

## City Staff Receive Board of Examiners Designation

At the June 15 Council meeting, Parksville Mayor Mayne presented two staff members in the administration department with Board of Examiners certificates. The Board of Examiners is a provincial body, established by legislation and comprised of representatives from the BC Government, the Local Government Management Association and the Union of BC Municipalities. This certification recognizes the professional standing of local government employees and officers who meet stringent academic and work experience criteria.

### Local Government Service Delivery

Amanda Weeks, manager of administrative services and corporate officer, received the provincial Board of Examiners Certificate in Local Government Service Delivery. Amanda joined the City in 2006, was promoted to deputy corporate officer in 2012, manager of administrative services in 2019 and corporate officer in February 2020. Amanda holds a Diploma in Local Government Management from the University of Victoria.

### Local Government Statutory Administration

Keeva Kehler, chief administrative officer, received the provincial Board of Examiners Certificate in Local Government Statutory Administration. After roles with the Province of BC, the Regional District of Nanaimo and the provincial Agricultural Land Commission, Keeva joined the City in 2012 as manager of current planning. In 2015, she was appointed director of administrative services and corporate officer and in 2019, promoted to the position of chief administrative officer. Keeva holds a BA in Geography from SFU, a professional specialization certificate in local government management and a Master in Public Administration from UVic, as well as Board of Examiners certificates in Local Government Service Delivery and Administration.

### QUOTE - MAYOR ED MAYNE

“As a Council, we are fortunate to be advised by staff who demonstrate excellence in both academics and in the workplace. Their hard work and dedication to continued professional development ensures our City maintains the best possible practices. My congratulations to Amanda and Keeva on these significant accomplishments,” said Parksville Mayor Mayne.

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