

Chair's Report 2026

SSID has been busy since last year's AGM. There was nothing major to deal with but, rather a myriad of ongoing issues dealt with either through maintenance or administratively.

The major ongoing issue is the failure of Generator One to start on command, causing SSID to expend both significant time and funds to try and correct this problem. The troubleshooting continues to this day. We have been exploring mechanical faults with Lund Marine, and are troubleshooting electrical faults with Lund Electric. We are also in discussion with Cullen Diesel techs to come to SSID to provide a high-end diagnostic on the system, including the Thomson controller.

We will complete these final steps, and if still unable to find and fix the startup issue, the question for the Trustees will be: Do we cut our losses and purchase a new generator? More on this later in the meeting.

Additional work has been done researching the Drinking Water Officer's directive to address future potential viruses. This would mean either a permanent Warning Notice or Chlorination of the system. More later in meeting.

This past taxation year saw the initial collection of the additional Asset Renewal fee. This large increase obviously has generated significant funds as a start to replacing our upper tank.

SSID placed a large portion of these funds with the Provincial Municipal Finance Authority (MFA) in the Pooled High Interest Savings Account (PHISA) giving us a very safe investment as well as Daily Interest and basically immediate access to the funds deposited.

Water Consumption Report.

Water Consumption 2025 1,491,754 gallons
or a 8.67% increase over 2024.

Water Consumption to June 30, 2026 is running at 11.72% above 2025. 562,624 gallons.

We experienced large water losses (approximately 50,000 gallons) in May of this year due to Curb Stops not being shut off at the Meter Box.

In closing I would like to acknowledge and thank the people that keep this water system running successfully:

- Administrator - Janine Reimer
- Operator - Kerby Fisher
- Meter Reader / General Maintenance – Lisa Jackson
- Water Sampler – Karen Cunningham
- Trustees: Lee Davis and Brent Brucker