6. Scheduled Business

- 6.1 SRCFS.24.037 Recommendations for Capital Sustainability Steering Committee to Inform the 2025 Capital Budget and Forecast
 - Presentation by Gigi Li, Director, Financial Services and Treasurer

Moved by: Councillor Davidson

That the Capital Sustainability Steering Committee recommends to Council:

- a) That Staff Report SRCFS.24.037 regarding the Recommendations for Capital Sustainability Steering Committee to Inform the 2025 Capital Budget and Forecast, be received;
- b) That the Capital Sustainability Steering Committee approve the following staff recommendations:
 - Revise the timing of the key Indoor Recreation and Parks projects as set out in SRCFS.24.037.
 - ii. Minimize the acquisition of parkland and measures taken to ensure available funds in Parks and Recreation Development Charges and Cash-in-lieu of Parkland for future construction of the North Leslie Community Centre.
 - iii. Increase contributions to tax and rate-supported reserve funds to close the funding gap and address the infrastructure backlog.
 - iv. Explore alternate funding sources such as public-private partnerships and grants.
 - v. Explore debt financing options to manage the shortfall in the near term.
 - vi. Reassess service levels to align them with the City's financial capabilities.
 - vii. Pause on adding new Master Plans until the Financial Sustainability Strategy is updated in light of long-term financial implications.

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