# 2024 Appointments – Partners for the Saskatchewan River Basin

#### **ISSUE**

City Council makes an annual appointment to Partners for the Saskatchewan River Basin.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the Governance & Priorities Committee recommend to City Council that Tyla Yobb be reappointed as the city representative to Partners for the Saskatchewan River Basin for 2024.

## **BACKGROUND**

Appointments are made in accordance with <u>Policy C01-003 Appointments to Civic Boards, Commissions, Authorities, and Committees</u> and pursuant to Council resolution that an annual appointment by the City of Saskatoon is to be made to the Partners for the Saskatchewan River Basin. The appointment has typically been a member of City administration.

#### **DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS**

Partners for the Saskatchewan River Basin is a non-profit charitable organization that involves a network of partners committed to increasing stewardship of the river basin by developing:

- Public awareness and education tools to teach the importance of the basin's biodiversity
- Partnerships and networks of organizations that cross political and sectored boundaries
- Action projects people can participate in

Twyla Yobb, Watershed Protection Manager, Utilities and Environment Division has been the appointed member since 2019.

City Council considers city representative appointments for external boards at its November 22, 2023 Regular Business meeting.

#### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications for the appointments and no remuneration is paid.

### OTHER IMPLICATIONS

There are no privacy, legal, social, or environmental implications identified.

# **NEXT STEPS**

The Governance and Priorities Committee will make its recommendations of appointments to City Council at the November 22, 2023 Regular Business Meeting.

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