

Community Infrastructure Department
2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarterly Report 2021-2022
Completed by:
Reflecting the Strategic Plan

## **LEADERSHIP**

#### GOAL: SELF-GOVERNMENT BASED ON THE CULTURAL AND TRADITIONAL IDENTITY OF SIB.

- Land Use plan
- Received \$100,000 to update LUP, develop a new residential plan for future development, develop a cemetery plan expansion vs. additional location and a parks plan.
- Applied for funding to develop a Capital Plan separate from the above to develop a Capital Plan. Approximate cost = \$350,000 (developed by engineer and other principles)

#### MEMBERSHIP

## GOAL: ENGAGED, EMPOWERED AND SELF-SUFFICIENT SQ'EWQELO:MEXW

- > Traditional Land Holdings:
- ➤ We are actively researching data from SIB records, Library & Archives Canada, Library & Archives BC through research team and online requests.
- ➤ We have retrieved data from ISC, contracted researchers to compile data and collaborated with FNLMRC for data gathering, NRCan SGB for data and Vector Geomatics, to gather supporting documents for surveys.
- Housing
  - 12 members building private homes
  - 5 active applications for individual home ownership

#### **ENVIRONMENT**

# PROTECT AND ENHANCE S'ÓLH TÉMÉXW, INCLUDING LAND, WATER AND AIR CONSISTENT WITH TÓMIYEQW

- Lands Team & UBC researchers studying SIB's Indigenous berries lifecycle, disease & pest identification.
- Seabird Island Community School wants to plant Indigenous berries along fence.
- UBC research team will suggest ideal location and propagation methods.
- First Nations Community Watch continue with river patrols with no major concerns.
- SIB Lands team exploring Indigenous-led enforcement/safety programs.
- > The Eco-Station is not to be used for disposal of appliances and debris. The housing and public works departments were requested to respond and provide a plan for cleanup deliverables. Loading and disposal of items will take place in October.

> Stqó:ya was issued a letter of non-compliance on various concerns, including a sub-lessee - Northern Mat & Bridge lease were filling their truck with water and negatively impacting community water pressure. A stop work order was issued.

#### CULTURE, HEALING, HEALTH & WELLNESS

#### GOAL: ÁY:MEXW – HEALTHY PEOPLE, PHYSICALLY, MENTALLY, EMOTIONALLY AND SPIRITUALLY.

#### Health Wing HVAC

o Replacing / upgrading the system, possible expansion on Health space

#### > Student showers at elementary school

 Tile work has been completed. Dry wall and painting have been completed. Working with Procurement to order shower partitions.

#### High School

• We are completing the second floor and is forecasted to be complete by end of October.

#### Elementary school

Renovating and making a new library area

## **Elementary School Gym**

o Hardwood floor installation has been completed as well as new doors installed.

### Housing

- 8 Vacant homes that are requiring renos are being inspected and planned to be completed over the next six months.
- We are establishing a housing inspection schedule

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#### **INFRASTRUCTURE**

## GOAL: AN ECONOMICALLY STABLE COMMUNITY THAT MEETS THE INFRASTRUCTURE NEEDS FOR FUTURE GROWTH.

#### Cemetery mapping

- We have contracted a firm to map the cemetery
- We are building community & family histories by requesting pedigree charts and family trees from SRRMC for Seabird families
  - o will post on gym wall for interviews
  - o data can be updated then

#### Buildings and Mechanical

- Fraser Valley Fire has completed its annual inspection of alarms and fire suppression equipment.
- Fire hydrant servicing started on July 5<sup>th</sup> Utilities lead and ISC provided resource (Circuit rider) flushed, rebuilt, and greased four hydrants. Work will continue in September.
- Valley Signs was on site to determine options for signage needs within community. Public Works to identify all signs to determine cost estimate.
- Purchased pothole repair kits to address major potholes (Safety Concerns) A total of
- Working with Team on PW works O&M planning development, including Seasonal Grounds Keeping & Maintenance Plan, Water Distribution & Associated Maintenance Plan, Sanitation & Maintenance, Roads Maintenance. Individual Buildings OM plans and associated daily, weekly and monthly check lists for traceability.

## > Housing

- O We are contracting work to be done on the 8-plex
- We are pursuing CMHC supplemental funding for 5 units in progress. One unit is complete, all appliances have arrived, and two kitchens are on order. Completion date Dec 31, 2021.
- o Fortis BC Energy Conservation Assistance Program is ongoing for all homes .
- o ISC renovations of 17 renovations, 15 completed, 2 in progress