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Council members and municipal employees are pleased to offer you their Best Wishes for a Happy and Prosperous 2010.

A Few Words... about 2010

Following the November 1st 2009 election, six Councillors were elected by acclamation. These are:

Mr. Denis Charlebois, Ward 1, Mr. George Calder, Ward 2, Mrs. Françoise Tassé, Ward 3, Mr. René Pelletier, Ward 4, Mr. Richard Lessard, Ward 5 and Mrs. France Robillard Pariseau, Ward 6.

Mr. Luc Lamond was elected Mayor of the Municipality.

The first meeting was productive. The interest shown by Council members to bring to fruition future actions as regards the Municipality was quite evident. Each Council member reiterated his/her concern for the wellbeing of the population, along with the importance of achieving

results without unduly increasing the tax burden of the residents.

Council wishes to finalize several projects that were already in the planning stages, such as: installation of civic numbers, fitting of new street names/signs in the Village and South sector, build up reserve funds for specific projects, purchase a **floating dock, the Pavilion...**

As our Website is the best source of communication for distributing the information that all residents should be aware of, in 2010, under the responsibility of Mrs. Christiane Lamont, executive assistant, a complete update of the site will take place. However, some information will still be available in a hard

copy at City Hall.

Shortly, municipal offices will undergo a complete refurbishing and the municipality's **General Manager**, Mrs. Luce Bergeron, will be highlighting the character of our Municipality by installing photos of the South Sector, the Village and the lake within the building. This will be an ideal opportunity to show visitors that we are indeed privileged to enjoy and share magnificent natural resources that are second to none. During your next visit to City Hall, you will notice important changes within the building.

Riparian Strip: A New Definition

By-Law #121-5, titled Internal Management Regulations pertaining to Permits & Certificates, is modified at Article 2.11 to reflect a new definition of the shoreline:

"Shoreline: A strip of land that borders lakes and watercourses and that extends landwards from the high water line. The width of the shoreline under protection is measured horizontally.

a) The shoreline has a minimum of ten (10) metres when the slope is inferior to thirty percent (30%) or when the gradient is superior to thirty percent (30%) with a bank of less than five (5) metres in height;

b) The shoreline has a minimum of fifteen (15) metres when the slope is continuous and superior to thirty percent (30%) or when the gradient is superior to thirty percent (30%) with a bank of more than five (5) metres in height."

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In short

- ◆ *Early in 2010, the Municipal Website www.lac-des-seize-iles.com will be completely refurbished.*
- ◆ *The 2010-2013 triennial valuation roll has been extended; no valuation increase for the next three (3) years.*
- ◆ *Drainage and paving works in the Gagné St. sector have been completed thanks to financial assistance from the Gasoline Excise Tax and a contribution from Quebec totalling \$238,652.*
- ◆ *The Lapierre St. dock and landing pier, along with the South dock, will be rebuilt thanks to financial assistance from the Gasoline Excise Tax and a 2010-2014 contribution from Quebec. The amount will be confirmed at the beginning of 2010.*

This document is available in
 english on request and on
 internet

Triennial roll 2010-2012

Taxables value:

54 324 200\$

Lands 19 490 700\$

Buildings 34 833 500\$

Non taxable value :

955 500\$

Lands 388 300\$

Buildings 567 200\$

Building total: 421

Land without building: 148

Transports, Publics Service : 11

Commercial: 2

Comparative factor: 1.0

Median proportion: 100%

	Budget 2009	Réalisation* 2009	Budget 2010
EXPENSES			
Administration	228 455	246 618	257 518
Public Security	93 107	108 263	102 215
Public Works	145 354	364 154	297 149
Public Sanitation	91 953	95 873	92 723
Town-lanning	62 112	51 296	63 365
Recreation/ Culture	21 624	9081	24 054
Expenses Total	642 705	*875 285	837 024
REVENUES			
Property tax	588 822	606 103	616 701
Local source	53 883	74 367	51 500
Transferts de droit	00	274 537	159 188
Affectation de surplus acc.	00	00	9 635
Revenues Total	642 705	*955 007	837 024

* 2009 no-vérification

Council Meetings – 2010 Calendar

- January 14 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- February 11 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- March 11 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- April 10 3199, Millette at 10h00
- May 6 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- June 17 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- July 17 Club de pêche ☉ at 10h
- August 14 3199, Millette at 10h00
- September 9 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- October 14 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- November 11 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30
- December 9 Centre Marcel-Tassé at 19h30

Please note that Council meetings are held on Thursdays at 7:30 p.m. or Saturdays at 10 a.m.
 ☉ Transportation is available for the July 17 meeting at the lake. More information at 450-226-3117.

Good Neighbour, Watchful Eye

This program, proposed by the *Sûreté du Québec*, is aimed at improving neighbourhood security.

The goal of this program is to sensitize owners to pay close attention to their neighbourhood in order to improve security.

As we are not located near emergency services, response time to emergency calls is increased due to our remoteness, a factor which cannot be ignored. This is why we propose to add to this program a procedure of mutual assistance between neighbours, which will allow a person to contact his/her neighbour, if need be. A list to help you get in touch with a close neighbour will be available to every owner who wishes to participate in this program. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. France R. Pariseau at 450-226-1324.

Lake Access.

The Municipalité has concluded an agreement with the Municipalité of Wentworth-Nord for the launching of boats on Lac Laurel. Lac-des-Seize-Îles residents who live on the lake will be able to launch their boats at the beach on Lac Laurel. This service will be offered between 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m., disinfection and wash included*.

Launch* only: Saturday, May 8 and, upon request, June 5th.

Removal only: Saturday, September 4 and, upon request, September 25th.

An attendant will be present on site.

Lac-des-Seize-Îles residents who wish to launch their boats from the South Quay can forward their request to Mrs. France R. Pariseau at 450-226-1324. Council will study all requests in March 2010.