

ADVISORY COUNCIL MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

December 10, 2013

The Advisory Council received a presentation on the WFN Master Drainage Plan which was recently adopted by Council. Until adoption of the plan, WFN was operating under the 1999 Regional District of Central Okanagan Drainage Plan. However, due to significant land use changes on WFN over the past number of years, such as increased urbanization, it became necessary for WFN to develop its own plan that would address such objectives as:

- Protection of the community from destructive flooding and erosion;
- Striking a balance between protection of the community and the protection of natural environment water resources;
- Identification of issues shared by the District of West Kelowna, the Ministry of Transportation and other stakeholders; and
- Identification of all major drainage routes.

For more information on the Drainage Plan, please contact Derek Corning, Infrastructure Engineer, at 250-769-4999 or dcorning@wfn.ca.

The Advisory Council reviewed both the preliminary assessment report and the preliminary budget for Local Government Services for 2014/2015.

Confirmed figures on the assessed values have not yet been released. The Advisory Council will continue to review the budget in the new year in preparation for Council adopting the overall budget by March 31, 2014. For more information on the budget, please contact Brian Conner, Director of Finance, at 250-769-2400 or bconner@wfn.ca.

The next meeting of the Advisory Council will take place on Tuesday, January 28th at 9:00 a.m. in the Inter-Governmental Affairs Boardroom of the WFN Government Building.