



## **Highlights of Directors Meeting ~ July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2011**

### **1) Lake Windermere Ambassadors Board Vacancies**

- The Lake Windermere Ambassadors will seek to expand board representation to include three seats (for a total of 14 seats): 1) commercial interests on the lake, 2) boating community and 3) youth.
- A letter has been sent to Akisqnuq First Nation with the objective of filling the existing seat for First Nations.

### **2) Events**

- The Ambassadors will hold the second annual Lake Windermere Regatta and Water Stewardship Event on July 23<sup>rd</sup>, at Kinsmen Beach.
- The Ambassadors will attend and promote the August 3<sup>rd</sup> open house held by the RDEK and DOI, which will assess public interest in creating new regulatory measures to zone the surface of the lake and protect the lake foreshore.

### **3) Boating Code of Conduct Signage**

The Board confirmed that the Ambassadors will draft wording for existing boating code of conduct/best management practices signage, outlined in the adopted Lake Windermere Management Plan. The wording will be sent to the District of Invermere and RDEK for approval. If community associations on the east side of the lake want signs, they can apply for discretionary funds and the Ambassadors can then make the signs available.

### **4) Communication**

The Board agreed to further investigate options for creating a website for the Lake Windermere Ambassadors.