



<b>Subject:</b>	Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan Project Update Report Q2 2019 – Q1 2022
<b>To:</b>	Committee of the Whole – Community Services & Infrastructure
<b>From:</b>	Public Works Department

<b>Report Number:</b>	PW-23-22
<b>Wards Affected:</b>	All
<b>Date to Committee:</b>	June 29, 2022
<b>Date to Council:</b>	July 11, 2022

### **Recommendation:**

Receive and file Report PW-23-22 Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan Project Update Report Q2 2019 – Q1 2022 as attached as Appendix A.

### **Purpose:**

The purpose of this report is to provide Council with an update of the current climate action initiatives associated with the Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan (CCAP).

### **Background:**

On July 22, 2019 Council passed a resolution supporting the development of a Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan. The purpose of a Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan is to prepare the Town of Lincoln to adapt to anticipated climatic change and extreme weather, thereby minimizing the severity of the resulting impact.

### **Report:**

Further to the declaration of a Climate Crisis, adoption of the Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan (CCAP) and extensive efforts that have been ongoing with Council support, staff continue to implement climate action initiatives. Appendix A provides an update on Town of Lincoln Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan Initiatives between Q2 2019 – Q1 2022 including progress and next steps.

Future updates will be on a biannual basis. The next update report will provide an overview of Q2-Q4 2022 and is anticipated to be brought to Council in January 2023.

## **Financial, Legal, Staff Considerations:**

Financial: N/A

Staffing:

It is anticipated that the Town's communication staff are utilized to prepare materials for public engagement initiatives and to assist with the notifications relating to the implementation of the CCAP's actions. It is anticipated also that as staff continue implementing the actions outlines in the CCAP, that applicable staffing requests will be made on a project-by-project basis. Appropriate departments are responsible for identifying staff.

Legal: N/A

## **Public Engagement Matters:**

Ongoing engagement with residents, businesses, stakeholders, and industry will continue to be an important part of the climate adaptation process. It is anticipated that as staff continue implementation of the actions outlines in the CCAP, that applicable public engagement will be conducted on a project-by-project basis. Planned community engagement and communication will also be facilitated on Speak Up Lincoln.

## **Conclusion:**

The Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan Project Update Report Q2 2019 – Q1 2022 reviews the ongoing progress on the implementation of the Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan.

Respectfully submitted,

Shannon Fernandes  
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## **Appendices:**

Appendix A: Corporate Climate Adaptation Plan Project Update Report Q2 2019 – Q1 2022

## **Report Approval:**

Report has been reviewed by Director Public Works. Final approval is by the Chief Administrative Officer.