

Strategic Plan

At the virtual Annual meeting in October, corporate members also approved the RTOERO Strategic Plan, 2025. One of the strategies is Environmental Stewardship. If members go to: vibrantvoices.ca, they can read the focus of this plan. District 22's representative to RTOERO's Political Action Committee is Janis McCaskill. Janis brought back this strategy along with the other two initiatives, Seniors Strategy and Physical and Mental Health for Older Adults to your executive for discussion and it was decided to recommend that District 22 address Environmental Stewardship. In our discussion it was pointed out that some members had already communicated concerns about environmental issues, a past issue of the 22nd Report had an article on this and it was brought to our attention that Section 6 of the recent Budget Bill 229 recently introduced by the government has some ominous provisions that would adversely affect parts of our environment. For more information about the effects of Bill 229 visit: ontarionature.org/advocacy. Look for more on this topic in the next issue of the 22ND Report and any suggestions/concerns/questions can be directed to me at the email below.

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