

## THE LONG ANSWER

Coun. Brice's past community service is considerable: a trustee and chair of the Greater Victoria School Board, former councillor and mayor of Oak Bay, a deputy chief of the BC Police Commission, a director with the Victoria Airport Authority, a chair of Camosun College Foundation, and a board member with Pacific Sport Institute, and a former Liberal MLA for Saanich South and Minister of Mental Health and Minister of Human Resources (2001-05). She was a former chair of the CRD from 1988 to 1989.

She has been a District of Saanich councillor since 2005 and currently sits as chair of the parks, trails and advisory committee, and as a council liaison with the Victoria Airport Authority community consultative committee.

While the Saanich website indicates she's a trustee with the BC Municipal Finance Authority, that's an error and not the case. She left the board in 2015.

As of Jan. 1, 2016, Coun. Brice started drawing **\$17,000** in pay annually from the Capital Regional District (CRD) for attending all board meetings and two standing committees. All CRD board members also sit on the CRHD (Hospital Board) as part of their duties and receive no remuneration unless they are the CRD vice-chair.

Note, a third of the Saanich and CRD total pay packet - the annual stipend and pay per meeting - is deemed a non-taxable expense allowance by Revenue Canada. However, committees and boards typically already reimburse members for expenses incurred on legitimate business. CRD remuneration is now adjusted to the cost of living annually.

If asked to be an alternate CRD director, or if appointed to a local and sub-regional commissions and director appointment to external boards, **pay is \$100 a meeting.**

Coun. Brice also sits on six CRD committees and boards: core area liquid waste management committee, finance committee (transportation select), transportation select committee (chairperson), Eastside Wastewater

Treatment and Resource Recovery Select Committee, and the governance committee.

Finally, Coun. Brice is chair of the Victoria Regional Transit Commission and was appointed through provincial order-in-council in 2009 as a director for BC Transit. Annual pay in 2014-15 was **\$11,950** total for sitting on both plus \$137 in expenses, according to financial statements.