

# Coasters 27<sup>th</sup> General Meeting & 33<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary

Tuesday, March 22, 2022: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm

**Location:** Zoom Web Conferencing: off coast

**Zoom or Teleconferencing** – on coast sites: Kegaska, La Romaine, Chevery, Harrington Harbour, Tete a la Baleine, La Tabatiere, St. Augustine, St. Paul's River, Blanc Sablon

**Media coverage:** CFBS Radio Blanc Sablon, Internet connection on the LNS, Quebec & Canada

## PROGRAM

**Master of Ceremonies:** *Hugh Maynard*

- 8:30 am** Approval of date for General Meeting - *Shannon Keats, Executive Assistant*  
Opening Prayer - *Francie Keats, Reverend, St. Paul's Anglican Church*
- 8:40 am** Introduction of Guests - *Priscilla Griffin, Office Manager*
- 8:50 am** Opening Remarks - *Eileen Schofield, President, Coasters Association*
- Words from the Prefet - *Gladys Martin, Municipality of St. Augustine*
  - Words from the MNA - *Lorraine Richard*
  - Message from the MP - *Marilene Gill*
- 9:05 am** Special Guest speaker: *Christopher Skeete, Parliamentary Assistant to the Premier for Relations with English-Speaking Quebecers*
- 9:15 am** Business Meeting - Coasters Association Inc. - *Agenda attached*  
Chair - *Hugh Maynard* Secretary of Meeting – *Priscilla Griffin*
- 10:15 am** Challenges and Opportunities across Quebec - *David Birnbaum, MNA D'Arcy McGee & Official Opposition Critic of English-speaking Quebecers, Mental Health, Canadian Intergovernmental Relations and Canadian Francophone*
- 10:25 am** Expanding the Social and Economic Growth of the LNS
- Wellness Center - *Kayla Kippen, Chelsey Thomas, & Latesha Fequet*
  - Northern Research Center - *Katie Roberts, Mason Organ & Shelley Fequet*
- 10:55 am** Strategic Growth of the Organization - *Hugh Maynard, Kimberly Buffitt & Roderick Fequet*
- 11:15 am** Recommendations and/or remarks from participants - *Hugh Maynard*
- 11:40 pm** Vision for the Regions - *Cathy Brown, Executive Director, Regional Development Network*
- 11:50 pm** Words from the Mayor - *Dale Keats, Municipality of Bonne Esperance*
- 12:00 pm** Wrap-up – *Hugh Maynard*
- Special Acknowledgements & Closing Remarks – *Eileen Schofield*