

Council Update – Councillor Leslie Anderson  
February 21, 2023

#### Heritage Committee – Feb 8<sup>th</sup>

The Committee elected a Chair (Sally Gose), vice-chair (Allan Dobb) and a recording secretary (Daphne Allen). Discussions continue concerning potential actions to identify and potentially preserve the historical footprint of the lime kiln. Work is being undertaken to update several “Statements of Significance”. The Committee is reviewing their 2022 workplan and will be proposing several revisions and updates for 2023.

#### Westshore Parks and Rec Board Meeting – Feb 9<sup>th</sup>

- Skatepark update – the contractor, New Line Skateparks, has three crews working on the project and the concrete work has begun. The project remains on schedule.
- Maintenance departmental presentation – Tristan Webb, maintenance supervisor, presented an overview of the maintenance department. He covered the levels of positions employed, the large scope and variety of responsibilities of the staff, and the skills sought. Tristan shared details on the complex mechanical equipment required to operate recreation facilities and how his team manages them. The presentation also covered how the maintenance crew continues to upgrade equipment, putting controls in place to reduce WSPR’s environmental impact.
- A progress update for the current 2021-2025 Strategic Plan was provided. Directors commented positively on the progress being achieved and milestones reached. Appreciation was also expressed for staff’s continued relation of their work to the strategic plan.