Memo

To: Alain Muise, Chief Administrative Officer

Chantalle Newell. Executive Assistant

From: Alix d'Entremont, GIS Technician

CC: Danny Muise, Warden

Date: November 21, 2022

Re: 2021 Fire District Amendments

This memo serves to notify council of amendments completed in late 2021 to the boundaries of 4 fire districts within the Municipality of Argyle. These changes have already been completed; therefore, no motion is required. I have included the amendment document signed by the fire chiefs for the 4 districts with this memo.

Work on amendments to the fire district boundaries started in August 2021 when I was contacted by Aaron Pottier regarding the desire to amend the boundaries of the Quinan and Eel Brook & District Fire Districts so that the entirety of the Spar Ridge Road, Big Gull Lake, Great Barren Lake, and Quinan Lake are included in the Quinan Fire District. This change was required because these areas are best accessed from Quinan, but the previous boundaries did not reflect this. Changes were also made to the boundaries of the West and East Pubnico Fire Districts to deal with appropriate access routes in the areas of the Great Pubnico Lake, Little Madashack Lake, Madashack Lake, Nonias Lake, and Great Barren Lake. See the attached amendment document for maps showing the old and new boundaries.

Once the amendments were signed off by the fire chiefs for the 4 affected districts in mid-December 2021, the documentation was forwarded onto the Province of Nova Scotia and Digby Dispatch to ensure that the proper authorities were aware of the changes.