

North Shuswap Incorporation Feasibility Study Group

One reservoir could be built to service everyone, with many existing pipes. Challenge is to find someone to build reservoir and the major lines. Everything should fall into place from there. Cost recovery is the big question. New municipality could build reservoir and main lines via a grant from feds/prov. IH will give huge support if all the various systems are included. Build in Latecomer agreement and DCC.

Very doable, well within the financial resources of a SC municipality.

Jane Mastin

7.0 - how elected representation changes and service delivery

8.0 - Summary

How does the report read for the next step, to talk knowledgeably regarding incorporation. Is the message sound, and compelling? Add an executive summary putting that positive message in clear words.

provide community access - library? chamber?

meet with ministry - their mandate to respond to issues of this nature
someone locally? Kathy LeBlanc?

4. Study Group Discussion

How to draw in Lee Creek/Celista

discuss this with the Ministry - may make it part of the next study
do this before we spend more of our money

When bring in MLA, MP?

do it now, send copy of report

MLA may assist in setting up meeting with the ministry

MP can provide support. Let him know as he may help with future grants.

5. Questions/Comments from the public

Would it be a requirement for the public to attach to the sewer and water systems?

If objective is environmental protection, Muni council has obligation to require connections.

Maybe 1 yr from date of completion. Some hardship cases. When house sells covenant, etc.

What's driving this, water, sewer, incorporation?

Planning & control locally, followed by sewer and water systems.

What's it going to cost me as a homeowner?

Taxes would stay the same or it just won't work. This detail would be identified in the formal study. The numbers and activities shown in this report are working with existing money.

Must both sewer and water be done at the same time?

If that is done then you dig up the roads only once but there may not be funding for both.

Send the LSIB a copy of the report.

Motion: TRUE to complete the report edits as discussed. Upon receipt of the Final Report it will be distributed as discussed in Next Steps, section 8.2.

Craig Spooner/Dean Acton

Approved

6. Set next meeting date - no meeting required.