter requested:

Council is seeking input from the Planning Advisory Committee in the Rezoning of an 8.1 hectare (19.9 acre) portion of the 13 hectare (32.1 acre) total lot area of PID 00231928 from Rural (Ru) or Multiple Residential (R2).

### 2. Date, Place of Consideration of Request:

Date: April 12, 2022

Planning Advisory Committee Meeting, Council Chambers

### 3. Decision of Committee:

That the Planning Advisory Committee support Council in the Rezoning of an 8.1 hectare (19.9 acre) portion of the 13 hectare (32.1 acre) total lot area of PID 00231928 from Rural (Ru) or Multiple Residential (R2) for a Bare-Land Condominium Development, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. Cargo Road must be constructed to a Public street standard;
- 2. The private lane ways are to be designed as per the National Building Code to ensure sufficient access to all units by emergency service personnel;
- 3. The development must be registered with the Province as a Condominium Development under the Condominium Act;
- 4. The Onsite Sewage Disposal system must be designed by a professional engineer as per the New Brunswick Technical Guidelines for On-site Sewage Disposal Systems and Department of Public Safety;
- 5. The completion of a Comprehensive Water Source and Supply Assessment and undergo screening as it relates to the completion of Environmental Impact Assessment;

- 6. An engineered design Stormwater Management Plan and Drainage system stamped by a registered Professional Engineer licensed to practice in the Province of New Brunswick is to be completed and submitted for each phase of the development;
- 7. Street lighting installation at the entrance to the development shall be installed;
- 8. All building lights to be downward directed;
- 9. All materials and equipment ordered on site are the responsibility of the Developer;
- 10. The Developer is to enter into a Developer's Agreement with the Town of Quispamsis;
- 11. The lands shall be developed in accordance with the most recently dated Building and Development Plans filed with and approved by the Town for each phase;
- 12. The total number of units is nineteen (19) units for that portion being proposed for Condominium Development;
- 13. A review of the LPP credit is to be undertaken prior to final plan approvals to ensure LPP obligations as it relates to the proposed development is found to be in compliance with the Subdivision By-law. If additional LPP requirements need to be satisfied, the Developer is to submit a proposal to the PAC for review prior to final subdivision plan approval by the Council; and
- 14. If the Development does not substantially proceed within six (6) months of the date of approval for each phase, the Developer shall restore the lands to an attractive natural state, and such restoration is to be completed within sixty (60) days.

### 4. Other:

The Planning Advisory Committee (PAC) support is only for the Rezoning of portion of the 13 hectare property of PID 00231928 from Rural (Ru) or Multiple Residential (R2) for a Bare-Land Condominium Development as outlined in the received plans. Further review of the PAC may be required as the development proceeds.

DATED this 14th day of April A.D., 2022.

Cc: Building Inspection Department, Town of Quispamsis

Cc: Andrew Toole, Don-More Surveys & Engineering Ltd. 4-60 Maple Avenue, Sussex, NB E4E 2N5

Violet Brown, Secretary

Quispamsis Planning Advisory Committee

## AMENDMENT NO. 038-36 TO ZONING BY-LAW NO. 038 A BY-LAW OF THE MUNICIPALITY OF QUISPAMSIS RESPECTING ZONING

**BE IT ENACTED** by the Council of the town of Quispamsis that Zoning By-Law No. 038, a By-law of the Municipality of Quispamsis Respecting Zoning, is hereby amended as follows:

By rezoning the following property from "Rural" (RU) to "Multiple Residential" (R2), subject to the property owner entering into a development agreement pursuant to the provisions of Section 59 of the *Community Planning Act, 2017, Ch. 19*:

A parcel of land, identified as PID No.: 231928, consisting of approximately 8.1 hectares of a 13 hectare parcel, off Corduroy Road, and further identified as Maple Ridge Estates – Cargo Lane.

READ FIRST TIME:

READ SECOND TIME:

READ THIRD TIME AND ENACTED:

SEAL

X	X	
Elizabeth (Libby) O'Hara	Catherine Snow	
Mayor	Town Clerk	

Amendment No. 038-36 to Zoning By-law No. 038 Page 1

Quispamsis

## Schedule "A"







## QUISPAMSIS TOWN COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING MINUTES

April 19, 2022, 7:00 pm Council Chambers Quispamsis Town Hall

Present: Mayor Libby O'Hara

Deputy Mayor Mary Schryer (Electronic Attendance)

Councillor Mike Biggar
Councillor Noah Donovan
Councillor Kerrie Luck
Councillor Kirk Miller
Councillor Emil T. Olsen
Councillor Beth Thompson

Brandon, Krista; Treasurer

Colbourne, Dwight; Municipal Planning Officer

Kennedy, Aaron; Acting CAO

Losier, Gary; Director of Engineering & Works

MacInnis, Lisa; Assistant Clerk

Purton Dickson, Dana; Director of Community Services

Absent: Snow, Catherine; Town Clerk (out of town)

### 1. Approval of Agenda

**Moved By** Councillor Thompson **Seconded By** Councillor Donovan

The Agenda be approved as presented.

**Motion Carried** 

### 2. Mayor's Comments

<u>Comex Public Transit</u> – Mayor O'Hara referenced the rising gasoline costs and invited people to take advantage of the Comex Bus Service, noting it is an excellent opportunity to increase ridership as well as to reduce GHG emissions.

NB Power Program – Mayor O'Hara made note that the Town of Quispamsis' Climate Change Committee has partnered with NB Power in a Community Outreach Program. Quispamsis residents, who are a senior on a fixed income, a tenant of a rental property, or a homeowner unable to introduce more expensive energy retrofits at this time, will qualify for a free Energy Efficiency Kit.

<u>Earth Day (Friday, April 22)</u> – Mayor O'Hara encouraged residents to get out and help beautify the community by cleaning up litter from around each neighbourhood.

### 3. Treaty Acknowledgement - Ukraine Solidarity - Moment of Reflection

Councillor Luck read the Treaty acknowledgement – Moment of Reflection and – Acknowledgement of Solidarity for the People of Ukraine.

### 4. Disclosures of Interest

No disclosures were declared.

### 5. Presentations

### 5.1 <u>2022 Volunteer Recognition Awards</u>

Councillor Biggar read introductions for each of the following 2022 Volunteer Recognition recipients:

- 1. Arthur Cipryk KV Food Basket
- 2. Denis Talbot Fundy Gymnastics Club
- 3. Dr. Lisa Yang Kennebecasis Valley Community Caring for Children (KV3C)
- 4. Sherry Kiervin KV Pickleball Club
- 5. Dean MacLean KV Minor Baseball
- 6. Karen Parker KV Girls Softball Association
- 7. Amanda Rouse Girl Guides of Canada Kennebecasis Area
- 8. Tim Lowery Parkland in the Valley

- 9. Shawn Toner (Constable) Kennebecasis Regional Police Force
- 10. Tina Cooper Hockey Ministries Atlantic
- 11. Nita Driscoll- Kings Way Care Centre
- 12. Romain Torrecilla- Fundy Soccer
- 13. Regeena Christie- Chris Saunders Memorial Elementary School
- 14. Mike Currie- Yamaji Dojo Martial Arts & Fitness Centre
- 15. Grace Anderson- Royal Canadian Sea Cadet Corps Bras d'Or

**Moved By** Councillor Donovan **Seconded By** Councillor Thompson

Council congratulate and applaud the recipients of the 2022 Volunteer Recognition Awards in acknowledgement of their many dedicated contributions and service to the community.

**Motion Carried** 

- 6. **Public Hearings** (none)
- 7. Minutes of Previous Meetings
  - 7.1 April 5, 2022 Regular Meeting

**Moved By** Councillor Donovan **Seconded By** Councillor Biggar

Minutes be approved as prepared.

**Motion Carried** 

#### 8. Unfinished Business

8.1 (Feb.15/22) Review of Council Code of Conduct By-law - Staff Report from Acting CAO and Copy of Current By-law Showing Proposed Changes

A Staff Report from the Acting CAO provided the current by-law with proposed changes as per Council's motion from the Feb. 15, 2022 Regular meeting.

Council members reviewed and discussed proposed changes to the Code of Conduct By-law No. 056, and highlighted the following sections for additions, changes or clarity:

- Section 3.g. Conflict of Interest reference section on Conflict of Interest in Local Governance Act;
- 2. Section 3.i. Use of Municipal Assets and Services clarification regarding political activity.
- 3. Section 4.d. Complaints strengthen this section to provide greater clarity on procedure.

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Biggar

This item be tabled pending further information from Staff reflecting the discussions and proposed changes recommended by the Acting CAO and Council members.

**Motion Carried** 

# 8.2 (Oct 2021 - Budget Mtg) Hammond River Park - Driveway Resurfacing - Staff Report from Director of Community Services

The Director of Community Services' Staff Report indicated the Town is using \$384,000 in Canada Community-Building Funding (CCBF), formerly known as the Gas Tax Fund, to upgrade the entrance and greenspace at Hammond River Park.

In addition, as part of the 2022 Budget, the street leading to the park, Reynar Drive, is being paved as part of our 2022 Street Capital program and requested Council consider paving the driveway and parking lot to the Hammond River Park.

**Moved By** Councillor Biggar **Seconded By** Councillor Thompson

That Council add paving the driveway and parking lot at Hammond River Park to the 2022 Street Capital Program, with funding for this additional work coming from the Canada Community-Building Fund/interest, operational savings within Community Services or capital reserves if needed.

## 8.3 (Apr. 5/22) Request from Canada Games Aquatic Centre – CRA Liability for Wage Subsidy - Staff Report from Town Treasurer, Krista Brandon

A Staff Report from the Town Treasurer provided an update concerning the Covid Relief Funding for the Canada Games Aquatic Centre that was presented to Council at the April 5, 2022 Regular Meeting. The Regional Facilities Commission 2022 Budget request noted that the Canada Games Aquatic Centre had a \$325,000 deficit, relating to CRA liability for Wage Subsidy that was received but that the Aquatic Centre did not qualify for. The Commission voted not to fund the deficit at that time hoping that the CRA would reverse their decision and the liability would be removed.

Further, Ms. Brandon noted, unfortunately this is not the case, and the Town has received a formal request dated April 7, 2022 from the Canada Games Aquatic Centre to fund Quispamsis' portion of the liability plus the interest owing, the Towns portion of the deficit is \$56,346.30 plus \$4,320.11 in interest for a total of \$60,666.41.

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Luck

Council approve the request for additional funding for the Canada Games Aquatic Centre due to their unfunded liability plus interest that is now due in the amount of \$60,666.41 with funding coming from any 2022 surplus or the General Operating Reserve.

**Motion Carried** 

#### 9. Correspondence (none)

#### 10. By-laws

10.1 (Feb.15/22) KV Custom Homes - Rezoning Application - Proposed Zoning Bylaw Amendment No. 038-35 - Residential (R1) Single & Two Family to Residential (R3) - Terrace Dwellings - Property Identified as 124 Pettingill Road -PID No.'s 30216527 and PID No. 00251694

In Attendance: Andrew McIntyre, Proponent

Mr. Andrew McIntyre was in attendance to answer any question on his rezoning application to rezone approximately 4.7 hectares, (11.32 acres), of land with access off the Pettingill Road and Heritage Way from Residential (R1) to Terrace Dwelling (R3). The proposed three phased Terrace Dwelling Development will consist of a total of 44 Distinct Ownership units contained in 15 separate buildings.

**Moved By** Councillor Donovan **Seconded By** Councillor Biggar

Counci give third and final reading to Zoning By-law Amendment No. 038-35 to permit the following property to be rezoned from "Single & Two Family Residential (R1)" to "Terrace Dwelling Residential, (R3)", subject to the property owner entering into a development agreement pursuant to the provisions of Section 59 of the *Community Planning Act, 2017, Ch. 19:* 

A parcel of land, identified as PID No.: 30216527 and PID No.: 00251694, with Civic No.: 124 Pettingill Road, consisting of approximately 4.7 Hectares, (11.32 Acres), of land with access off the Pettingill Road and Heritage Way. Read First Time - March 15, Read Second Time March 15; and Read Third and Final Time April 19, 2022.

**Motion Carried** 

10.2 Proposed By-law Amendment No. 036-05; A By-law of the Municipality of Quispamsis Respecting Signs - Staff Report from Municipal Planning Technologist - Jennifer Jarvis (Virtual Attendance)

(Consideration of 3rd and Final Reading)

**Moved By** Councillor Thompson **Seconded By** Councillor Miller

Whereas a notice has been published on the town of Quispamsis website pursuant to Section 15(3) and 15(4) of the *Local Governance Act*;

And Whereas the proposed By-law Amendment No. 036-05 received first and second reading at the April 5, 2022 Regular Meeting;

And further proposed By-law Amendment No. 036-05 is hereby summarized as follows:

To provide definitions for traffic control devices and feather signs;

To restrict the location of political signs in relation to any traffic control device;

To make civic numbering on freestanding signs mandatory;

To provide provisions regarding the use of feather signs within the municipal boundary;

To improve the provisions to regulate the display of sandwich boards; and t

To restrict the placement of all signs within one (1) metre of any Town owned property, with the exception of traffic control devices and signs placed by or for the Town.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** That the Council of the town of Quispamsis give Third and Final Reading to Proposed Amendment No. 036-05; An Amendment to the Municipality of Quispamsis Sign By-law incorporating the aforementioned changes.

**Motion Carried** 

10.3 Proposed Zoning By-law Amendment No. 038-37; A By-law of the Municipality of Quispamsis Respecting Zoning - Regulating Apiary (Hobby Beekeeping) Operations

**Moved By** Councillor Biggar **Seconded By** Councillor Miller

Council refer the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment No. 038-37 to the Planning Advisory Committee for its written views, and set a Public Hearing date for May 17, 2022 to hear and consider those wishing to speak for or against the proposed Zoning By-law Amendment.

**Motion Carried** 

#### 11. New Business

11.1 <u>Proposed Earlier Start Time for Council Meetings - Staff Report from Acting CAO</u>
<u>Aaron Kennedy</u>

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Thompson

Council agrees to change the Regular Meeting start time indicated in Section 7. B. of the Council Procedural By-law No. 033 for the months of June, July and August from 7:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

## 11.2 <u>Tender No. 2022TQ03-7; Works Dept. - New Heavy Duty One Ton Crew Cab - Staff Report from Director of Engineering and Works</u>

Moved By Councillor Miller Seconded By Councillor Olsen

Based on staff review and information it is recommended that Council authorize staff to directly purchase a new 2022 - 4x4 Crew Cab from Dobson Chrysler Dodge to Lounsbury Automotive Limited for the bid price of \$74,585 (exclusive of HST, licensing & Tire Levy). Additional costs for the truck purchase will be assigned from any 2022 surplus if any are realized or as a reallocation of Capital reserves.

**Motion Carried** 

#### 11.3 Award of Tender No. 2022TQ03-10 - Street Capital Program 2022

**Moved By** Councillor Biggar **Seconded By** Councillor Olsen

It is recommended Council award Tender 2022TQ03-10, 2022 Street Upgrading to the low bid from Debly Enterprises Ltd., and to enter negotiations with the low bidder to structure the tender value remove a portion of Meenan's Cove Road, as well as Sylvia Dr, Swanton Dr and Muriel Ct in their entirety from the project scope in order to adjust the project costs to \$2,199,000 (exclusive of HST). Once final project costs are accounted, any project cost beyond the current allocated budget will be redirected from any budget surplus in 2022 or be redirected from Capital reserve funds.

**Motion Carried** 

#### 12. Reports

- 12.1 Town of Quispamsis Building Report As At March 30, 2022
- 12.2 Planning Advisory Committee Meeting of March 8, 2022
- 12.3 CN Rail Vegetation Program 2022
- 12.4 Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc. February 9, 2022 Minutes, Financials & Reports

Moved By Councillor Olsen
Seconded By Councillor Donovai

Reports be received and filed.

**Motion Carried** 

- 13. **Business Arising from Committee of the Whole (none)**
- 14. Adjournment

Mayor

Moved By Councillor Olsen Seconded By Councillor Donovan

Meeting adjourn.

**Motion Carried** 

Meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Elizabeth (Libby) O'Hara Lisa MacInnis Assistant Town Clerk

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### ${\bf TOWN\ OF\ QUISPAMSIS-REZONING\ SCHEDULE}$

#### $Select\,Applicable\,Boxes:$

☐ AMEND A SECTION 59 COMMUNITY PLANNING ACT AGREEMENT

✓ AMEND ZONING BY-LAW

☐ AMEND MUNICIPAL PLAN BY-LAW & ZONING BY-LAW

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APPLICANT AND PROPERTY INFORMATION							
Applicant's Contact Information:	Name: George Queen Address:11 Kensington Ave Quispamsis, NB E2E 2T8 Telephone No.:506-847-8572 Email:queenhomes@gmail.com						
Name & Contact Information of Registered Property Owner (if different from above):	Name: Andrew Dunn Address: 62 Chamberlain Road Quispamsis, NB E2G 1C1 Telephone No.:506-870-0797 Email: andrew.dunn76@yahoo.ca						
Identification of Property:	PID No.:251462 - Civic No.: 160 Pettingill Road Property Description: Property situated off Pettingill Road, across from Southwood Drive, and adjacent to Heritage Way – 8.9 Hectares (21.9 acres)						
Current Zoning Status:	Single & Two Family Residential (R1)						
Proposed Zoning Status:	Multiple Residential (R2) –Multi-Use						
Proposed Use:	To construct a Mixed-Use Residential Development consisting of 18 Single Detached Dwelling Lots and 4 low-rise multiple dwelling buildings, each containing 12 low rise apartment units. Total of 66 Units						
PROPOSED AMENDMENT SCHEDULE							
Council's Receipt of Application:	April 5, 2022						
Public Presentation (Only required when a Municipal Plan Amendment is involved)	N/A						
Refer to PAC:	May 3, 2022						
Issue Notice to landowners within 100m radius of property proposed for change:	May 3, 2022						
Public Hearing:	June 21, 2022						
Consideration of 1st & 2nd Reading:	June 21, 2022						
Consideration of 3rd & Final Reading	July 19,2022 pending receipt of a Finalized						
(Pending finalization of developer's	Development Agreement						
agreement)							
	ne May 3, 2022 Regular Meeting, a motion of Council would 21, 2022, _refer the proposed application to the PAC, and the property proposed for rezoning./cps						

April 6, 2022

Mr. Andrew Dunn 62 Chamberlain Road Quispamsis, NB E2G 1C1 Andrew.dunn76@yahoo.ca

Dear Mr. Dunn:

RE: REZONING APPLICATION – 160 PETTINGILL ROAD; PID NO. 251462
PROPOSED MIXED-USE RESIDENTIAL DEVELOPMENT - 18 SINGLE
DETACHED DWELLING LOTS & FOUR (4) LOW-RISE MULTIPLE DWELLING
BUILDINGS EACH CONTAINING 12 APARTMENT UNITS

This will acknowledge and thank you for your above referenced rezoning application dated March 31, 2022; and your further attendance at the April 5, 2022 Regular Meeting of the Quispamsis Town Council.

Please be informed, following your presentation, Council passed a motion to defer your application to the April 19, 2022 Regular Meeting to allow you an opportunity to submit more specific details concerning the proposed Mixed-Use Multiple Residential development you are proposing to construct at 160 Pettingill Road.

The Municipal Planning Officer will be following up with you in the near future to explain the more detailed information that is required to move your rezoning application forward to the Public Hearing stage. I have enclosed a Guideline sheet on the rezoning application process for your reference.

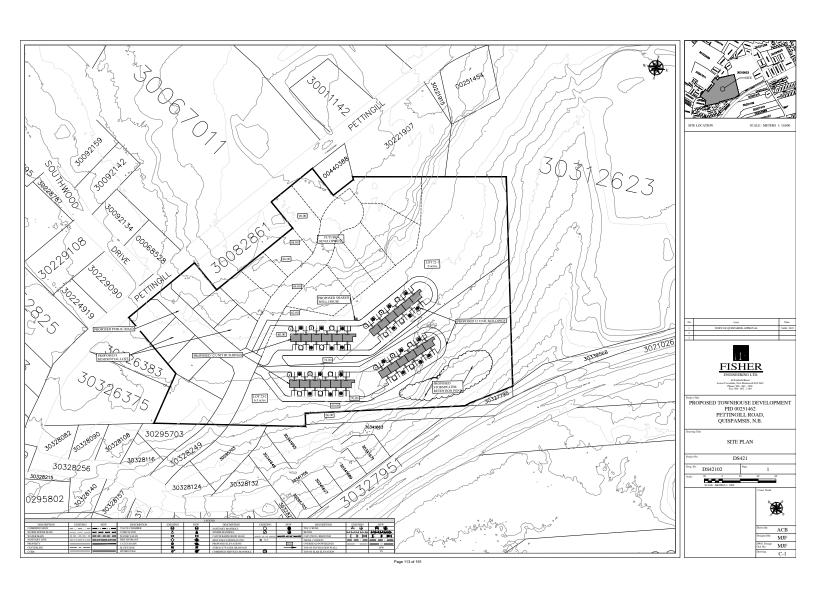
Trusting the above meets with your approval, and we look forward to seeing you at the April 19, 2022 Regular Meeting.

Yours truly,

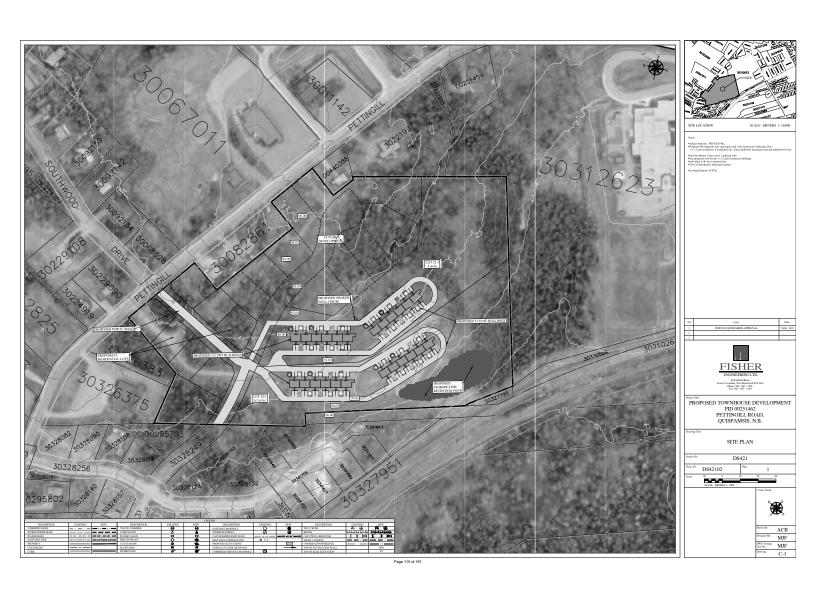
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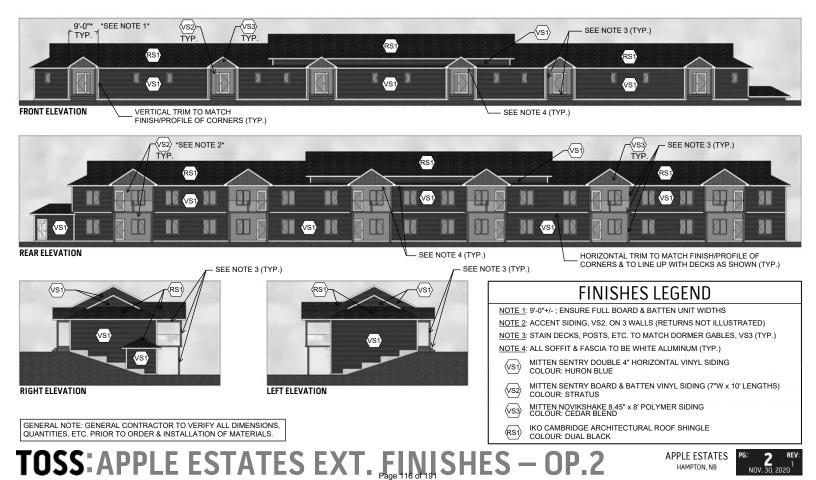
Enclosure

cc: George Queen, 11 Kensington Avenue, Quispamsis, NB E2E 2T8 <u>queenhomes@gmail.com</u> Dwight Colbourne, Municipal Planning Officer, <u>dcolbourne@quispamsis.ca</u>











# Staff Report to Council

**Date:** March 31, 2022

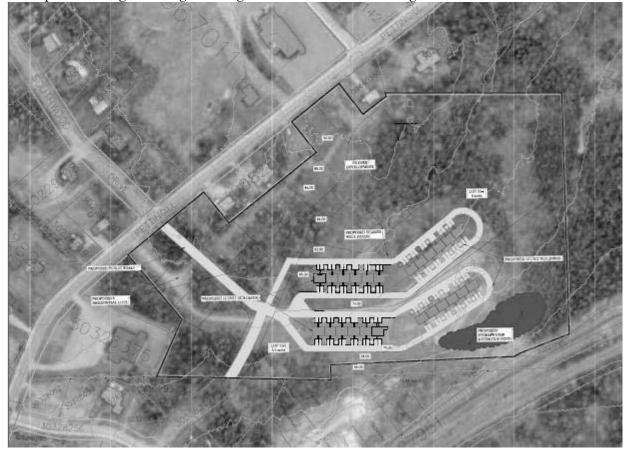
From: Dwight Colbourne, PTech -Planning (Development) Officer

#### Subject:

Andrew Dunn – Request to Amend Zoning By-law No. 038 – Rezoning of PID 251462 (160 Pettingill Road) from Single- or Two-Family Dwelling (R1) to Multiple Residential (R2) – Mixed Use Multiple Dwelling and Single Detached Dwelling Development

#### Background and Discussion:

Mr. Andrew Dunn is requesting an amendment to Zoning By-law 038 for a proposed mixed use residential development consisting of 18 Single Detached Dwelling Lots and four (4) low-rise multiple dwelling buildings having 12 units in each building.



The multiple unit buildings are proposed to be two -storey with the dwelling units on both levels having ground-level entrance as well as driveway access from a private lane. The units are self-contained two bedrooms, two baths and open concept living and dining. Similar

developments are under construction in Hampton and Grand Bay-Westfield. The images below show the proposed building style.

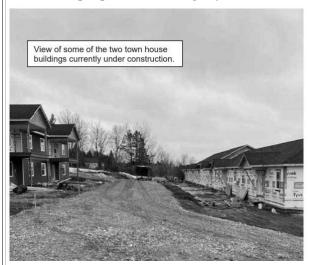




Image 2: Grand Bay-Westfield, NB

Image 1: Hampton, NB

The 18 Single Detached Dwelling lots are proposed to be located to the north and west of the multiple residential development – along the rear of the existing Pettingill Road residents and the lands adjacent to the funeral home property.

In total the development proposes 66 units on 8.9 hectares (21.9 acres) of land, which is approximately 3 units/acre. The same lands have been considered to conventional subdivision development, proposing 43 units or 2 units/ acre. While the proposed Dunn development is sightly higher density, it is considered low density development.

160 Pettingill Road is currently zoned Single or Two Residential Dwelling (R1); therefore, to allow a mixed-use development of multiple residential and single detached dwellings unit, the property must be rezoned from R1 to R2, as per the Municipal Plan By-law and the Community Planning Act (CPA).

As stated in the Rezoning Application and shown on the supporting documentation, Andrew Dunn proposes a mixed-use development for the property with:

- 48 dwelling units in 4 low-rise buildings with each building containing 12 units, and 18 Single detached dwellings on individual distinctly owned lots. The 48 units will be rental units and the property managed and maintained by Mr. Dunn's property management company.
- Access to the developments will be public streets for the single detached dwelling units and private lanes for the multi-unit buildings. The public streets will connect to the Pettingill Road and Windsor Boulevard, off Heritage Way, as well a cul-de-sac to provide access to the single detached dwellings along the rear of the Pettingill Road properties. The street design will need to incorporate traffic calming measures to create a sense of neighbourhood, reduce vehicle speeds and the volume of cut through traffic from adjacent subdivisions. The road development and access will require a traffic study to determine the impacts at the Southwood Drive and Pettingill Road intersection.
- The development will be serviced by municipal sewage with the initial infrastructure to service the lands installed during the Ritchie Lake Capital Sewage Upgrade project. The

Developer will be responsible for all design and construction cost to extend the system through the lands.

- Potable water to the single detached dwellings will be private drilled wells. The multiunit buildings will be serviced by a communal water system – an onsite pump and well system. This style of water servicing will require approval of the province through the completion of an Environment Impact Assessment as per the provincial Clean Water Act. The communal water system will be the responsibility of the property owner (Andrew Dunn) with operation subject to the terms of approval of the province.
- The development will require a comprehensive stormwater management plan to control the site runoff, the street drainage and mitigate downstream impacts. The site plan provided shows an onsite stormwater attenuation pond next to the QR trail, which is a sloped area and raises concerns about the design of the pond, its capacity, and the construction practices to be employed to ensure slope stability.
- The development will require the provision of Land for Public Purposes and greenspace, and access to the QR trail, which has not been shown on the site plan. The submitted site plan requires more information to determine the most suitable location for the lands and the land area must be shown on the plans prior to review by the Planning Advisory Committee and the public.

As Council is aware the Municipal Plan established that lands on the Future Land designated Residential would be considered for residential densification (3 units or more) by Council through an amendment process as per Section 59 of the Community Planning Act and subject to the following:

- 1. The development be located on, or adjacent to, a designated arterial or collector street, so that higher traffic generated will not pass-through lower density residential streets;
- 2. The lot size, yard requirements, building height, number of units and parking requirements be subject to the conditions as outlined in the Zoning By-law;
- 3. The development will not exceed capacities of existing municipal services;
- 4. If the proposed site is not serviced by a municipal water system, then the proponent must undertake a hydrogeological study to demonstrate that the local well yield is of sufficient quality and quantity to support the density of development proposed and existing wells will not be adversely affected by the proposed development; and
- 5. There are adequate landscaped buffer areas on the lot periphery to screen the buildings and parking areas from adjacent low density residential development.

Based on the rezoning application package submitted by Andrew Dunn and the feedback received during the initial review with other Town Departments, the Planning Department recommends the applicant provide additional information before the application move to the Public Hearing stage and review by the Planning Advisory Committee. While the Rezoning Application package provides general information regarding the proposed intended land use and development, the submission does not provide sufficient information for reasonable review by the Council, the PAC and public regarding street design, mitigating traffic impacts, the streetscape, greenspace and walkability, the approach to reducing water usage, stormwater management, the overall design of the buildings specific to this site (i.e., site specific building renderings).

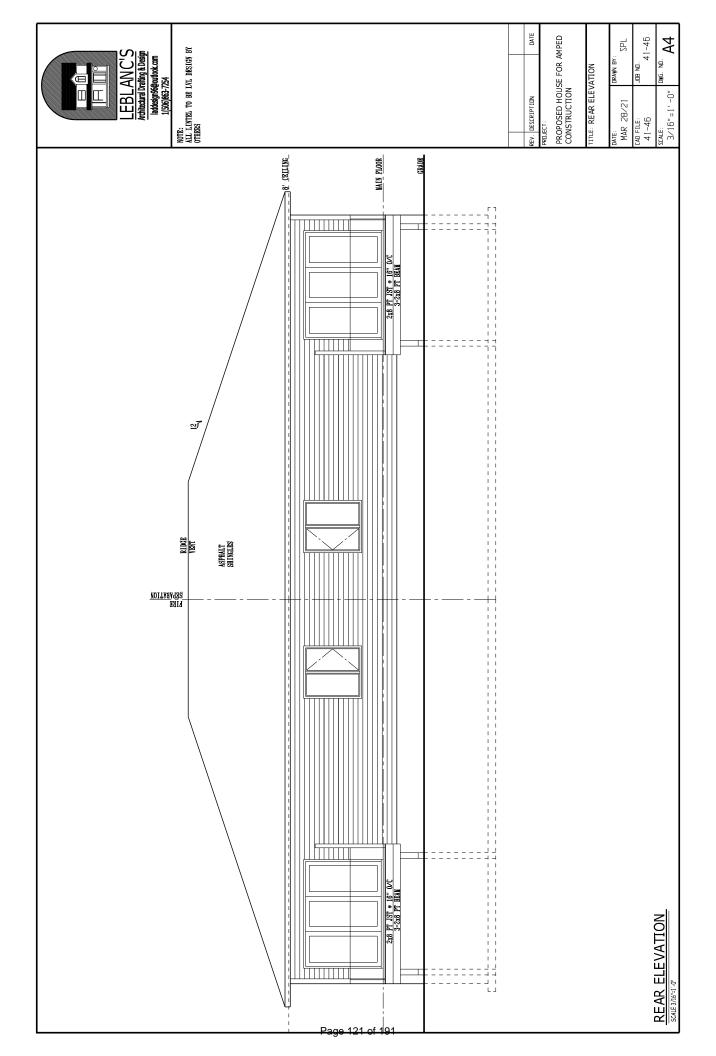
While the applicant wishes to start moving the proposed development forward through the rezoning process, as such the application is before Council, from a planning perspective it would be prudent to request more information and an update to the rezoning application package submitted to ensure the review process is fair and effective for all stakeholders.

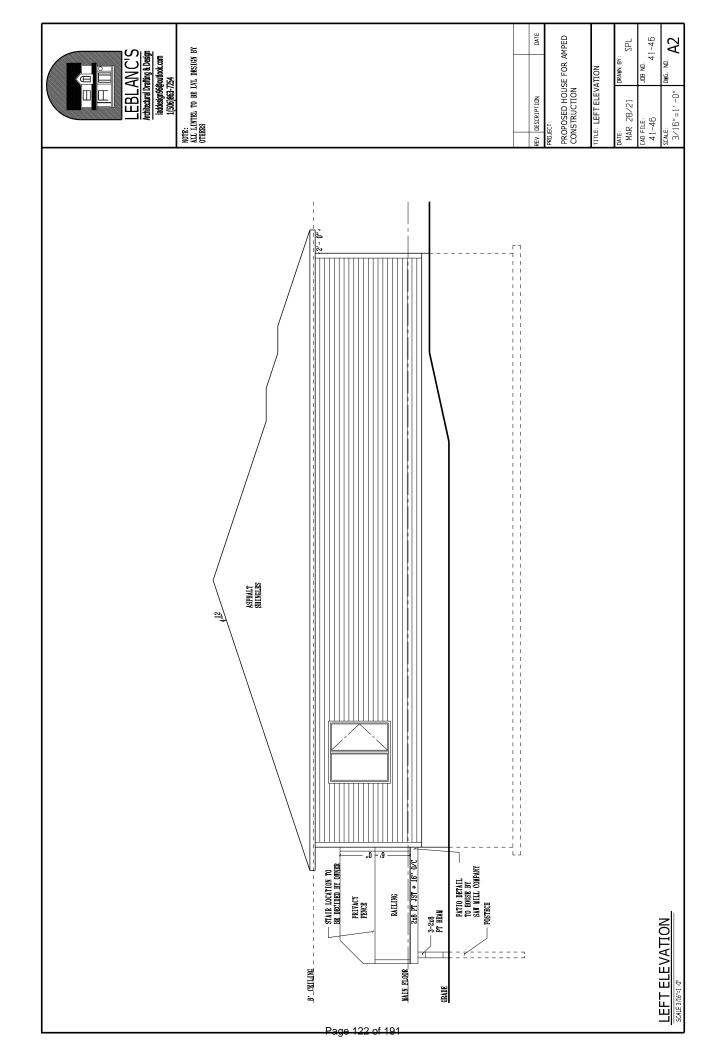
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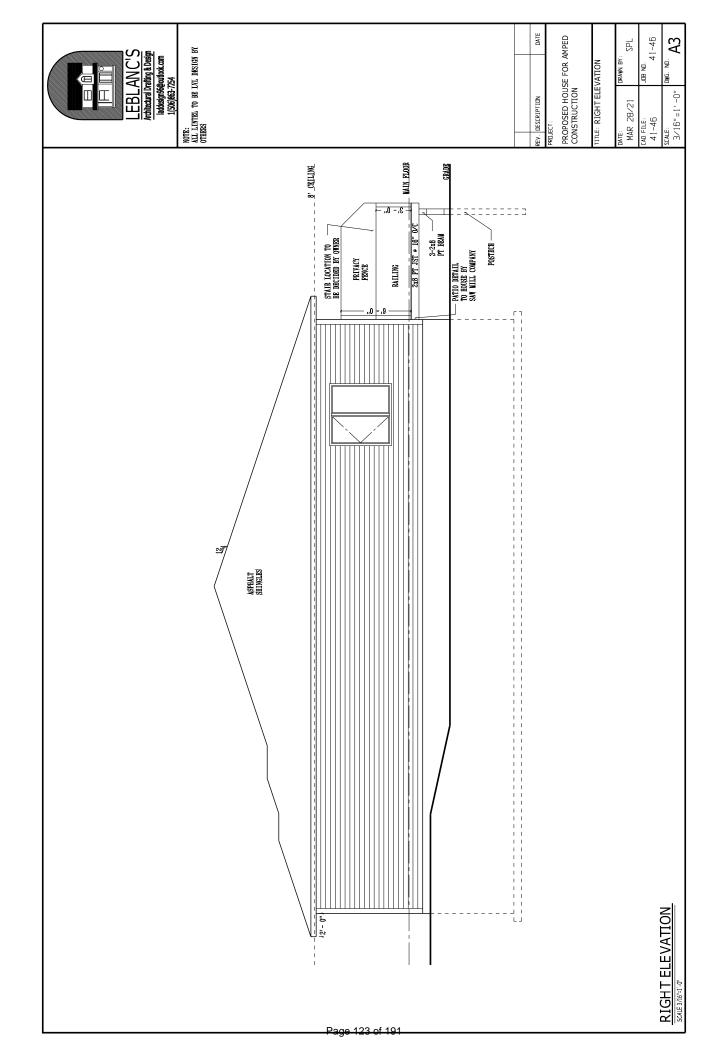
No expected financial implications to the 2022 municipal budget

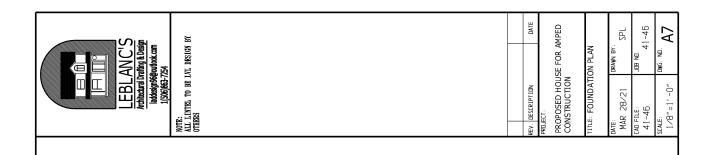
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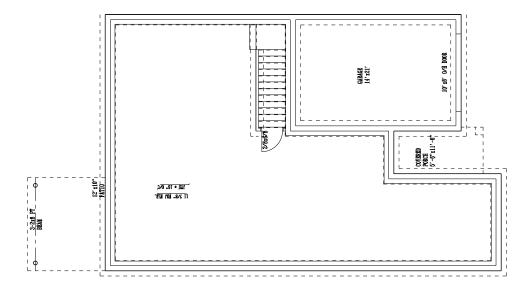
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- 2. Site Plan and General Exterior Building Views.

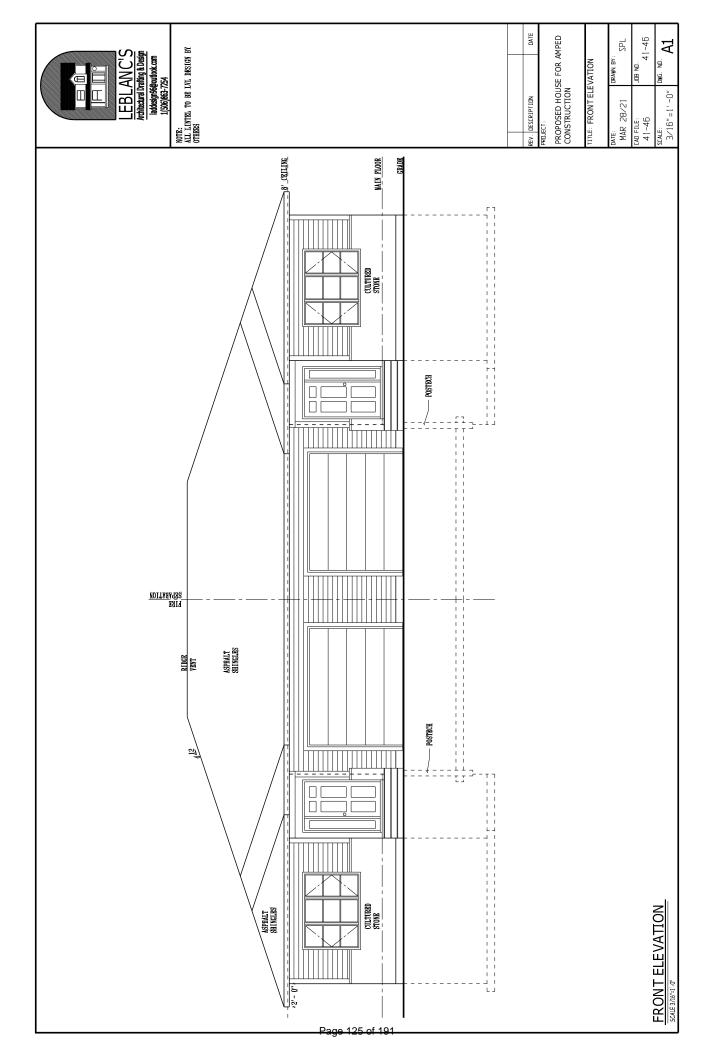


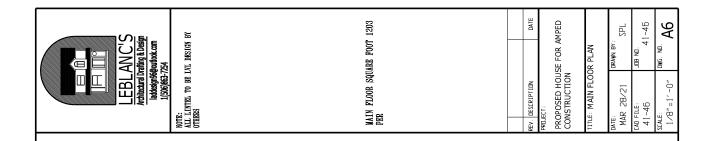


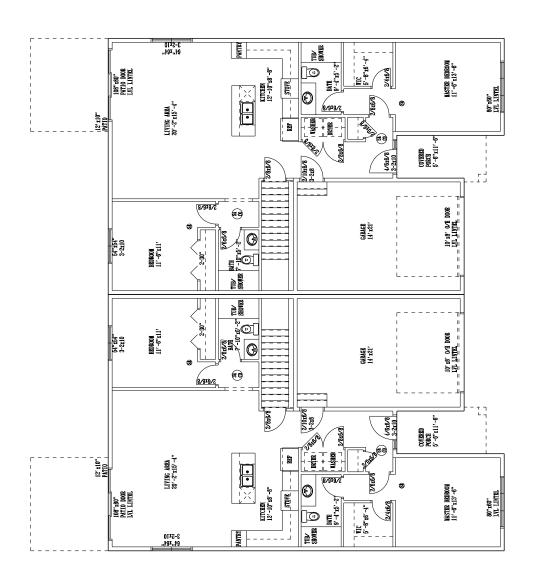












MAIN FLOOR PLAN

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From:QuispamsisTo:Snow, CathySubject:FW: Ritchie Lake

**Date:** April 27, 2022 12:17:23 PM

From: Bill Mcillwraith

Sent: April 27, 2022 12:03 PM

To: Quispamsis <quispamsis@quispamsis.ca>

**Subject:** Ritchie Lake

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#### **Town Council**

These are photos of the continuous silt being washed into Ritchie Lake . Every rain event that has happened since 2012 when the French school was started , sewage line and various subdivisions have been worked on along the Ritchie Lake water shed , the town has failed to protect erosion into the lake. Yes environmental cloth and some hay was placed in some areas , but no continuous effort to upkeep the preventative measures .

These failures are turning the lake into a wet land , hundreds of tons of silt in the last 10 or so years has turned the bottom of the lake from a gravel base in the back of my to a soft muddy soft bottom that is now just grass . Am I exaggerating the truth , don't think so . If a couple of inches of silt has reached my back yard then extrapolate the area its covered . Last summer the grass has made it impossible to swim in areas that previously very swimmable , the grass is now growing 10-20 long and is covering huge areas of the lake .

In the 80's the residents had to contact the federal government to get the town to correct the sewage problem on the lake road sewage pump, I hope it doesn't have to go back to them to correct a situation that should have been delt with 10 years ago . due diligence does not mean that because you installed or had installed environmental cloth that you can just walk away from the ongoing problem.

We need your help. THX Bill McIllwraith











# Staff Report to Council

Date: April 29, 2022

From: W. Gary Losier, P.Eng, Director of Engineering and Works

#### Subject:

Sediment Control - Ritchie Lake - Residents' Concerns

#### Background and Discussion:

The Town was contacted by residents with concerns regarding the infiltration of sediment into Ritchie Lake over the last few years, particularly during high rainfall events. Town staff does conduct regular site and stream inspections to monitor and report on potential causes for the discoloration in the lake.

During their development, the schools and subdivisions development did have, and do continue to have, erosion controls in place. Unfortunately, the most recent spring occurrences most likely were caused by a breach in the existing controls and by new erosion controls measures not being installed in a timely fashion as developers continued construction in their subdivisions. This investigation of evidence led staff to new areas of construction and existing sediment control measures that were not functioning as intended after the winter had collapsed them.

As a follow up, over the past few weeks the Town has been in contact with both Provincial Dept of Environment and the Federal Fisheries expressing our concerns with the sediment issues impacting Ritchie Lake. We have also been in contact with the developers and their consultant of the subdivisions above the lake.

Provincial Officials were on site of the new development conducting inspections and identifying remedial measures for the contractor to undertake to provide additional protection for sediment control.

The Town has requested updated developer's infrastructure plan which includes stormwater management, and we will continue to have our staff inspectors reviewing the area regularly and we will monitor any work undertaken by the developer to ensure they include appropriate sediment control methods. We have also requested updates from the Provincial and Federal agencies responsible for watercourse protection.

The three-tier approach for sediment and erosion protection relies on all the partners following up on their responsibility and unfortunately if one segment is not dedicated to the required roles then one visible and detrimental impact is the discoloration of the lake and undesired sediment build-up.

The developer must adhere to municipal and provincial regulations for their development by installing and maintaining in a timely fashion all measures required to control sediment and erosion. The Town inspects and approves initial submitted plans and site installations while the province inspects and approves ongoing site measures and introduces the ultimate enforcement should public stream and waterways become impacted.

With respect to enforcement the Town could either withhold or deny permits for development should there be incidents of non-compliance. The Province carries much more powerful enforcement tools from fines to mandatory remedial work as part of their control measures.

#### Financial Implications:

There are no immediate impacts to the Town as the ongoing inspections and developer compliance process is included in our regular operational budgets.

#### Attachment(s):

Identify attachments

#### Recommendation:

Town staff continue to monitor development impacts to Ritchie Lake and discuss with the respective Provincial and Federal enforcement agencies where increased erosion and sedimentation protection measures and standards should be considered and how would these measures be introduced.

#### NOAH DONOVAN

Councillor, Quispamsis

2022-04-20

cc: Aaron Kennedy, Acting CAO, Quispamsis.

#### **RE/ Ridesharing Bylaws.**

Mr Kennedy,

I am respectfully asking that you and your staff investigate the idea of amending, or drafting a bylaw to allow the use of rideshare services such as Uber and Lyft within the Town of Quispamsis.

At its April 19th 2022 meeting, Saint John City Council gave first and second reading to a new bylaw that would permit the use and operation of rideshare services within the city.

During this meeting, it was noted that for companies like Uber and Lyft to be attracted to our region, Saint John and the surrounding areas must be aligned on the bylaws aforementioned.

It is my belief that rideshare services would have a positive impact on our community, and that they would provide an extra, more modern layer of transportation that will be required for our growing town.

Noah

N. DONOVAN



April 1, 2022

Mayor Donna Reardon, City of Saint John Mayor Dr. Nancy Grant, Town of Rothesay Mayor Libby O'Hara, Town of Quispamsis Mayor Brittney Merrifield, Town of Grand Bay-Westfield Mayor Robert Doucet, Town of Hampton Mayor Bette Ann Chatterton, Village of St. Martins

> cc. John Collin, CAO City of Saint John, John Jarvie, CAO Town of Rothesay, Aaron Kennedy, Acting-CAO Town of Quispamsis, John Enns-Wind, CAO Town of Grand Bay-Westfield, Richard Malone, CAO Town of Hampton

Re: Adoption of Ridesharing Bylaws

Dear Regional Mayors,

Envision Saint John: The Regional Growth Agency is the sales, marketing, and support engine for the region – we are inviting people to visit, study, live and invest. Aligned with this work is our strategic focus on Growth Readiness - preparing our region for an influx of new visitors as travel starts to rebound and more residents and students as more people become aware of the amazing opportunities in our region and province.

Ridesharing companies like Uber and Lyft are table stakes in larger cities offering a convenient, efficient option for visitors and residents alike. As we look to attract more visitors, students to the region, immigrants, repatriate and attract new residents, our region must offer ridesharing as a transportation option to remain competitive. To accomplish this, it is critical that we adopt ridesharing municipal bylaws across the region to demonstrate we are a cohesive region with people living, working, and playing across communities.

Cruise passengers coming from the US and Europe, where ridesharing has been available for years, would have a new way to explore the region. And passengers arriving at YSJ would have an alternate, arguably more reliable, transportation option to reach their destination, no matter the time of day.

As more people embrace the need for environmental sustainability, ridesharing is a choice we must offer to support our desire to be a progressive, modern location to visit and live.

Sincerely,

Paulette Hicks

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CEO, Envision Saint John: The Regional Growth Agency

Legislation introduced to enable municipalities to regulate ride-sharing services 18 November 2020

Amendments to the *Motor Vehicle Act* that would allow ride-sharing services to operate in the province have been introduced in the legislative assembly.

The amendments define ride-sharing and, as it does for taxis, the legislation sets the standard for drivers and vehicles. Local governments would be required to create bylaws that set parameters for vehicle-for-hire services.

"Ride sharing will provide New Brunswickers more choices and flexibility in accessing transportation," said Justice and Public Safety Minister Hugh J. Flemming. "The legislation we have brought forth will provide for a fair, safe and comprehensive ride -sharing system that could benefit communities in every part of the province."

The amendments to the act would authorize the activity, but a vehicle-for-hire service will only be able to operate where a local government has enacted a bylaw. Drivers and services will need to meet the requirements of these local bylaws.

Under the amendments, ride-share drivers will need to:

- undergo a check of their driving record;
- upgrade to a Class 4 licence, the provisions of which include providing a medical fitness report; and
- have a clean driver's abstract.

Drivers must work through a ride-sharing company authorized by a local government or municipality. Vehicles used for ride-share services will require an annual inspection.

Other requirements, such as a criminal-records check and insurance requirements beyond what is required under the act, may be set out in a local bylaw.

#### Justice et de la Sécurité publique

Dépôt de mesures législatives pour permettre aux municipalités de réglementer les services de covoiturage 18 novembre 2020

Des modifications à la *Loi sur les véhicules à moteur* qui permettraient aux services de covoiturage d'exercer leurs activités dans la province ont été déposées à l'Assemblée législative.

Les modifications définissent le covoiturage et, comme pour les taxis, les mesures législatives établissent les normes pour les conducteurs et les véhicules. Les gouvernements locaux devraient adopter des arrêtés qui établissent les paramètres pour les services de transport rémunérés.

« Le covoiturage donnera aux gens du Nouveau-Brunswick plus de choix et de flexibilité en matière d'accès au transport », a déclaré le ministre de la Justice et de la Sécurité publique, Hugh J. Flemming. « Les mesures législatives que nous avons déposées permettront d'offrir un système de covoiturage équitable, sécuritaire et complet qui pourrait être avantageux pour les collectivités de l'ensemble de la province. »

Les modifications apportées à la loi autoriseraient ce type d'activité, mais un service de transport rémunéré pourrait seulement exercer ses activités dans les endroits où le gouvernement local a adopté un arrêté. Les conducteurs et les services devront respecter les exigences de ces arrêtés locaux.

En vertu de ces modifications, les conducteurs qui offrent des services de covoiturage devront :

- faire l'objet d'une vérification de leur dossier de conducteur;
- obtenir un permis de conduire de classe 4 et, par conséquent, fournir un rapport d'état de santé; et
- avoir un dossier du conducteur vierge.

Les conducteurs doivent travailler pour une entreprise de covoiturage autorisée par un gouvernement local ou une municipalité.

Les véhicules utilisés pour les services de covoiturage devront être inspectés chaque année.

D'autres exigences, telles qu'une vérification du casier judiciaire et l'obligation de détenir une assurance supplémentaire à celle exigée par la loi, peuvent être énoncées dans l'arrêté local.

Salutations,

Danielle

Danielle Charron, Executive Director/Directrice générale

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## THE CITY OF SAINT JOHN NEW BRUNSWICK

A By-law Respecting the Regulation of Ridesharing Companies in The City of Saint John

Arrêté relatif à la réglementation des sociétés de covoiturage dans The City of Saint John

By-law Number LG-18

Arrêté numéro LG-18

An uncertified copy of this by-law is available online

Une copie non certifiée de l'arrêté est disponible en ligne

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#### **RECITALS**

**WHEREAS** The City of Saint John deems it advisable to pass this by-law because it will establish standards to regulate, control, and collect fees for the licensing of ridesharing companies;

**AND WHEREAS** paragraph 10(1)(g) of the *Local Governance Act*, S.N.B. 2017, c. 18, authorizes a local government to enact by-laws respecting transport and transportation systems, including carriers of persons or goods, taxis and other forms of public transportation;

**AND WHEREAS** section 1 of the *Motor Vehicle Act*, R.S.N.B. 1973, c. M-17, defines a Vehicle-for-Hire Company and a Vehicle-for-Hire Service;

**AND WHEREAS** section 197.1 of the *Motor Vehicle Act* restricts a Vehicle-for-Hire Company from carrying on business or facilitating the offer of Vehicle-for-Hire Services within the territorial limits of a local government unless authorized to do so by the local government;

**AND WHEREAS** section 147 of the *Local Governance Act*, states that a local government may, by by-law, provide that a person who violates or fails to comply with any provision of a by-law commits an offence;

**AND WHEREAS** subsection 156(1) of the *Local Governance Act*, states that a local government may require administrative penalties to be paid in respect of a contravention of a provision of a bylaw of the local government;

**NOW THEREFORE** the Common Council of The City of Saint John, enacts as follows:

#### **Title**

**1** This By-law may be cited as the *Saint John Ridesharing By-Law* (hereinafter the "By-law").

#### **PRÉAMBULE**

**ATTENDU QUE** la Municipalité de Saint John juge opportun de prendre le présent arrêté destiné à réglementer, contrôler et percevoir des frais pour l'octroi de permis aux sociétés de covoiturage dans la Municipalité de Saint John;

**ET ATTENDU QUE** l'alinéa 10(1)g) de la *Loi sur la gouvernance locale*, L.N.-B. 2017, ch. 18, autorise un gouvernement local à prendre des arrêtés concernant le transport et les moyens de transport, y compris les transporteurs de personnes ou de marchandises, les taxis et les autres formes de transport public;

**ET ATTENDU QUE** l'article 1 de la *Loi sur les véhicules à moteur*, L.R.N.-B. 1973, ch. M-17, définie une Société de voiturage et un Voiturage;

**ET ATTENDU QUE** l'article 197.1 de la *Loi sur les véhicules à moteur* limite une Société de voiturage d'exercer ses activités ou de faciliter l'offre du Voiturage dans les limites géographiques d'un gouvernement local, à moins d'y être autorisée par celui-ci;

**ET ATTENDU QUE** l'article 147 de la *Loi sur la gouvernance locale*, prévoit que, par voie d'arrêté, un gouvernement local peut prévoir que commet une infraction quiconque contrevient ou omet de se conformer à quelque disposition que ce soit d'un arrêté;

**ET ATTENDU QUE** le paragraphe 156(1) de la *Loi* sur la gouvernance locale, prévoit qu'un gouvernement local peut exiger le paiement de pénalités administratives relativement à toute contravention à une disposition d'un arrêté du gouvernement local;

À CES CAUSES le Conseil communal de la Municipalité de Saint John édicte :

#### Titre

1 Le présent arrêté peut être cité sous le titre *Arrêté* concernant le covoiturage à Saint John (ci-après l' « Arrêté »).

#### **Definitions**

- **2(1)** The words defined in section 1 of the *Motor Vehicle Act*, when used in this By-law, shall have the same meaning as the said Act.
- **2(2)** The following definitions apply in this By-law:
- "By-Law Enforcement Officer" means a by-law enforcement officer appointed pursuant to section 72 of the *Local Governance Act*, and designated by resolution by Common Council (Agent chargé de l'exécution des arrêtés);
- "Common Council" means the elected municipal council of the City (Conseil communal);

- "City" means The City of Saint John and includes the geographic bounds of The City of Saint John (*Municipalité*);
- **"Driver"** means an individual who, in affiliation with a Vehicle-For-Hire Company, transports Passengers in a Ridesharing Vehicle (Conducteur);
- "Driver Identification Card" means and includes a physical or electronic form approved by the City containing the following information:
  - (a) The first and last name and photograph of the Driver;

#### **Définitions**

- **2(1)** Lorsqu'ils sont utilisés dans le présent Arrêté, les termes définis à l'article 1 de la *Loi sur les véhicules à moteur* ont le sens qui leur est donné dans cette loi.
- **2(2)** Les définitions qui suivent s'appliquent au présent Arrêté :
- « Agent chargé de l'exécution des arrêtés » désigne un agent chargé de l'exécution des arrêtés nommé conformément à l'article 72 de la *Loi sur la gouvernance locale*, et désigné par résolution du Conseil communal (*By-law Enforcement Officer*);
- « Carte d'identification de conducteur » désigne et inclut un formulaire physique ou électronique approuvé par la Municipalité contenant les renseignements suivants :
  - a) Les nom et prénom ainsi qu'une photographie du Conducteur;
  - b) La marque, le modèle et le numéro de plaque d'immatriculation du Véhicule de covoiturage utilisée par le Conducteur; et
  - c) Le nom et les coordonnées de la Société de voiturage (*Driver Identification Card*);
- **« Conducteur »** désigne un individu qui, en collaboration avec une Société de voiturage, transporte des Passagers dans un Véhicule de covoiturage (*Driver*);
- « Conseil communal » désigne les membres élus du conseil municipal de la Municipalité (Common Council);
- « Identification de véhicule de covoiturage » désigne un autocollant, un voyant de véhicule, ou autre identifiant, dans un format approuvé par la Municipalité de Saint John, contenant le nom et/ou le logo d'une Société de voiturage (*Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier*);

- (b) The make, model and license plate number of the Ridesharing Vehicle operated by the Driver; and
- (c) The name and contact information of the Vehicle-for-Hire Company (Carte d'identification de conducteur):
- "Insurance Act" means the *Insurance Act*, R.S.N.B. 1973, c. I-12, and amendments thereto (*Loi sur les assurances*).
- "License" means a Ridesharing Company License issued under section 4 of this By-law (Permis);
- "Motor Vehicle Act" means the *Motor Vehicle Act*, R.S.N.B. 1973, c. M-17, and amendments thereto (*Loi sur les véhicules à moteur*);
- "Passenger" means an individual transported by a Driver in a Ridesharing Vehicle in affiliation with a Vehicle-for-Hire Company (*Passager*);
- "Private Passenger Vehicle" means a motor vehicle designed and used primarily for the transportation of persons without remuneration and does not include a bus or taxicab (Voiture particulière);
- "Ride" means the transportation of one or more Passengers in a Ridesharing Vehicle from the pick-up location to the drop-off location (*Trajet*);
- "Ridesharing Vehicle" means a Private Passenger Vehicle affiliated with a Vehicle-for-Hire Company used to provide a Vehicle-for-Hire Services (Véhicule de covoiturage);
- "Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier" means a decal, vehicle light, or other identifier, in a form approved by The City of Saint John, which displays the name and/or logo of a Vehicle-For-Hire Company (Identification du véhicule de covoiturage);

- **« Loi sur l'assurance »** désigne la *Loi sur l'assurance*, L.R.N-B 1973, ch. I-12 et les modifications afférentes (*Insurance Act*);
- **« Loi sur les véhicules à moteur »** désigne la *Loi sur les véhicules à moteur,* L.R.N-B 1973, ch. M-17 et les modifications afférentes (*Motor Vehicle Act*);
- **« Municipalité »** désigne The City of Saint John et inclut les limites géographiques de la Municipalité de Saint John (*City*);
- « Passager » désigne un individu transporté pas un Conducteur dans un Véhicule de covoiturage en collaboration avec une Société de voiturage (Passenger);
- **« Permis »** désigne un Permis de Société de voiturage délivré sous l'article 4 du présent Arrêté (*License*);
- « Plateforme technologique » inclut les logiciels électroniques, téléphones cellulaires ou autres services technologiques utilisés par les Passagers pour obtenir un transport auprès d'un Voiturage ou d'une Société de voiturage (*Technology Platform*);
- « Société de voiturage » s'entend d'une personne ou société qui utilise ou offre une Plateforme technologique pour faciliter l'offre du Voiturage (Vehicle-for-Hire Company);
- **« Trajet »** désigne le transport d'un ou plusieurs Passagers dans un Véhicule de covoiturage du lieu de ramassage au lieu de déchargement (*Ride*);

"Technology Platform" includes any electronicbased software, cellphone, or other technological service which permits Passengers to obtain transportation from a Vehicle-for-Hire Service or Vehicle-for-Hire Company (*Plateforme* technologique); **« Véhicule de covoiturage »** désigne une Voiture particulière affiliée à une Société de voiturage utilisée pour fournir le Voiturage (*Ridesharing Vehicle*);

"Vehicle-for-Hire Company" means a person or company who uses or offers a Technology Platform to facilitate the offer of Vehicle-for-Hire Services (Société de voiturage);

- « Voiturage » s'entend du service de transport pré-arrangé de passagers moyennant rémunération qu'offre le Conducteur d'un Véhicule de covoiturage par l'intermédiaire d'une Société de voiturage dans la Municipalité de Saint John, mais n'inclut pas :
  - a) « Véhicule de location » qui est déjà réglementé par l'Arrêté de Saint John réglementant les véhicules de location de la Municipalité de Saint John; ou
  - b) Les services ou entreprise de transport par autobus (*Vehicle-for-Hire Service*);
- "Vehicle-for-Hire Service" means a service consisting of the prearranged transportation of Passengers for compensation offered by a Driver of a Ridesharing Vehicle through a Vehicle-for-Hire Company within the City of Saint John, but does not include any:
- « Voiture particulière » désigne un véhicule à moteur conçu et utilisé principalement pour le transport gratuit de personnes et ne comprend pas un autobus ni un taxi (*Private Passenger Vehicle*);
- (a) "Vehicle for Hire" that is already regulated by the *Vehicle-For-Hire By-law* of The City of Saint John; or
- (b) Bus transportation service or business (*Voiturage*);

### Interpretation

# **3** Rules for interpretation of the language used in this By-law are contained in the lettered paragraphs as follows:

- (a) The captions, article and section names and numbers appearing in this By-law are for convenience of reference only and have no effect on its interpretation.
- (b) This By-law is to be read with all changes of gender or number required by the context.

### Interprétation

- **3** Les règles d'interprétation suivantes s'appliquent au présent Arrêté :
  - a) Les titres, intertitres et numéros des dispositions ne servent qu'à faciliter la consultation de l'Arrêté et ne doivent pas servir à son interprétation.
  - b) Le genre ou le nombre grammaticaux doivent être adaptés au contexte.

- (c) Each reference to legislation in this By-law is printed in Italic font. The reference is intended to include all applicable amendments to the legislation, including successor legislation. Where this By-law references other by-laws of the City, the term is intended to include all applicable amendments to those by-laws, including successor by-laws.
- (d) The requirements of this By-law are in addition to any requirements contained in any other applicable by-laws of the City or applicable provincial or federal statutes or regulations.
- (e) If any section, subsection, part or parts or provision of this By-law, is for any reason declared by a court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, the ruling shall not affect the validity of the By-law as a whole, nor any other part of it.
- (f) The Schedules attached to this By-law are included in and shall be considered part of this By-law.

### **Vehicle-for-Hire Company License**

- **4(1)** Every person who wishes to operate a Vehicle-for-Hire Company in the City shall apply for a Vehicle-for-Hire Company License under this By-law.
- **4(2)** When applying for a License, an applicant shall submit the form attached as Schedule "A" hereto and provide the following information
  - (a) The data security measures that the applicant has in place to protect the personal information of Drivers and Passengers affiliated with the Vehicle-for-Hire Company
  - (b) Proof of the insurance requirement as required by this By-law.

- c) Les renvois législatifs paraissent en italique. Le renvoi à une loi vise également les modifications qui s'y appliquent, y compris toute législation de remplacement. Les renvois à d'autres arrêtés de la municipalité visent également les modifications qui s'y appliquent, y compris tout arrêté de remplacement.
- d) Les obligations crées par le présent Arrêté s'ajoutent à celles découlant d'autres arrêtés applicables de la municipalité ou des lois ou règlements fédéraux ou provinciaux applicables.
- e) Si une disposition quelconque est déclarée invalide par un tribunal compétent pour quelque motif que ce soit, la décision n'entache en rien la validité de l'Arrêté dans son ensemble ni de toute autre disposition.
- f) Les annexes jointes au présent Arrêté sont incluses et doivent être considérées comme faisant partie du présent Arrêté.

### Permis de société de voiturage

- **4(1)** Toute personne qui souhaite exploiter une Société de voiturage dans la Municipalité doit demander un Permis de Société de voiturage conformément au présent Arrêté.
- **4(2)** Pour toute demande de Permis de Société de voiturage, le demandeur doit remettre le formulaire joint en Annexe « A » et fournir les renseignements suivants :
  - a) Les mesures de sécurité des données que le demandeur a mis en place pour protéger les renseignements personnels des Conducteurs et des Passagers affiliés à la Société de voiturage;
  - b) La preuve d'assurance requise en vertu du présent Arrêté;

- (c) The number of Ridesharing Vehicles offering Vehicle-for-Hire Service affiliated with the applicant in the City;
- (d) Payment of all applicable fees required under this By-law, including:
  - (i) The basic licensing amount; and
  - (ii) All fees based on the number of Rides provided per month.
- **4(3)** The categories of Vehicle-for-Hire Companies shall be:
  - (a) Class A: one hundred vehicles or more (100+);
  - (b) Class B: twenty-five (25) to ninety-ninety (99) vehicles; and
  - (c) Class C: one (1) to twenty-four (24) vehicles.
- **4(4)** Upon the initial application for a License under this By-law, an applicant shall pay the following fees to the City:
  - (a) Class A \$7,253.00
  - (b) Class B \$2,469.00
  - (c) Class C \$807.00
- **4(5)** For renewal of License, the applicant shall pay the following fees to the City:
  - (a) Class A \$7,253.00 + \$0.20/Ride from January 1 to December 31 in the previous year.
  - (b) Class B \$2,469.00 + \$0.20/Ride from January 1 to December 31 in the previous year.

- c) Le nombre de Véhicules de covoiturage affiliés au demandeur dans la Municipalité;
- d) Le paiement de tous les frais applicables requis conformément au présent Arrêté, notamment :
  - i) Le montant du permis de base; et
  - ii) L'ensemble des frais basés sur le nombre de Trajets effectués par mois.
- **4(3)** Les différentes catégories de Société de voiturage sont les suivantes:
  - a) Classe A: cent véhicules ou plus (100+);
  - b) Classe B : vingt-cinq (25) à quatre-vingtdix-neuf (99) véhicules; et
  - c) Classe C : un (1) à vingt-quatre (24) véhicules.
- **4(4)** Lors de sa demande initiale de licence d'exploitation de Société de voiturage conformément au présent Arrêté, le demandeur doit payer les frais suivants à la Ville :
  - a) Classe A 7 253 \$
  - b) Classe B 2 469 \$
  - c) Classe C 807 \$
- **4(5)** Pour une demande de renouvellement de Permis de Société de voiturage, le demandeur doit payer les frais suivants à la Municipalité :
  - a) Classe A 7 253 \$ + 0,20 \$/Trajet du 1 janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente.
  - b) Classe B 2 469 \$ + 0,20 \$/Trajet du 1 janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente.
  - c) Classe C 807 \$ + 0,20 \$/Trajet du 1 janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente.

- (c) Class C \$807.00 + \$0.20/Ride from January 1 to December 31 in the previous year.
- **4(6)** No person shall carry on a Vehicle-for-Hire Company within the City unless they hold a current License issued pursuant to this By-law.
- **4(7)** Every License issued under this By-law shall expire one (1) year after first being issued.

## Vehicle-for-Hire Company Licensees – Prohibitions

**5** No Vehicle-for-Hire Company shall:

- (a) Breach any applicable prohibition or obligations of License holders under this By-law; or
- (b) Permit any of its Drivers to breach any prohibition or obligation of Drivers under this By-law.

## Vehicle-for-Hire Company Licensees – Obligations

- **6(1)** Every Vehicle-for-Hire Company licensee shall have a Technology Platform.
- **6(2)** The Technology Platform shall:
  - (a) At the time when transportation is being arranged, provide the Passenger requesting the transportation:
    - (i) The name and contact information of the Vehicle-for-Hire Company licensee;
    - (ii) The first name and photograph of the Driver who will provide the Ride;
    - (iii) The make, model, and license plate number of the Ridesharing Vehicle that will provide the Ride;

- **4(6)** Toute personne qui souhaite exploiter une Société de voiturage dans la Municipalité doit détenir un Permis délivré conformément au présent Arrêté.
- **4(7)** Tout Permis délivré en vertu du présent Arrêté expire un (1) an après avoir été délivré.

## Société de voiturage titulaires d'un permis – Interdictions

5 Les Sociétés de voiturage ne peuvent :

- a) Enfreindre les interdictions ou obligations applicables des titulaires de Permis conformément au présent Arrêté; ou
- b) Autoriser l'un de ses Conducteurs à enfreindre les interdictions ou obligations des Conducteurs conformément au présent Arrêté.

## Société de voiturage titulaires d'un permis – Obligations

- **6(1)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis de Société de voiturage doit disposer d'une Plateforme technologique.
- **6(2)** La Plateforme technologique doit:
  - a) Au moment où le transport est organisé, fournir à la personne qui demande le transport :
    - i) Le nom et les coordonnées du titulaire du Permis de Société de voiturage;
    - ii) Le prénom ainsi qu'une photographie du Conducteur chargé du Trajet;
    - iii) La marque, le modèle et le numéro de plaque d'immatriculation du Véhicule de covoiturage utilisé pour les Trajets en question;

- (iv) Any special surcharge that will be applicable for the Ride;
- (v) An estimate of the total cost of the Ride; and
- (vi) The current location of the Ridesharing Vehicle.
- (b) Permit a Passenger to accept or refuse arranged transportation before it begins and to record such acceptance or refusal;
- (c) Provide a secure payment mechanism that is compliant with Payment Card Industry Security Standards Council standards and guidelines;
- (d) Provide a printed or electronic receipt to the Passenger at the end of the Ride that includes the information confirming:
  - (i) Fare rate and surcharges;
  - (ii) Total amount paid;
  - (iii) Date and time of pickup;
  - (iv) Location where the Passenger was picked up and dropped off; and
  - (v) First name of the Driver.
- (e) Provide a link where the Passenger may rate or provide comments upon the Vehicle-for-Hire Service or the Driver.
- **6(3)** Every Vehicle-for-Hire Company licensee shall make available to the public on its Technology Platform, and by any other means of its choice, the following information:
  - (a) The insurance coverage required to be maintained by the Vehicle-for-Hire Company and by each Driver;

- iv) Tout supplément spécifique applicable au Trajet;
- v) Une estimation du coût total du Trajet; et
- vi) L'emplacement actuel du Véhicule de covoiturage.
- Permettre à une personne d'accepter ou de refuser un transport organisé avant qu'il ne commence et enregistrer l'acceptation ou le refus en question;
- c) Fournir un mécanisme de paiement sécurisé conforme aux normes et directives du Conseil des normes de sécurité de l'industrie des cartes de paiement;
- d) Fournier un reçu imprimé ou électronique au Passager à la fin du Trajet, incluant les renseignements confirmant :
  - i) Le tarif et/ou les suppléments;
  - ii) Le montant total payé;
  - iii) La date et l'heure de ramassage;
  - iv) Le lieu de ramassage et de débarquement du Passager; et
  - v) Le prénom du Conducteur.
- e) Fournir un lien permettant au Passager de soumettre une évaluation et de publier des commentaires sur le Véhicule de covoiturage ou le Conducteur.
- **6(3)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis de Société de voiturage doit mettre à disposition du public sur sa Plateforme technologique, et par tout autre moyen de son choix, les renseignements suivants :
  - a) L'assurance obligatoire que ce titulaire et chaque Conducteur doivent détenir;

- (b) The applicable screening process for Drivers and Ridesharing Vehicles;
- (c) That Drivers may only provide Vehicle-for-Hire Service that are prearranged using the Technology Platform of the Vehicle-for-Hire Company and cannot accept Passengers by any other means, including street hails or taxicab stands; and
- (d) That Drivers cannot accept cash payment for Rides.
- **6(4)** Every License holder shall issue a Driver Identification Card to each of its Drivers.
- **6(5)** Every License holder shall issue a current Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier to each of its Drivers.
- **6(6)** Every License holder shall keep, in electronic format, a current list of all Drivers and Ridesharing Vehicles being used in Vehicle-for-Hire Service, which shall include:
  - (a) The full name, address, and telephone number of each Driver;
  - (b) The make, model, and license plate number of each Ridesharing Vehicle being used in Vehicle-for-Hire Service: and
  - (c) The Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier.

### **Drivers**

- offering Vehicle-For-Hire Service meets the chacun des Conducteurs qui offrent le Voiturage : following requirements:
  - (a) Is at least 19 years of age;
  - (b) Has been issued a valid driver's license for the operation of a motor vehicle for the current year pursuant to the Motor Vehicle Act and regulations thereunder, and

- b) Le processus de sélection applicable des Conducteurs et Véhicules de covoiturage;
- c) Que les Conducteurs ne peuvent fournir que des services de transport planifiés au préalable en utilisant la Plateforme technologique du titulaire du Permis de Société de voiturage, et qu'ils ne peuvent accepter d'auto-stopper ni prendre de Passagers aux arrêts pour taxis; et
- d) Que les Conducteurs ne peuvent accepter de paiement espèces pour des Trajets.
- 6(4) Le titulaire d'un Permis doit remettre une Carte d'identification de conducteur à chacun de ses Conducteurs.
- 6(5) Le titulaire d'un Permis doit remettre une Identification de véhicule de covoiturage à chacun de ses Conducteurs.
- **6(6)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis doit conserver, en format électronique, une liste mise à jour de tous ses Conducteurs et Véhicules de covoiturage utilisés dans le cadre du Voiturage, qui doit inclure
  - a) Le nom complet, l'adresse et le numéro de téléphone de chaque Conducteur;
  - b) La marque, le modèle et le numéro de plague d'immatriculation chaque de Véhicule de covoiturage; et
  - c) L'Identification de véhicule de covoiturage.

#### Conducteurs

- 7(1) License holders shall ensure that each Driver 7(1) Le titulaire d'un Permis doit s'assurer que
  - a) Est âgé de 19 ans ou plus;
  - b) Détient un permis de conduire valide pour l'utilisation d'un véhicule motorisé pour l'année en cours, conformément aux dispositions de la Loi sur les véhicules à moteur et aux règlements afférents; et

- (c) Has been advised and consents to the information under this section of this By-law being submitted to the City for the purposes of auditing or ensuring compliance with this By-law.
- **7(2)** A License holder shall obtain a criminal record check that is less than ninety (90) days old and driver's record abstract less than thirty (30) days old for each Driver:
  - (a) Prior to issuing a Driver Identification Card; and
  - (b) Every twelve (12) months thereafter.
- 7(3) Every License holder shall:
  - (a) Review the records contemplated at subsection 7(2) of this By-law;
  - (b) Ensure that the Driver does not have any outstanding criminal charges; and
  - (c) Terminate the relationship with any Driver who is not suitable for providing Rides.
- **7(4)** Every License holder shall be responsible to ensure that every Driver to whom it has issued a Driver Identification Card complies with all obligations on Drivers imposed by section 12 of this By-law.
- **7(5)** Every License holder shall immediately terminate its affiliation with a Driver and cancel the Driver's Driver Identification Card if:
  - (a) The Driver fails to satisfy any of the obligations imposed by section 12 of this By-law; or
  - (b) If the City notifies the License holder that the Driver has acted in manner that is adverse to the public interest or public safety.

- c) A été informé et consent à ce que les renseignements prévus au présent article soient soumis à la Municipalité aux fins de vérification et de conformité au présent Arrêté.
- **7(2)** Le titulaire d'un Permis doit obtenir une vérification du casier judiciaire datant de moins de quatre-vingt-dix (90) jours et un dossier de conduite de moins de trente (30) jours pour chacun des Conducteurs :
  - a) Avant de délivrer une Carte d'identification de conducteur; et;
  - b) Chaque douze (12) mois par la suite.
- 7(3) Chaque titulaire d'un Permis doit :
  - a) Examiner les dossiers prévus au paragraphe 7(2) du présent Arrêté;
  - b) S'assurer que le Conducteur ne fait l'objet d'aucune procédure criminelle en instance; et
  - c) Mettre fin à la relation qui le lie à tout Conducteur non apte à fournir des Trajets.
- **7(4)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis doit s'assurer que les Conducteurs auxquels il a délivré une Carte d'identification de conducteur respectent les obligations des Conducteurs prévues à l'article 12 du présent Arrêté.
- **7(5)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis doit immédiatement mettre fin à sa collaboration avec un Conducteur et annuler la Carte d'identification du conducteur si:
  - a) Le Conducteur ne satisfait pas les obligations spécifiées à l'article 12 du présent Arrêté; ou
  - b) Si la Municipalité informe le titulaire d'un Permis que le Conducteur a agi d'une façon qui nuit à l'intérêt public ou à la sécurité publique.

**7(6)** Upon termination in accordance with section 7(5) of this By-law, the License holder shall ensure that the former Driver no longer has access as a Driver to the Technology Platform.

### Records

- **8(1)** Every License holder shall create and maintain for two (2) years, records containing the following information:
  - (a) The total number of Rides provided per year;
  - (b) The total number of Drivers providing Rides per year;
  - (c) The total number of Ridesharing Vehicles providing Rides per year;
  - (d) The Driver and Vehicle-for-Hire Service information corresponding with each requested Ride, including:
    - (i) The full name of the Driver;
    - (ii) The license plate number of the Ridesharing Vehicles providing a Vehicle-for-Hire Service;
    - (iii) The date, time and duration of the Ride;
    - (iv) The location where each Passenger was picked up and dropped off; and
    - (v) Hours and minutes spent by the Vehicle-for-Hire Service in transporting each Passenger, including time spent en route to pick up the Passenger.
- **8(2)** Upon request by the City, the License holder shall make the records listed at subsection 8(1) available electronically to the City within a reasonable time.

**7(6)** Dès la fin d'une collaboration conformément au paragraphe 7(5) du présent Arrêté, le titulaire d'un Permis doit s'assurer que l'ancien Conducteur en question n'a plus accès, en tant que Conducteur, à la Plateforme technologique.

### **Dossiers**

- **8(1)** Le titulaire d'un Permis crée et tient à jour pendant deux (2) ans des dossiers contenant les renseignements suivants :
  - a) Le nombre total de Trajets effectués par année;
  - b) Le nombre total de Conducteurs fournissant des Trajets par année;
  - c) Le nombre total de Véhicules de covoiturage utilisés pour les Trajets par année; et
  - d) Les renseignements concernant le Conducteur et le Véhicule de covoiturage correspondant à chaque Trajet, notamment
    - i) Le nom complet du Conducteur;
    - ii) Le numéro de plaque d'immatriculation du Véhicule de covoiturage offrant le Voiturage;
    - iii) La date, l'heure et la durée du Trajet;
    - iv) Les lieux approximatifs de ramassage et de débarquement de chaque Passager; et
    - v) Le nombre d'heures et de minutes de transport de chaque Passager dans le Véhicule de covoiturage, y compris le temps passé pour se rendre jusqu'au lieu de ramassage du Passager.
- **8(2)** À la demande de la Municipalité, le titulaire d'un Permis fournit à la Municipalité les dossiers mentionnés au paragraphe 8(1) au format électronique dans un délai raisonnable.

**8(3)** The License holder shall keep all records in respect of each Driver for two (2) years after the Driver ceases to be affiliated with the Licensee.

**8(3)** Le titulaire d'un Permis doit conserver tous les dossiers concernant chacun des Conducteurs pour une durée de (2) ans suivant la cessation de la relation entre le Conducteur et le titulaire du Permis.

#### Insurance

- **9(1)** Every License holder shall obtain and maintain at all times, insurance coverage:
  - (a) Of at least two-million dollars (\$2,000,000.00) including public liability and property damage;
  - (b) From an insurer authorized to issue indemnity insurance policies in the Province of New Brunswick;
  - (c) Against liability for damages resulting from injury to or death of one or more persons and property damage in any one incident that includes:
    - (i) Contingent employers' liability and personal injury;
    - (ii) Broad form property damage and occurrence property damage; and
    - (iii) Employees as additional insurance, and cross-liability and severability of interest provision.
  - (d) In the name of the License holder;
  - (e) That names the City as an additional insured;
  - (f) That contains Non-Owned Automobile Insurance, issued by a company authorized to issue indemnity insurance policies in the Province of New Brunswick,

### **Assurance**

- **9(1)** Tous les titulaires de Permis doivent obtenir et maintenir en tout temps une police d'assurance :
  - a) D'au moins deux millions de dollars (2 000 000,00 \$) couvrant la responsabilité civile et les dommages aux biens;
  - b) Délivrée par une société d'assurance autorisée à émettre des polices d'assurance et d'indemnisation dans la province du Nouveau-Brunswick;
  - c) En responsabilité pour tout dommage en cas de blessure ou de décès d'une ou de plusieurs personnes et pour les dégâts matériels résultant d'un incident comprenant :
    - i) La responsabilité éventuelle de l'employeur et les dommages corporels;
    - ii) La formule étendue de l'assurance dommages matériels et les dommages matériels causés par un événement; et
    - iii) Les employés désignés comme assurés supplémentaires, ainsi que la responsabilité croisée et une clause d'individualité d'intérêt;
  - d) Au nom du titulaire de Permis;
  - e) Qui désigne la Municipalité comme assuré supplémentaire;
  - f) Qui contient une assurance automobile des non-propriétaires délivrée par une société autorisée à émettre des polices d'assurance et d'indemnisation dans la province du Nouveau-Brunswick, avec une

with limits of not less than two million (\$2,000,000.00) inclusive, per occurrence for public liability, bodily injury, death and damage to property;

- (g) Permitting Drivers to carry Passengers for a Vehicle-for-Hire Company endorsement, or an equivalent endorsement acceptable to the City, included within an automobile liability insurance policy maintained on behalf of every Driver; and
- (h) Containing an endorsement requiring the insurer to provide the City with at least thirty (30) days prior written notice of any cancellation or variation of the policy.
- **9(2)** Every License holder shall, upon request, provide the City with proof that each Ridesharing Vehicle offering a Vehicle-For-Hire Service affiliated with the License holder is covered by insurance required under this By-law.
- **9(3)** If a License holder fails to comply with the insurance requirements as set out in this By-law, the City shall immediately suspend their License until such time as they provide proof, to the satisfaction of the City, that they are in full compliance with this By-law.

### **Number of Ridesharing Vehicles**

- **10(1)** Vehicle-for-Hire Companies shall be categorized according to the number of affiliated Ridesharing Vehicles offering Vehicle-for-Hire Services.
- **10(3)** When the number of Ridesharing Vehicles offering Vehicle-For-Hire Services affiliated with a License holder changes, the License holder shall immediately notify the City.
- **10(4)** When the number of Ridesharing Vehicles offering Vehicle-for-Hire Services affiliated with a License holder change and affects the category in

limite ne pouvant être inférieure à deux millions de dollars (2 000 000,00 \$) par événement, pour la responsabilité civile, les dommages corporels, le décès et les dommages aux biens;

- g) Permettant de transporter, moyennant contrepartie, des passagers selon approbation d'une Société de voiturage, ou une approbation équivalente acceptable pour la Municipalité, y compris avec une police d'assurance responsabilité civile automobile souscrite pour le compte de chaque Conducteur; et
- h) Contenant une mention exigeant de l'assureur qu'il fournisse à la Municipalité une notification écrite préalable au moins trente (30) jours avant annulation ou modification de la politique.
- **9(2)** Chaque titulaire d'un Permis fournit à la Municipalité, sur demande de celle-ci, la preuve que tous les Véhicules de covoiturage affiliés au titulaire du Permis en question sont couverts par une assurance, conformément au présent Arrêté.
- **9(3)** Si un titulaire de Permis ne respecte pas les obligations relatives à l'assurance telles que spécifiées dans le présent Arrêté, la Municipalité immédiatement suspend son Permis jusqu'à ce que le titulaire puisse prouver, à la satisfaction de la Municipalité, qu'il est en totale conformité avec le présent Arrêté.

### Nombre de Véhicules de covoiturage

- **10(1)** Les Sociétés de voiturage font l'objet d'un classement sur la base du nombre de Véhicules de covoiturage offrant le Voiturage.
- **10(3)** Lorsque le nombre de Véhicules de covoiturage offrant le Voiturage d'un titulaire de Permis change, ce dernier doit immédiatement en informer la Municipalité.
- **10(4)** Lorsque le nombre de Véhicules de covoiturage offrant le Voiturage affiliés à un titulaire de Permis change et que ceci affecte la

which the License was classified, the License holder shall immediately notify the City and, in the event of an increase, shall pay the corresponding fee under section 4 of this By-law within two (2) business days of such notification.

catégorie dans laquelle le titulaire de Permis était classé, le titulaire de Permis en informe immédiatement la Municipalité et, en cas d'augmentation, paie les frais correspondants conformément à l'article 4 du présent Arrêté dans les deux (2) jours ouvrables qui suivent une telle notification.

### **Drivers - Prohibitions**

## **11(1)** No person shall hold themselves out as a Driver unless they:

- (a) Have been authorized by a License holder to act as a Driver for the Vehicle-for-Hire Company; and
- (b) Possess a current Driver Identification Card issued by a License Holder.

### 11(2) No Driver shall:

- (a) Request payment for anything other than as permitted under this By-law;
- (b) Refuse a request for a Ride by an individual accompanied by a service animal;
- (c) Pick up any Passenger in response to a street hail or by any other means other than through the Technology Platform;
- (d) Operate a Ridesharing Vehicle in a Vehicle-for-Hire Service that resembles a taxicab in any manner, such as bearing external advertising or a roof sign;
- (e) Operate a Ridesharing Vehicle in a Vehicle-for-Hire Service without the insurance requirements under section 9 of this By-law;
- (f) Accept payment by cash for any Rides;

### **Conducteurs – Interdictions**

**11(1)** Pour se présenter comme Conducteur, une personne doit remplir les conditions suivantes :

- a) Avoir reçu l'autorisation d'un titulaire de Permis d'agir en tant que tel pour la Société de voiturage;
- b) Posséder une Carte d'identification de conducteur en cours de validité délivrée par un titulaire de Permis.

### **11(2)** Il est interdit à tout Conducteur de :

- a) Demander le paiement pour un service autre que ceux autorisés en vertu du présent Arrêté;
- b) Refuser une demande de Trajet pour un individu accompagné d'un animal de service;
- c) Prendre un Passager faisant de l'auto-stop ou par tout autre moyen que la Plateforme technologique;
- d) Conduire un Véhicule de covoiturage qui ressemble d'une quelconque manière à un taxi, par exemple en affichant une publicité externe ou une enseigne;
- e) Conduire un Véhicule de covoiturage sans respecter les exigences en matière d'assurance, prévues à l'article 9 du présent Arrêté;
- f) Accepter un paiement en espèces pour un service de transport;

- (g) Accept Passengers through any other method other than the Technology Platform;
- (h) Smoke or vape or permit any Passenger to smoke or vape in a Ridesharing Vehicle while being used for transportation as a Vehicle-for-Hire Service:
- (i) Transport more Passengers than there are effectively operating seat belt assemblies in the Ridesharing Vehicle operating the Vehicle-for-Hire Service; or
- (j) Breach any applicable obligations on Driver's imposed by this By-law.

### **Drivers - Obligations**

### **12(1)** Every Driver shall:

- (a) Advise and immediately deliver to the City at a location designated by the City any property of the Passenger lost or left in the Ridesharing Vehicle;
- (b) Keep their Driver Identification Card in plain sight in the Ridesharing Vehicle at all times when they are providing Rides;
- (c) Upon demand by the City, a By-law Enforcement Officer or any Police Officer, produce:
  - (i) Their Driver Identification Card;
  - (ii) Proof of insurance as required by this By-law; and
  - (iii) Any other relevant information pertaining to them or to their operation of the Ridesharing Vehicle;
- (d) Upon demand by the City, a By-law Enforcement Officer or any Police Officer, submit the Ridesharing Vehicle for

- g) Accepter des Passagers en utilisant une autre méthode que la Plateforme technologique;
- h) Fumer ou vapoter ou autoriser un Passager à fumer ou vapoter dans un Véhicule de covoiturage pendant un Trajet de Voiturage;
- i) Transporter un nombre de Passagers supérieur au nombre de sièges équipés d'une ceinture de sécurité opérationnelle dans le Véhicule de covoiturage exploitant le Voiturage; ou
- j) Ne pas respecter les obligations applicables aux Conducteurs prévues au présent Arrêté.

### Conducteurs - Obligations

### **12(1)** Tout Conducteur est tenu de :

- a) Informer et remettre immédiatement à la Municipalité, à un endroit désigné par la Municipalité, tout bien du Passager perdu ou laissé dans le Véhicule de covoiturage;
- b) Maintenir sa Carte d'identification de conducteur visible à tout moment dans le Véhicule de covoiturage lorsqu'il effectue des Trajets pour le compte de la Société de voiturage;
- c) Sur demande de la Municipalité, d'un Agent d'exécution des arrêtés ou d'un agent de police, produire :
  - i) Sa Carte d'identification de conducteur;
  - ii) La preuve de l'assurance requise par le présent Arrêté; et
  - iii) Tout autre renseignement pertinent le concernant ou concernant son utilisation du Véhicule de covoiturage;
- d) Sur demande de la Municipalité, d'un Agent d'exécution des arrêtés ou d'un agent de police, soumettre le Véhicule de

- inspection at such time and place as specified;
- (e) Install the Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier as provided by the License holder, in the front bottom of the passenger's side of the windshield on the Ridesharing Vehicle in such a manner that it is clearly visible and identifiable from the exterior; and
- (f) Keep the Ridesharing Vehicle Identifier in its required location whenever they are providing transportation.
- **12(2)** Every Driver shall ensure that the Ridesharing Vehicle being used in a Vehicle-For-Hire Service:
  - (a) Is no more than eight (8) years old; and
  - (b) Has a valid and current certificate of inspection showing that the vehicle has been inspected pursuant to the provisions of the Motor Vehicle Act, at the time the Driver begins to provide Rides and annually thereafter.

### **Enforcement**

13 Common Council may, for the purposes of the administration and enforcement of this By-law appoint By-Law Enforcement Officers who may exercise such powers and perform such duties as set out under this By-law or in the Local Governance Act.

### Offences

**14** Every person who violates any provision of this By-law is guilty of an offence and liable upon summary conviction to a fine of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) and not more than two thousand one hundred dollars (\$2,100.00).

### **Administrative Penalties**

15(1) The City may require an administrative 15(1) La Municipalité peut exiger qu'une pénalité penalty to be paid with respect to a violation of a administrative soit payée relativement à une

- covoiturage à une inspection à la date et au lieu spécifiés;
- e) Installer l'Identification de véhicule de covoiturage fourni par la Société de voiturage sur la partie inférieure du parebrise, côté passager, du Véhicule de covoiturage, de sorte qu'il soit parfaitement visible et identifiable de l'extérieur: et
- f) Garder l'Identification de véhicule de covoiturage à l'emplacement requis, lors de chaque trajet.
- 12(2) Tout Conducteur est tenu de s'assurer que le Véhicule de covoiturage utilisé dans le cadre du Voiturage:
  - a) N'a pas plus de huit (8) ans; et
  - b) Dispose d'un certificat de contrôle en cours de validité, démontrant que le véhicule a inspecté conformément dispositions de la Loi sur les véhicules à moteur, au moment où le Conducteur commence à fournir des Trajets, et annuellement, par la suite.

### Exécution

13 Le Conseil communal peut, aux fins de l'administration et de l'exécution du présent Arrêté, nommer des Agents d'exécution des arrêtés qui peuvent exercer les pouvoirs et les fonctions prévus par le présent Arrêté ou dans la Loi sur la gouvernance locale.

### Infractions

14 Toute personne qui contrevient à une disposition du présent Arrêté est coupable d'une infraction et est passible sur condamnation sommaire d'une amende d'au moins cinq cent dollars (500 \$) et d'au plus deux mille cent dollars  $(2\ 100\ \$).$ 

### Pénalités administratives

provision of this By-law as set out in subsection infraction à une disposition de cet Arrêté, comme 15(2). prévu au paragraphe 15(2). 15(2) A person who violates any provision of this 15(2) Toute personne qui contrevient à une By-law may pay to the City within 30 calendar days disposition du présent Arrêté peut payer à la from the date of such violation an administrative Municipalité dans un délai de 30 jours civils à penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), compter de la date de ladite infraction, une pénalité and upon such payment, the person who administrative de deux cent cinquante dollars (250 committed the violation is not liable to be \$), et une fois l'amende payée, la personne n'est prosecuted therefor. plus susceptible de poursuites judiciaires. IN WITNESS WHEREOF the City of Saint John EN FOI DE QUOI The City of Saint John a fait has caused the Corporate Common Seal of the apposer son sceau municipal sur le présent Arrêté said City to be affixed to this By-law the day 2022, avec les signatures le of , 2022 and signed by: suivantes: Mayor/Maire Common Clerk/Greffier communal First Reading Première lecture Second Reading Deuxième lecture

Troisième lecture

Third Reading

### Schedule A

### **Application for Vehicle-for-Hire Company License**

To Be Comp	leted By Applicant:			
Applicant's N	ame: (Please Print)			
Applicant's A	ddress:			
Telephone: _		(Day)		
Proposed Co	mpany Name:			
Proposed Co	mpany Location:			
Status:	☐ Individual	□ Partnership	☐ Corporation	
If the applicar	nt is a partnership, a c	copy of the partnership ag	reement must be attached.	
			poration must be provided with cer New Brunswick Corporate Registry	
	nt is a partnership or one corporation.	corporation, list the memb	ers of the partnership or the office	s and
Name			Date of Birth	
		······································		
Number of Di				
List of Ridesh	naring Vehicles by Lic	ense Plate Number (attac 	h additional list if necessary): 	_
			in place to protect the personal infompany (attach additional paper if	

Do you or any of the officers, directors or partners, or the company have any convictions for any offences under the *Criminal Code of Canada*, the *Controlled Drug and Substances Act*, the *Food and Drug Act of Canada*, the *Young Offenders Act* or the *Liquor Control Act* within the last five years? If "YES" explain the

nature of the offence(s) in the space provided below. (Notwithstanding the foregoing, "criminal record" includes any pardons and criminal offences found within the Schedule to the <i>Criminal Records Act</i> .)				
	10	□YES		
			Signature of Ap	olicant:
To Be Revi	ewed By A	Applicant:		
It is the resp	onsibility o	of the applica	nt to complete the for	m correctly.
CHECKLIS	T:			
Please com	plete all do	ocuments pric	or to submitting Applic	ation Package to the City of Saint John.
Check off b	oxes to ens	sure your App	olication can be proce	ssed.
□Applicant	has attain	ed the full ag	e of 19 years.	
□Applicatio	on Form – o	completed by	Applicant.	
□ Confirma	tion of insu	rance as ider	ntified under the <i>Sain</i>	John Ridesharing By-law.
☐ Checklist	– reviewed	d by Applican	t.	
☐ Present o	ompleted A	Application Pa	ackage in person to th	ne City of Saint John Customer Service Centre.
City		larket Square	ner Service Centre	Telephone: (506) 658-4455 Hours of Operation: Monday to Friday, 8:30AM – 4:30PM
□Payment	for Vehicle	-for-Hire Con	npany License:	
The followir under this B	•	ll be paid to t	he City upon applicat	on for a Vehicle-for-Hire Company License
(b) Cla	ss "A" - \$72 ss "B"- \$24 ss "C"- \$80	69.00		
The following this By-law:	ig fees sha	ll be paid to t	he City upon renewal	for a Vehicle-for-Hire Company License under
(b) Cla	ss "B"- \$24	69.00 + \$0.2	0/ trip (January 1 – D	recember 31 previous year) ecember 31 previous year) cember 31 previous year)
(For payme	nt by chequ	ue: make che	eque payable to the C	ity of Saint John)

### To be completed by the By-Law Enforcement Officer:

This application is:	□APPROVED	□ DENIED
Reason(s) for denial		
Signature:		Date:
By-law Enforcement Officer	<del> </del>	Year/Month/Day

### Annexe A

### Demande de permis d'une Société de voiturage

À remplir par	le requérant :				
Nom du requé	erant : (Caractères d'in	nprimerie S.V.P.)			
Adresse du re	quérant :		_		
Téléphone:		_ (jour)			
Nom commerc	cial proposé :				
Emplacement	commercial proposé :				
Statut:	☐ Un particulier	□ Société de p	ersonne	☐ Corporation	
Si le requéran jointe.	t est une société de po	ersonnes, une copie	du contrat de s	ociété de personne	s doit être
	t est une corporation, le requérant est une co				
	t est une société de po les dirigeants et admi			érez les membres c	le la société de
Nom			Date o	de naissance	
		<del>-</del>	<del></del>		
			<del></del>		
Nombre de Vé	éhicules de covoiturag	e :			
	icules de covoiturage   re si nécessaire) :	par numéro de plaqu	ue d'immatricula	ation (joindre une lis	te
renseignemen	re les mesures de sécu ets personnels des Con enseignements supplé	nducteurs et des Pa	ssagers affiliés		

Est-ce que vous ou l'un des dirigeants, administrateurs ou associés, ou l'entreprise, avez été condamné pour une infraction au *Code criminel*, à la *Loi réglementant certaines drogues et autres substances*, à la *Loi sur les aliments et drogues du Canada*, à la *Loi sur les jeunes contrevenants* ou à la *réglementation des alcools* au cours des cinq dernières années? Si « OUI », expliquez la nature de l'infraction ou des infractions dans l'espace prévu ci-dessous. (Nonobstant ce qui précède, le « casier judiciaire » comprend toutes les réhabilitations et infractions criminelles figurant dans l'annexe de la Loi sur le casier judiciaire.)

1	NON	OUI			
		Signature	du requérant:		
À examine	r par le requ	<u>uérant:</u>			
II incombe	au requérant	t de remplir correctement le	formulaire.		
LISTE DE (	CONTRÔLE	:			
Veuillez rer	nplir tous les	s documents avant de soum	ettre le dossie	er de demande à	la Ville de Saint John.
Cochez les	cases pour	vous assurer que votre dem	nande peut êtr	e traitée.	
□ Le requé	rant a atteint	t l'âge de 19 ans.			
□Formulai	re de deman	nde - rempli par le requérant	i.		
□ Confirma John.	ition d'assura	ance telle que définie dans l	e cadre de l'A	Arrêté concernant	le covoiturage à Saint
☐ Liste de	contrôle - ex	aminée par le requérant.			
□ Présente Ville de Sai		de demande dûment rempli	en personne	au centre du serv	rices à la clientèle de la
Hô		nt John – Centre de service 5 Market Square 3 E2L 4L1	à la clientèle	Heures d'ouvertu	` ,

☐ Paiement du permis d'une Société de voiturage :

Les frais suivants doivent être payés à la Ville lors de la demande d'un Permis d'une Société de voiturage conformément au présent arrêté:

- (a) Classe « A » 7 253,00 \$
- (b) Classe « B » 2 469,00 \$
- (c) Classe « C » 807,00 \$

Les frais suivants doivent être payés à la Ville lors du renouvellement d'un Permis d'une Société de voiturage conformément au présent arrêté :

- (a) Classe « A » 7 253,00 \$ + 0,11 \$/trajet (du 1er janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente)
- (b) Classe « B » 2 469,00 \$ + 0,11 \$/trajet (du 1er janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente)
- (c) Classe « C » 807,00 \$ + 0,11 \$/trajet (du 1er janvier au 31 décembre de l'année précédente)

(Pour le paiement par chéqu	ie : libeller le chéque à l'o	rdre de la Ville de Saint John)	
À remplir par l'agent d'exé	cution des arrêtés :		
Cette demande est :	□APPROUVÉE	□REFUSÉE	
Raison(s) du refus			
Signature:		_ Date:	
Agent d'exécution des arrêté	es	Année/mois/jour	



### Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc.

Chief Michael Boyle

Deputy Chief Shawn White

7 Campbell Drive, Rothesay, NB E2E 5B6 Phone (506) 848-6601 Fax (506) 848-6608 Email: admin@kvfire.ca

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April 22, 2022

TO: Cathy Snow, Town Clerk - Quispamsis

Mary Jane Banks, Town Clerk - Rothesay

FR: Carlene MacBean

RE: 2021 Audited Financial Statements

Attached is an original copy of the 2021 Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc audited financial statements for the town records.





L. Carlene MacBean
Executive Assistant to the Fire Chief
Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department
7 Campbell Drive, Rothesay, NB E2E 5B6
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FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

**DECEMBER 31, 2021** 

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#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board of Directors of Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc.

### Opinion

We have audited the financial statements of the Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc., (the "Department") which comprise the statement of financial position as at December 31, 2021, and the statements of operations, changes in net debt and cash flows for the year then ended and notes to the financial statements, including a summary of significant accounting policies.

In our opinion, the financial statements present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc. as at December 31, 2021, and the results of its operations, changes in net debt and cash flows for the year then ended in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards.

We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Our responsibilities under those standards are further described in the Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements section of our report. We are independent of the Department in accordance with the ethical requirements that are relevant to our audit of the financial statements in Canada, and we have fulfilled our other ethical responsibilities in accordance with those requirements. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion.

Responsibilities of Management and Those Charged with Governance for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in accordance with Canadian public sector accounting standards, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

In preparing the financial statements, management is responsible for assessing the Department's ability to continue as a going concern, disclosing, as applicable, matters relating to going concern and using the going concern basis of accounting unless management either intends to liquidate the Department or to cease operations, or has no realistic alternative but to do so.

Those charged with governance are responsible for overseeing the Department's financial reporting process.

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements

Our objectives are to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements as a whole are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error, and to issue an auditors' report that includes our opinion. Reasonable assurance is a high level of assurance, but is not a guarantee that an audit conducted in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards will always detect a material misstatement when it exists. Misstatements can arise from fraud or error and are considered material if, individually or in the aggregate, they could reasonably be expected to influence the economic decisions of users taken on the basis of these financial statements.

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Independent Auditors' Report to the Board of Directors of Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc. (cont'd)

Auditors' Responsibilities for the Audit of the Financial Statements (cont'd)

As part of an audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, we exercise professional judgment and maintain professional skepticism throughout the audit. We also:

- Identify and assess the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error, design and perform audit procedures responsive to those risks, and obtain audit evidence that is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our opinion. The risk of not detecting a material misstatement resulting from fraud is higher than for one resulting from error, as fraud may involve collusion, forgery, intentional omissions, misrepresentations, or the override of internal control.
- Obtain an understanding of internal control relevant to the audit in order to design audit
  procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an
  opinion on the effectiveness of the Department's internal control.
- Evaluate the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates and related disclosures made by management.
- Conclude on the appropriateness of management's use of the going concern basis of accounting and, based on the audit evidence obtained, whether a material uncertainty exists related to events or conditions that may cast significant doubt on the Department's ability to continue as a going concern. If we conclude that a material uncertainty exists, we are required to draw attention in our auditors' report to the related disclosures in the financial statements or, if such disclosures are inadequate, to modify our opinion. Our conclusions are based on the audit evidence obtained up to the date of our auditors' report. However, future events or conditions may cause the Department to cease to continue as a going concern.
- Evaluate the overall presentation, structure and content of the financial statements, including the disclosures, and whether the financial statements represent the underlying transactions and events in a manner that achieves fair presentation.

We communicated with those charged with governance regarding, among other matters, the planned scope and timing of the audit and significant audit findings, including any significant deficiencies in internal control that we identify during our audit.

CHARTERED PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS

Terd Sanden Sogh

Saint John, New Brunswick April 13, 2022

### STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

### AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2021

	2021	2020
FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Cash (Note 4)	\$ 878,831	\$ 835,398
Accounts receivable		•
General	-	-
Due from member municipalities (Note 6)	199,097	63,334
Federal Government and its agencies (Note 5)	45,057	132,678
	\$ <u>1,122,985</u>	\$ <u>1,031,410</u>
LIABILITIES		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	\$ 154,043	\$ 180,179
Accrued sick leave liability (Note 7)	489,638	680,570
Accrued liability for retirement pay allowance (Note 8)	572,853	505,853
Post employment benefits payable (Note 9)	159,800	145,600
	_1,376,334	1,512,202
NET DEBT	(253,349)	(480,792)
NON-FINANCIAL ASSETS		
Tangible capital assets (Note 11)	7,541,876	7,269,357
Accumulated amortization (Note 11)	(3,635,556)	(3,336,775)
	_3,906,320	3,932,582
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS	\$ <u>3,652,971</u>	\$ <u>3,451,790</u>
COMMITMENT (Note 10)		
APPROVED BY:		
The reflection Chairperson		
Vitu Xeus Treasurer		

### STATEMENT OF OPERATIONS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<b>2021 Budget</b> (Note 13)	2021 Actual	2020 Actual
REVENUE (Note 6)			
Contributions by member municipalities - operating	\$ 5,419,084	\$ 5,419,084	\$ 5,349,446
Contributions by member municipalities - capital	-	274,243	1,142,455
Fee structure	_	276	420
Interest	5,000	5,989	6,256
Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	-	17,144	36,928
Miscellaneous	1,000	/	
	5,425,084	5,716,736	6,535,505
EXPENDITURE			
Administration	793,179	738,615	693,472
Firefighting force	3,853,947	3,730,210	3,487,136
Telecommunications	207,072	204,295	4,558
Insurance	50,000	52,362	36,971
Prevention and training	58,500	32,799	30,430
Facilities (Note 6)	280,753	274,372	315,463
Fleet	291,446	267,058	267,452
Operations	124,805	120,150	127,069
Water costs	32,478	32,482	31,533
Retirement allowance	41,012	63,212	62,322
Other	3,000		2,562
	_5,736,192	_5,515,555	_5,058,968
ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)			
FOR THE YEAR (Note 12)	\$(311,108)	201,181	1,476,537
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS -			
BEGINNING OF YEAR		<u>3,451,790</u>	_1,975,253
ACCUMULATED SURPLUS -			
END OF YEAR		\$ <u>3,652,971</u>	\$ <u>3.451.790</u>
Amortization included in the above expenditure		\$ 345,898	\$ <u>344,395</u>

### STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN NET DEBT

### AS AT DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<u> 2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Annual surplus Acquisition of tangible capital assets Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization of tangible capital assets Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	\$ 201,181 (322,778) 20,286 345,898 (17,144)	\$ 1,476,537 (1,128,657) 32,642 344,395 (36,928)
Decrease in net debt	227,443	687,989
Net debt - beginning of year	(480,792)	(1,168,781)
Net debt - end of year	\$ <u>(253,349)</u>	\$(480,792)

### STATEMENT OF CASH FLOWS

### FOR THE YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2021

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH		
OPERATING TRANSACTIONS		
Annual surplus	\$ 201,181	\$ 1,476,537
Gain on disposal of tangible capital assets	(17,144)	(36,928)
Amortization of tangible capital assets	345,898	344,395
Accounts receivable - General	-	617
Accounts receivable - Due from member municipalities	(135,763)	(63,334)
Accounts receivable - Federal Government and its agencies	87,621	(46,531)
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(26,136)	64,226
Accrued sick leave liability	(190,932)	(53,274)
Accrued liability for retirement pay allowance	67,000	67,000
Post employment benefits payable	<u>14,200</u>	<u>(330,300</u> )
CAPITAL TRANSACTIONS	345,925	1,422,408
Acquisition of tangible capital assets	(322,778)	(1,128,657)
Proceeds on disposal of tangible capital assets	20.286	32.642
NET INCREASE (DECREASE) IN CASH	43,433	326,393
CASH - BEGINNING OF YEAR	835,398	509,005
CASH - END OF YEAR	\$878,831	\$835,398
REPRESENTED BY:		
Cash - operating	\$ 343,748	\$ 348,903
Cash - retirement allowance	535,083	486,495
	\$878.831	\$835,398

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

### 1. PURPOSE OF THE ORGANIZATION

The Kennebecasis Valley Fire Department Inc. (the "Department") provides fire prevention, fire protection, fire-fighting, fire investigation services and medical first response to the Towns of Quispamsis, Rothesay and certain outlaying areas.

#### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The financial statements of the Department are the representations of management prepared in accordance with Canadian generally accepted accounting principles for local government, as recommended by the Public Sector Accounting Board ("PSAB") of the Chartered Professional Accountants of Canada.

The focus of Public Sector Accounting Standards ("PSAS") financial statements is on the financial position of the Department and the changes thereto. The Statement of Financial Position includes all of the assets and liabilities of the Department.

Significant aspects of the accounting policies adopted by the Department are as follows:

### Financial Instruments

Financial instruments are recorded at fair value when acquired or issued. In subsequent periods, equity instruments with actively traded markets are reported at fair value, with any unrealized gains and losses reported in annual surplus (deficit). All other financial instruments are reported at amortized cost, and tested for impairment at each reporting date. Transaction costs on the acquisition, sale, or issue of financial instruments are expensed when incurred.

### Cash and Cash Equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash balances with financial institutions.

### Revenue Recognition

The contributions from the member municipalities and the local service districts are recognized when the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured. Interest and other income are recorded on an accrual basis, when the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

### **Expenditure Recognition**

Expenditures are recorded on an accrual basis.

#### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

### 2. SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (cont'd)

### Measurement Uncertainty

The preparation of the financial statements in conformity with Canadian public sector accounting standards requires management to make estimates that affect the reported amount of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenue and expenditure during the reporting period. These estimates are reviewed periodically, and as adjustments become necessary, they are reported in earnings in the period in which they become known. Actual results may differ from these estimates.

Examples of significant estimates include:

- providing for amortization of tangible capital assets;
- the estimated useful lives of tangible capital assets;
- the recoverability of tangible capital assets;
- accrued sick leave liability;
- accrued retirement pay allowance; and
- accrued post employment benefits.

### Tangible Capital Assets

Tangible capital assets are recorded at cost which includes all amounts that are directly attributable to the acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset. The cost of the tangible capital assets are amortized on a straight-line basis over their estimated useful lives as follows:

Asset Type	Estimated Useful Life
Buildings	20-40 years
Vehicles	4-25 years
Equipment	4-20 years

Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is available for productive use.

The Department regularly reviews its capital assets to eliminate obsolete items.

### Post Employment Benefits

The Department recognizes its obligations under post employment benefit plans and the related costs, net of plan assets. The Department has a retirement pay allowance as documented in Note 8 and a pension plan as documented in Note 9.

### Economic Dependence

The Department receives funding from Quispamsis and Rothesay, which accounts for a significant portion of revenues.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

#### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 3. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS

The Department is exposed to various risks through its financial instruments and has a comprehensive risk management framework to monitor, evaluate and manage these risks. The following analysis provides information about the Department's risk exposure and concentration as of December 31, 2021:

### Credit Risk

Credit risk arises from the potential that a counter party will fail to perform its obligations. The Department is exposed to credit risk from its accounts receivable. The Department's credit risk is mitigated by the fact that its accounts receivable consist primarily of funds due from the Federal Government and the contributing municipalities.

### Liquidity Risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in meeting obligations associated with financial liabilities. The Department is exposed to this risk mainly in respect of its receipt of funds from its accounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and other obligations.

### Currency Risk

Currency risk is the risk to the Department's earnings that arise from fluctuations of foreign exchange rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The Department is not exposed to foreign currency risk as it does not hold foreign currencies.

### Interest Rate Risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the value of a financial instrument might be adversely affected by a change in the interest rates. In seeking to minimize the risks from interest rate fluctuations, the Department manages exposure through its normal operating activities. The Department is not exposed to significant interest rate risk as it does not have short term or long term debt.

#### 4. CASH

	<u>2021</u>	<u> 2020</u>
Cash - operating Restricted cash - retirement allowance (Note 8)	\$ 343,748 535,083	\$ 348,903 486,495
	\$878,831	\$ 835.398

### 5. DUE FROM FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND ITS AGENCIES

	<u> 2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Canada Revenue Agency (HST refund)	\$ 45,057	\$ 132,678

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 6. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

The Department is related to Quispamsis and Rothesay, as the two Municipalities jointly control the Department. The Department received a property tax rebate in the amount of \$57,138 (2020 - \$46,755) from Rothesay, which is netted against the property tax expenditure. The Department also entered a new dispatch agreement with the Municipalities during the year, the amount was \$200,371 (2020 - nil). During the year, the Department recognized the following contributions from the Municipalities as revenue:

	<u>2021</u>	<u>2020</u>
Quispamsis - Operating Rothesay - Operating	\$ 3,209,625 	\$ 3,168,800 2,180,646
	\$ <u>5,419,084</u>	\$_5,349,446
Quispamsis - Capital Rothesay - Capital	\$ 163,190 111,053	\$ 677,074 465,381
	\$274,243	\$ <u>1.142,455</u>

#### 7. ACCRUED SICK LEAVE LIABILITY

The Department provides every employee a sick leave entitlement that accumulates at a rate of 18 hours per month while the employee's sick bank is below 1,000 hours, and 13.5 hours per month while the sick bank is above 1,000 hours. All employees can accumulate to a maximum of 2,184 hours and can take a leave with pay by virtue of being sick or disabled, quarantined by a physician or Health Authority, or because of an accident or disease for which compensation is not payable under the Workplace Health, Safety and Compensation Commission Act or a long term disability plan. An employee is no longer entitled to accumulate sick leave if the employee has been off active duty, for any reason, for 120 consecutive calendar days or longer. All employees have 12 hours per year taken from their accumulated sick days and moved to a group sick bank until contributions collectively result in an accumulation of 3,000 working hours. For the purpose of the actuarial valuation described below, the group sick bank has been ignored since its use has been minimal in the past and its impact on the actuarial liability and normal cost is expected to be negligible.

An actuarial valuation was performed by Morneau Shepell as at December 31, 2020 on the 37 employee plan in accordance with PSA 3255. The actuarial method used was the projected unit credit pro-rated on service to expected usage. The valuation was based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and retirement. The assumptions used reflect the Department's best estimates. The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation:

- annual salary increase is 2.25%;
- the discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation is 1.99% (2018 3.07%);
- retirement age is 60; and
- estimated net excess utilization of rate of sick leave is independent of age.

The sick leave is an unfunded benefit and as such, there are no applicable assets. Benefits are paid out of revenue as they come due. The calculated unfunded liability as at December 31, 2021 is \$489,638 (2020 - \$680,570).

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

#### 8. ACCRUED LIABILITY FOR RETIREMENT PAY ALLOWANCE

Retiring employees are entitled to four weeks' regular salary for every five years of employment to a maximum of 24 weeks salary based on a minimum of ten years service. This benefit only applies to employees who have reached the age of 55 years. Upon the death of a full-time employee prior to retirement, a prorated benefit equal to four weeks' regular salary for every five years of employment shall be paid to the employee's named beneficiary or estate.

An actuarial valuation was prepared by Morneau Shepell as at December 31, 2019 for the Department's 37 members in accordance with PSA 3250 & 3255. The actuarial method used was the projected unit credit method. The present value of the accrued liability as at December 31, 2019 is estimated to be \$572,853 (2020 - \$505,853).

The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation:

- Discount rate used was 2.69%;
- Salary increases 2.5% per annum; and
- retirement age of 60 years old.

The activity for the year is as follows:

	<u>2021</u>	<u> 2020</u>
Balance at beginning of year Add: Benefit expense Interest earned	\$ 505,853 67,000 3,788	\$ 438,853 67,000 4,678
Less: Retirement benefits paid	576,641	510,531
Change in liability based on PSAS requirements	576,641 (3,788)	510,531 (4,678)
Accrued liability for retirement pay allowance at end of year	\$572,853	\$ <u>505,853</u>

The Department has restricted \$535,083 (2020 - \$486,495) in cash towards the funding of this liability (Note 4).

### 9. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE

The Department and its employees participate in the New Brunswick Municipal Employees Pension Plan ("NBMEPP"). The NBMEPP is a multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by a board elected by the members under the provisions of the Municipalities Act of New Brunswick. The NBMEPP provides pensions based on length of service and best average earnings.

Actuarial valuations for funding purposes are performed either annually or triennially depending on the financial position of the NBMEPP (currently annually). In turn, the actuarial valuations for accounting purposes are based on these figures (with adjustments). The most recent actuarial valuation was prepared as at December 31, 2019 and resulted in an overall NBMEPP accrued benefit obligation of \$135,126,100 based on the accounting basis.

The actuarial valuation for accounting purposes was based on a number of assumptions about future events, such as inflation rates, interest rates, wage and salary increases and employee turnover and mortality. The assumptions used reflect management's best estimates.

### NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

### **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

### 9. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE (cont'd)

The following summarizes the major assumptions in the valuation as at December 31, 2020:

- the expected inflation rate is 2.10% (prior 2.10%);
- the discount rate used to determine the accrued benefit obligation is 5.55% (prior 5.75%);
- the expected rate of return on assets is 5.55% (prior 5.75%);
- retirement age varies by age and employment category; and
- estimated average remaining service life (EARSL) is 13.0 years (prior 14.0 years).

The actuarial valuation prepared as at December 31, 2019 indicated that the market value of the net assets available for the accumulated plan benefits were less than the present value of these benefits. The pension plan has been granted a solvency deficiency exemption by the Province of New Brunswick.

On a going concern valuation basis, the actuarial valuation indicated a plan deficit of \$641,800, a change of \$6,896,200 from the December 31, 2018 deficit of \$7,538,000. Based on the assumptions as at December 31, 2019, the actuary expected the level of employer and employee contributions to be sufficient to fund the current service cost and going concern special payments, as required by the Pensions Benefits Act.

As at December 31, 2019, the NBMEPP provides benefits for 277 retirees. Total benefit payments to retirees and terminating employees during 2021 are estimated to be approximately \$4,641,200 (actual 2020 - \$5,662,100) in totality for the NBMEPP.

Employees make contributions using rates that vary by earnings level and employment category, with an overall average contribution rate of approximately 8.00%. Each participating body contributes an amount that equals their employees' contribution amounts. Pension Fund Assets are invested in Short Term Securities, Bonds, Canadian Equities and Foreign Equities. Combined employees and municipalities contributions for 2021 are estimated to be approximately \$7,136,800 (actual 2020 - \$6,929,400) in totality for the NBMEPP.

The following summarizes the NBMEPP data as it relates to the Department:

- The average age of the 42 active employees covered by the NBMEPP is 42.7 (2020 41.9);
- Benefit payments were \$531,900 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$531,900 in 2021; and
- Combined contributions were \$587,600 in 2020 and were estimated to be \$605,200 in 2021.

In addition to determining the position of the NBMEPP as it relates to the Department as at December 31, 2019 and December 31, 2020, NBMEPP's actuary performed an extrapolation of the December 31, 2020 accounting valuation to determine the estimated position as at December 31, 2021. The extrapolation assumes assumptions used as at December 31, 2021 remain unchanged from December 31, 2020. The extrapolation also assumes assets return of 5.55%, net of all fees and expenses. If experience is different than assumed, amounts will be adjusted to reflect actual experience.

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

# 9. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE (cont'd)

Results of the extrapolation are as follows:

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Accrued Benefit Liability Accrued benefit liability at beginning of period Adjustment to actual Pension expense for the year Employer contributions	\$ 145,600 127,000 189,800 (302,600)	\$ 475,900 (80,100) 105,300 (355,500)
Accrued benefit liability at end of period	\$159,800	\$145,600

In summary, the accrued benefit liability as it related to the Department is estimated to be \$159,800 as at December 31, 2021. This compares to \$475,900 as at January 1, 2019 and \$145,600 as at December 31, 2020. The December 31, 2020 liability was estimated in the prior year. The actual liability was calculated to be \$272,600. The difference of \$127,000 has been recorded in the current year.

The financial position as it relates to the accrued benefit liability is shown as follows and illustrates the unamortized amounts being recognized in pension expense over time:

Reconciliation of Funded Status at End of Period	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Accrued benefit obligation	\$ 14,241,100	\$ 13,534,800
Plan assets	14,135,500	13,320,900
Plan deficit	105,600	213,900
Adjustment to 2020 actual	-	(127,000)
Unamortized experience losses	54,200	58,700
Accrued benefit liability at end of period	\$159,800	\$ <u>145,600</u>

The following illustrates the reconciliation of accrued benefit obligation from the beginning of period to the end of period:

	<b>Estimated</b>	
	Jan 1, 2021 to	Jan 1, 2020 to
	Dec 31, 2021	Dec 31, 2020
Reconciliation of Accrued Benefit Obligation		
Accrued benefit obligation at beginning of period	\$ 13,534,800	\$ 12,639,100
Current service cost	488,200	462,700
Benefit payments	(531,900)	(531,900)
Interest for period	750,000	724,800
Experience gain during period		240,100
Accrued benefit obligation at end of period	\$ <u>14,241,100</u>	\$ <u>13,534,800</u>

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

# 9. POST EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS PAYABLE (cont'd)

The following illustrates the reconciliation of plan assets from the beginning of period to the end of period:

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to Dec 31, 2021	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Reconciliation of Plan Assets	:	-
Plan assets at beginning of period	\$ 13,320,900	\$12,378,900
Employer contributions	302,600	293,800
Employee contributions	302,600	293,800
Benefit payments	(531,900)	(531,900)
Return on plan assets during period	741,300	886,300
Plan assets at end of period	\$ <u>14,135,500</u>	\$ <u>13,320,900</u>

Total expense related to pensions include the following components:

	Estimated Jan 1, 2021 to <u>Dec 31, 2021</u>	Jan 1, 2020 to Dec 31, 2020
Pension Expense		
Employer current service cost	\$ 185,600	\$ 168,900
Interest on accrued benefit obligation	750,000	724,800
Expected return on assets	(741,300)	(713,400)
Experience loss (gain)	(4,500)	(9,700)
Pension expense	\$189,800	\$170,600

The pension expense is included in the Statement of Operations. The 2020 pension expense was estimated to be \$105,300. The difference between the 2020 estimated and actual expense has been recorded as an expense of the current period.

# 10. COMMITMENT

# Office Equipment Lease

The Department has entered into a lease agreement with Xerox Canada Ltd. to provide use of a photocopier. In 2018, the Department committed to \$478 per quarter payable over 60 months commencing on January 16, 2019. The future minimum annual payments over the next two years are:

2022	\$ 1,912
2023	1,912

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

# 11. SCHEDULE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS

COST	Land	Buildings	Vehicles	Equipment	2021 <u>Total</u>	2020 <u>Total</u>
Balance - beginning of year	\$ 100,049	\$2,984,262	\$3,473,931	\$ 711,115	\$7,269,357	\$ 6,575,843
Add: Net additions during the year	1	198,174	94,017	30,587	322,778	1,128,657
Less: Disposals during the year		•	(50,259)		(50,259)	(435,143)
Balance - end of year	100,049	3,182,436	3,517,689	741,702	7,541,876	7,269,357
ACCUMULATED AMORTIZATION						
Balance - beginning of year	1	1,474,606	1,534,959	327,210	3,336,775	3,431,809
Add: Amortization during the year	ı	98,697	185,896	61,305	345,898	344,395
Less: Accumulated amortization on disposals	•		(47,117)		(47,117)	(439,429)
Balance - end of year		1,573,303	1,673,738	388,515	3,635,556	3,336,775
NET BOOK VALUE OF TANGIBLE CAPITAL ASSETS	\$ 100,049	\$ 1,609,133	\$ 1.843.951	$\frac{100,049}{100,049}$	\$3,906,320	\$3,932,582

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

# 12. RECONCILIATION OF ANNUAL SURPLUS (DEFICIT)

	Operating Fund	Capital <u>Fund</u>	Total
2021 annual surplus - PSAS	\$ 275,978	\$_(74,797)	\$ 201,181
Adjustments to annual surplus for funding requirements Second previous year's surplus Accumulated amortization on disposal of tangible capital assets Amortization expense Provision for vested retirement benefits - pension Change in amount recorded under PSAS sick leave accrual Change in retirement allowance liability  Total adjustments to 2021 annual surplus (deficit)	145,730 - 14,200 (190,932) (3,787) (34,789)	(47,117) 345,898 - - 298,781	145,730 (47,117) 345,898 14,200 (190,932) (3,787) 263,992

# NOTES TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

# **DECEMBER 31, 2021**

# 13. OPERATING BUDGET TO PSAS BUDGET

	Operating Budget	Amortization and Long Term	E	E
BEVENITE	General	Accruais	I ransiers	10131
Contributions by member municipalities - operating	\$ 5,419,084	· <del>•</del>	- \$	\$ 5,419,084
Local service districts	ı	•		1
Miscellaneous	1,000	1	t	1,000
Interest	2,000	1	ı	2,000
Surplus of second previous year	145,730		(145,730)	1
	5,570,814		(145,730)	5,425,084
EXPENDITURE				
Administration	790,951	2,228	ı	793,179
Firefighting force	4,032,907	(178,960)	1	3,853,947
Telecommunications	207,072	1	1	207,072
Insurance	50,000		ı	20,000
Prevention and training	58,500	ı	1	58,500
Facilities	182,056	68,697	1	280,753
Fleet	105,550	185,896	1	291,446
Operations	63,500	61,305	ı	124,805
Water costs	32,478	ı	ı	32,478
Retirement allowance	44,800	(3,788)	ı	41,012
Other	3,000			3,000
	5,570,814	165,378		5,736,192
Deficit	·	\$ (165,378)	\$ (145.730)	\$ (311,108)

## 2022-04-16



# **Town of Quispamsis**

Please accept our sincere thanks for your assistance as a supporter of the Canadian Masters & Athletics Canada Championships and U SPORTS Track & Field Championships at the Irving Oil Field House. The bleachers you allowed us to borrow expanded the capacity of seating for the event and added to the quality of the experience for all involved. It was an excellent example of sharing of equipment which can make events more successful.

With your help, we saw the Field House come alive with the largest indoor track & field events ever held in Atlantic Canada. The Canadian Masters & AC Championships saw over 360 athletes competing. U SPORTS was broadcast on CBC SPORTS, streaming to the entire country, and had over 500 athletes competing with the support of almost 200 coaches, officials, support staff and volunteers.

All who participated spoke glowingly of our communities, the facility, and all the friendly volunteers. During the week, our region saw a significant economic boost welcomed by the hotels, restaurants, and stores, bringing some needed sports tourism dollars to our community in the winter of 2022.

As a sponsor of the event, we thank you, as you were critical to that success. We hope you saw value in your involvement and welcome any feedback you have, so please feel free to contact me.

Thank you again for all your support.

Sincerely,

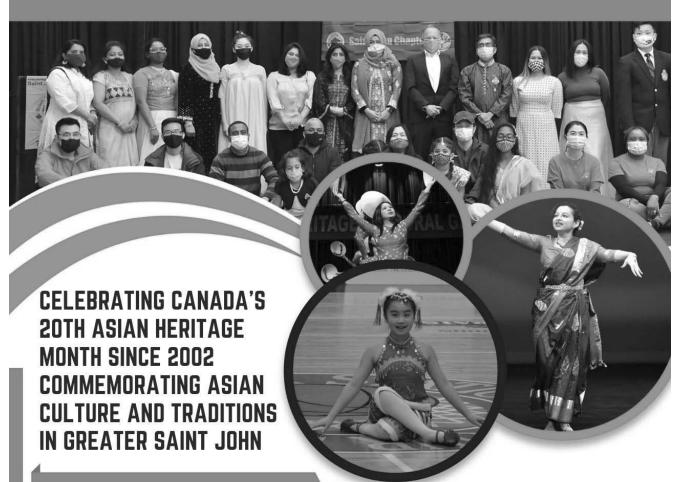
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# MAY 2022

# ASIAN HERITAGE MONTH **CELEBRATIONS**



**EVENTS CALENDAR (FREE FOR ALL)** 

**OPENING CEREMONY** 

SUNDAY MAY 08, 2022, 2PM - 4PM KENT THEATRE, 24 COBURG ST, SAINT JOHN

**ASIAN ART WORKSHOP** 

SATURDAY MAY 14, 2022, 2PM - 4PM YMCA OF GREATER SAINT JOHN, 191 CHURCHILL BLVD

**ASIAN HERITAGE ART** 

THROUGHOUT THE MONTH OF MAY 2022 - THE ART WAREHOUSE, 120 PRINCE WILLIAM ST

**EXHIBITS** 

**ASIAN HERITAGE** 

**MULTICULTURAL GALA** 

SATURDAY MAY 28, 2022, 2PM - 4PM SAINT JOHN HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM, 200 PRINCE WILLIAM ST

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A meeting of the Board of Trustees, Kennebecasis Public Library was held on March 16, 2022 at 6:30pm via Zoom.

**In Attendance:** Mrs. L. Hansen, Chair; Ms. N. Emerson, Secretary; Mrs. Amy Watling, Treasurer; Mr. Don Shea, Mr. Noah Donovan, Mr. Allison Maxwell, Mrs. Susan Webber

Regrets: Mr. Kevin Winchester, Ms. E. Greer, Vice-Chair

Absences:

**Call to Order:** Mrs. Hansen called the meeting to order at 6:44 pm.

# **Approval of Agenda**

It was moved by Mr. Shea to approve the agenda. Mr. Maxwell seconded, and the motion carried.

# **Disposition of Minutes**

Mr. Donovan moved to approve the minutes of the February regular meeting. Mrs. Watling seconded, and the motion carried.

# **Communications**

# Report of the Librarian

Ms. Emerson presented her report to the board, including staff reassignments during the library flood repairs, and the temporary hold on volunteers, on-calls, and the return of student clerks.

Ms. Emerson updated the board about the state and storage of collections while repairs are ongoing.

As the library is currently closed, COVID protocols relating to public access are not applicable. When the library reopens, it will follow the COVID protocols in place at the time.

Mr. Shea moved to accept the Librarian's Report. Mr. Maxwell seconded, and the motion carried.

# **Financial Statement**

Mrs. Watling presented the financial report, outlining the expenditures thus far in 2022. Ms. Emerson provided details on how insurance compensation payments are handled in relation to the flood. Discussion ensued.

# Facilities Management

Ms. Emerson updated the library board on behalf of the facilities manager, Phil Shedd. Ms. Emerson shared a timeline of events and repairs since the February board meeting. Discussion ensued.

Discussion ensued on board involvement in communications surrounding the flood to improve frequency and clarity of updates to municipalities and the public.

Mr. Donovan moved to accept the committee reports as presented. Mr. Shea seconded, and the motion carried.

# **New and Unfinished Business**

Ms. Emerson provided an update on the state of the building, with particulars about the insulation installation in the area where the flood began. Discussion ensued.

Mrs. Hansen initiated discussion of staffing levels at the library and proposes future action to renegotiate these levels. Discussion ensued.

Mrs. Hansen moved to officially thank Ms. Emerson for her efforts in flood repairs. Mrs. Watling seconded.

**Adjournment:** As there was no other business, Mrs. Hansen moved that the meeting be adjourned at 7:49 pm.

**Next Meeting:** The next meeting is scheduled for April 20, 2022 at 6:30pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Norah Emerson Library Director and Secretary to the Board





# QUISPAMSIS TOWN COUNCIL FINANCE COMMITTEE MINUTES

April 21, 2022, 9:30 am Quispamsis Town Hall - Boardroom

Members Present: Councillor Kirk Miller, Chair

Mayor Libby O'Hara

Councillor Beth Thompson Brandon, Krista; Town Treasurer Kennedy, Aaron: Acting CAO McLaughlin, Lia; Accountant

MacInnis, Lisa; Assistant Town Clerk Young, Nancy; Senior Accountant

Members Absent: Deputy Mayor Mary Schyer (regrets)

# 1. Approval of Agenda

Moved By Councillor Miller Seconded By Councillor Thompson

That the agenda items be approved as presented.

**Motion Carried** 

# 2. Presentation by Peter Logan, CA, Teed Saunders & Doyle - Town of Quispamsis Draft Audited Financial Statements

Mr. Logan presented to the Finance Committee the draft 2021 Consolidated Audited Financial Statements.

Total Actual Revenues, \$33,264,572

Total Actual Expenditures, \$29,597,894

Resulting Consolidated Surplus, \$3,666,678—mainly due to operating and capital funds combined with capital grants being recorded as revenue when received but expenses amortized over time.

Operating surplus in General Fund \$62,068

Operating surplus in Utility Fund \$2,092

Reserve Funds - December 31, 2021 Balances

•	General Operating Reserve Fund	\$1,250,128
•	General Capital Reserve Fund	\$2,976,558
•	Utility Operating Reserve Fund	\$ 160,507
•	Utility Capital Reserve Fund	\$2,658,789
•	Land Trust Fund	\$ 147,503

Employees of Quispamsis, KVFD, and the KRJBPC participate in the NBMEPP, a multiple-employer defined benefit pension plan administered by a Board elected by the members under the provisions of the Municipalities Act. It provides pensions based on length of service and best average earnings.

Tangible capital assets are recorded at a cost which includes amounts directly attributable to acquisition, construction, development or betterment of the asset, and are amortized on a straight-line basis over the estimated useful life of the asset. Assets under construction are not amortized until the asset is available for productive use. The consolidated NET Book value of tangible assets as at December 31, 2021 is \$111,947,824.

Mr. Logan stated a Management Letter will be provided the date the statements are presented to Council. He has confirmed the Audit was done in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards, with no control issues nor concerns, and good cooperation from the Town's Finance Staff, as usual.

**Moved By** Councillor Thompson **Seconded By** Mayor O'Hara

The draft 2021 Audited Financial Statements be presented to Council at the May 3, 2022 Regular Meeting.

**Motion Carried** 

Councillor Miller thanked Mr. Logan for his presentation and the Finance Staff for all their work in assisting the Auditors in completing the 2021 Financial Audit. Mr. Logan left the meeting.

3. Discussion Re the Potential Approval of Two Year Capital Budget - The Town Treasurer stated, due to COVID and the war in Ukraine, that the procurement of goods has become increasingly difficult, with increased costs and decreased availability.

To accompany the Strategic Plan, the Town Treasurer wanted the committee to consider a new financial approach to produce a two-year capital budget. Further stating that for planning purposes, with the lead time for procurement, ordering, build and delivery of vehicles and equipment currently being approximately 18 to 24 months, this would allow staff to get ahead of things.

After some discussion, it was the consensus of the Finance Committee that they supported this approach and further agreed that it demonstrates sound financial management for the Town's long term strategic planning.

# 4. Adjournment

**Moved By** Councillor Thompson **Seconded By** Mayor O'Hara

That the Finance Committee meeting be adjourned

**Motion Carried** 

Meeting adjourned at 10:15 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa MacInnis Assistant Town Clerk

# Office of the Clerk Town of Quispamsis



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April 29, 2022

Darrel and Doreen Earle

Quispamsis, NB E2G 1N2

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Earle:

Thank you for your letter dated April 23, 2022 expressing concern about the additional cost associated with your sewer user fee as a result of your second unit apartment rental.

While the Town sympathizes with your concerns of rising costs and the limitations placed on landlords to increase rents, please note the sewer user fee you are being charged is in alignment with the Town's Sewerage Utility By-law No. 005. The Town uses the data from Service New Brunswick, and if a property is marked as more than a one unit dwelling, and it is not exempt from the additional taxes via the "Residential Property Tax Credit Statement", then the property owner is charged for the additional dwelling unit.

A dwelling unit is defined as "a room or a suite of rooms designated or intended for use by an individual or family in which culinary facilities and sanitary sewer conveniences are provided for the exclusive use of such individual or family', which fits the description of your apartment rental.

While I regret that our response can not be more favourable, I trust you understand the Town's position in that we are unable to deviate from the provisions of the By-law.

Yours truly,

Catherine Snow

Town Clerk

cc: Mayor & Council

Mayor and Council

**Town of Quispamsis** 



April 23, 2022

Earlier this year we were informed by the Town, that since we have a rental apartment, we were being undercharged for our sewer service. They did spell out the extra amount, but unfortunately we did not pay attention to it as they mentioned the Provincial assessment office and we automatically assumed that the additional sewer charge would use the same basis as the Province for calculation. For property tax purposes the apartment represents 15% of the total assessment.

The apartment is just under 400 sq. feet and has one bedroom with a full bath and a small kitchen and sitting room, suitable for one person. This apartment does not have any laundry facilities. This apartment does not have a separate sewer line but joins onto the main house. No additional sewer pumps needed to be installed by the Town when the system was engineered.

Given the size of the apartment and the amount of sewer generated it seems that being charged the same amount as a home with two or more people and two or more bathrooms and full laundry facilities is a bit of an overcharge. We would ask that the Town reconsider this charge and set a more reasonable rate for situations like this.

We feel that the timing of this assessment should also be reconsidered. As you are no doubt aware the Provincial Government has recently legislated that notices of rent increases must be given six months in advance and the increase is limited to 3.8%. The lease with our tenant is effective January 1, in the amount of \$590.00 per mo. (a copy of the lease can be made available for your confirmation of the proceeding information). This will be a real financial hardship for us. The sewer rate is approximately 10% of the rent rate and since the lease states increases can only be implemented on the anniversary date, we will need to pay all of 2022 from our pocket. And only then are we allowed to increase the rent by a maximum of \$22.00. So it will take three years of rent increases to get back to our 2021 level of income, and this does not take into consideration other cost increase that will come our way.

We would ask that the Council and appropriate departments reconsider this rate and come up with a rate that takes the above information into consideration

Darrel and Doreen Earle

