# **General Manager's Report - Regular**

March 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

## 1. Status of ICIP Funding Applications

- 1. Replacement Community Bus
- 2. Hybrid buses (8) 40-foot
- 3. Stop Announcement System
- 4. Radio System Upgrade
- 5. Farebox System Replacement
- 6. Smart Card Validator Upgrade

RFP – delayed; due to be released this week Application submitted May 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Application submitted July 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022 Application submitted September 13, 2022 Application submitted September 30, 2022

## 2. Delivery – Eighteen (18) New Paratransit buses for GoBus

Seventeen (17) buses have been received and delivered to Tok Transit. Delivery time for a new replacement bus for bus #18 will be approximately December 2023. There have been some warranty issues causing four buses to be off the road for a couple of weeks while awaiting repairs. As there was also a shortage of drivers, the impact on service was not as critical as it would have otherwise been. Also, Tok still has two of the older buses for backup.

### 3. Zero Emission Plan

The Zero Emission Plan is on schedule to be completed in June.

### 4. Ad – Commissioner

The City has advertised for Expressions of Interest with a closing date of March 31, 2023.