



# PIID Water Trustee's Report

## February 2018

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The water team has continued to be busy since my last report. At the risk of being repetitive I want to recognize again the water operators who regularly test and inspect our system and sample our water to ensure continued quality. My thanks to Velvet Warrior, Philippa White, Mary Jordan, Lloyd Phillips, Maureen Crooks and Cam Russell. Stay tuned, we may have recruited another water operator into our ranks!

### **Water Quality**

- Currently our water quality is excellent. Chlorine levels are acceptable, and no coliforms are present.

### **Maintenance Activities**

- Undertaking repairs to erosion of the Piers Island boat ramp. The erosion on the east side of the boat ramp is right above the location of the water line.
- Completed testing of the air valves. My thanks to Ander Wynne-Edwards for his efforts.

### **Water tank**

- We are proceeding with the placement of an 'inside ladder' at the water tank. Currently there is no easy or safe way of getting into the tank and the placement of temporary ladders is dangerous.

### **Select Committee**

- The Select Committee has prepared a report and recommendation that will be discussed at our February Trustees meeting.

### **Upcoming projects**

- Place ten backflow preventers and owner shut off valves as part of a long-term project to renew all shut-off valves and install backflow preventers. (Delayed until early 2018.)

### **Last thoughts**

We are always busy, and we can always use help. If you are only here for a few days during the year let me know and I will find you a job compatible with your schedule.

Do *you* have some spare hours? Give me a call!

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