

The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle

То:	Mayor and Members of Council
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Department:	Culture & Recreation
Date of Report:	October 5, 2020
Report Number:	CR-2020-24
Subject:	2020 Remembrance Day Ceremony

Recommendation

That the report of the Recreation Manager dated October 5, 2020 (CR-2020-24) regarding the 2020 Remembrance Day Ceremony BE RECEIVED.

Report

The Remembrance Day Committee has made plans for an altered Remembrance Day Ceremony and activities that are in line with current gathering restrictions. The ceremony has been condensed and spectators will be respectfully asked to refrain from attending this year. The event will be available to view live and recorded on the Town's Youtube Channel for viewing from home.

There will be a new initiative in 2020 to recognize some LaSalle Veterans through photos and stories that will be shared on a dedicated web page and the Town's social media channels. In addition, we will extend our gratitude for service through a special home visit from Mayor Bondy or a designate to deliver a small gift on behalf of the Town (letter, metal poppy pin in LaSalle box). The focus in 2020 will be on WWII veterans to mark the 75th anniversary of the end of the war. If the project is successful, veterans from other conflicts may also be recognized in the same manner in subsequent years. Protocols will be in place for the visits to ensure physical distancing and safety for those involved.

The committee is closely watching the changing circumstances with respect to the pandemic and is prepared to make alterations to the ceremony should guidelines change.

Consultations

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Financial Implications

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Manager of Recreation and Culture

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Link to Strategic Goals

	Enhancing organizational excellence
	Sustain strong public services and infrastructure
	Strengthen the community's engagement with the Town
	Grow and diversify the local economy
Yes	Build on our high-quality of life

Communications

	Not applicable
Yes	Website
Yes	Social Media
Yes	News Release
	Local Newspaper
	Bids & Tenders
	Notification pursuant to the Planning Act

Notifications

Name	Address	Email

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