

Project Overview

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To: Joe Milicia, CAO
From: Dale Langlois, Director of Finance

The Corporation of the Town of LaSalle (the “Town”), on behalf of the Division of Information Technology (DoIT) recently completed a comprehensive Cyber Security Strategy and Cyber Security modernization roadmap review per the Municipal Modernization Program.

Summary

The Town already had a foundation of cyber security measures in place to protect the Town’s information technology systems. The consultant’s recommendations will be used to enhance the existing cyber security practices and assist with the detection, prevention and responses to future cyber threats.

Recommendations

Leveraging the findings and results from the consultant’s report, The Town of LaSalle has developed a short, mid, and long-term Cyber Security Modernization Program to support ongoing technology enhancements at the Town. This plan includes regular penetration testing using industry standards applied by subject matter experts, enhance adoption of multi-factor authentication for Town systems, enhancing additional monitoring as well as several other strategic improvements.

Decision History

On April 28, 2020, The Town of LaSalle published an RFP titled Cyber Strategic Plan and Network Security Assessment <https://lasalle.bidsandtenders.ca/Module/Tenders/en/Tender/Detail/41add80c-9602-4453-8b35-ea0d5aea3b2b>. MNP LLP was awarded the contract on June 2, 2020. The final report was provided by MNP on December 1, 2020.

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