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Minutes of the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee Held Friday 28 October 2011 CRD Integrated Water Services -Main Conference Room 479 Island Highway, Victoria, BC

Present:

Jim Petrie (C), Joseph Gill, John MacDonald, Mary Steel, John Fisher

CRD Electoral Area Director: Ken Hancock

CRD: Tim Tanton, Senior Manager, Infrastructure Engineering, Mark Harper, Manager, Saanich Peninsula and Gulf Islands Operations, Chris Lowe, Supervisor, Marine

Assessment, Lorrie Siemens (Recording Secretary)

Guest:

Mike Brady, Manager of Water Resources, AECOM

Regrets:

Pat Watson

#### 1. Call to Order

Chair Petrie called the meeting to order at 9:40 a.m.

### 2. Approval of Agenda

**MOVED** by Joseph Gill, **SECONDED** by Mary Steel, that the agenda of the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee meeting of October 28, 2011 be approved as distributed.

**CARRIED** 

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# 3. Adoption of Minutes of June 21, 2011

**MOVED** by Mary Steel, **SECONDED** by John MacDonald, that the minutes of the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee meeting of June 21, 2011 be adopted as presented.

### 4. Review of Action List

The action list was reviewed and updated.

# 5. Report on Operations

Tim Tanton presented a written report. The report addressed the following topics:

- Drinking Water Supply and Demand
- Drinking Water Quality
- Drinking Water Operations
- Water System Upgrade Project
- Wastewater Operations
- Sewer System Engineering Study

The committee requested that hydrant flow testing in cooperation with the Pender Island Fire Department be added to the action list as per a motion made at the June 21, 2011 meeting.

A lengthy discussion took place on the need for hydrant maintenance.

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Staff were requested to review costs to have CRD conduct hydrant flushing and notify the committee for authorization to proceed.

# 6. Magic Lake Estates Water Treatment Plant Equipment Supply Award of Contract (Tender Ref. No. 2011-520)

Staff presented a written report. Mike Brady (AECOM) and CRD staff responded to questions from the committee.

Staff proposed that a communication plan be established to provide information from the consultant to the committee on the project.

MOVED by Joseph Gill, SECONDED by John MacDonald,

that the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee recommend to the Capital Regional District Board that a contract for the supply of water treatment equipment (Tender Reference No. 2011-520) be awarded to Corix Water Systems for an amount of \$749,091.59 plus HST.

CARRIED

### 7. Meter Reading Process

Staff presented a written report.

MOVED by Director Hancock, SECONDED by Mary Steel,

that meter reading services continue to be provided by staff and vehicle from the Greater Victoria area; and that the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee receive this report.

**CARRIED** 

### 8. Water Loss Management Update

Staff presented a written report.

MOVED by Joseph Gill, SECONDED by John Fisher,

that the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee include a budget of \$15,000 in the 2012 Capital Plan for installation of flow meters on the ten automated flushing stations in the system, with funding from the Capital Reserve Fund.

**CARRIED** 

# 9. Schooner Way and Cannon Crescent Wastewater Treatment Plants Outfall Monitoring Programs

Chris Lowe presented a written report. Staff responded to several questions from the committee.

MOVED by Mary Steel, SECONDED by John Fisher,

that the Magic Lake Estates Water and Sewer Local Services Committee receive the report for information.

CARRIED

### 10. New Business

Staff were requested to:

- Contact MOT contractor (Mainroad) to request repair of potholes on the road over the dam.
- Provide an explanation on the Building Inspection charge showing on the R&E.

# 11. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 11:25 a.m.