# 2024 Appointments – Meewasin Valley Authority – City Representative

## **ISSUE**

City Council annually (re)appoints four City representatives to the Meewasin Valley Authority Board of Directors.

#### RECOMMENDATION

That the following be (re)appointed as City representatives to the Meewasin Valley Authority Board of Directors for 2024:

- Councillor Dubois
- Councillor Gersher
- Shantelle Watson, Saskatoon Tribal Council

#### BACKGROUND

Appointments to Meewasin Valley Authority are made in accordance with *The* Meewasin Valley Authority Act.

Composition of the Authority as set by section 5 of The Meewasin Valley Authority Act

- \* 4 members appointed by the Lieutenant Governor in Council
- \* 4 members appointed by resolution of the council of the city
- \* four members appointed pursuant to a resolution of The Board of Governors of The University of Saskatchewan

### **DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS**

Meewasin Valley Authority is a non-profit organization that exists to control riverbank development through the City of Saskatoon and the RM of Corman Park.

Section 5(1) of *The Meewasin Valley Authority Act* states four members shall be appointed pursuant to a resolution of the council of the city. The Mayor historically has been considered a permanent member.

Membership for 2023:

Year of Appointment	<u>Councillor</u>	
2016	Mayor C. Clark	Permanent Member
2017	Councillor B. Dubois	

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2019	Councillor S. Gersher	
2021	Councillor D. Kirton	

The Meewasin Valley Authority has requested the City to include an indigenous representative appointment.

# **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 December 20, 2023 Regular Business Meeting.

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