

# The Shoreline Tid-Bits

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## Brison to Lead New Economic Growth Council

Premier Iain Rankin announced the creation of the Economic Growth Council, an advisory body with a mandate to position the province for economic success and grow the economy as Nova Scotia emerges from the pandemic. Scott Brison, who served as the Kings-Hants member of Parliament for 22 years, Treasury Board president and now chancellor of Dalhousie University, will lead the 10-member council, which will focus its efforts on making Nova Scotia Canada's start-up capital.

The council is designed to serve as a resource to the premier and government, informing policy options and providing advice on how to attract capital into the province.

## Members of the Economic Growth Council include:

**Scott Brison** is vice-chair of Investment and Corporate Banking at the Bank of Montreal. He is a former 22-year member of Parliament, minister of Public Works and Government Services, president of the Treasury Board of Canada and currently, chancellor of Dalhousie University.

**Annette Verschuren** is the chair and CEO of NStor Inc., an energy storage development company. She is a founder and board member of the Verschuren Centre for Sustainability in Energy and the Environment and chancellor of Cape Breton University.

**Terry Paul** is the chief of Membertou, a position he has held for the past 37 years. During that time, Chief Paul has guided his community and administration into one of the most efficient and economically flourishing Indigenous communities in the country. He has been appointed to the Order of Canada, the Nova Scotia Business Hall of Fame and is a recipient of the Frank McKenna Leadership Award. Chief Paul holds an honorary doctorate from Cape Breton University, has led his organization to being named as one of Canada's Best Managed Companies and received the Canadian Council for Aboriginal Business Lifetime Achievement Award.

**Rod Badcock** is a principal partner at BioApplied Innovation Pathways in Dartmouth and the executive director of the Nova Scotia Innovation Hub. He has been involved in the launch of several firms focused on product and process innovation in the Canadian bioeconomy.

**Jenn Priske** is a senior executive at REDspace, the chair of the board of directors for Digital Nova Scotia and a member of the program advisory committee for Techsploration.

**Jevon MacDonald** is co-founder and CEO of ManifoldPartners LLC, a venture holding company. He is an experienced entrepreneur and angel investor who has founded six companies. He is the chair of Volta Labs, which he co-founded in 2013.

**Matthew Martel** is the COO of Nova Scotia's Black Business Initiative. He has worked with Halifax Regional Municipality, Knightsbridge Robertson Surrette and serves on the Halifax International Airport Authority and Downtown Halifax Business Commission boards.

**Lise Després** is manager of Seafood Resources and Government Affairs at Comeau's Sea Foods Limited in the Acadian region of Clare, working with her father, CEO Noël Després. Lise is also a member of Le Conseil de Développement Économique de la Nouvelle-Écosse and the Fisheries Council of Canada board of directors.

**Jolene Mahody** is the executive vice-president and chief strategy officer of Chorus Aviation Inc. and has been with the company since 1992. Prior to this role, Ms. Mahody was the executive vice-president and chief financial officer of Chorus Aviation Inc., and chief operating officer at Jazz Aviation LP, a subsidiary of Chorus Aviation, which operates under the brand name Air Canada Express.

**Jennifer Wagner** is president of CarbonCure Technologies, a high-growth clean technology start-up backed by Amazon, Microsoft and Breakthrough Energy Ventures. She is a member of Minister of Small Business, Export Promotion and International Trade Mary Ng's Global Clean Technology Advisory Group, Canada's Sustainable Development Advisory Council and the National Research Council's Core Group on Technology Horizons for Climate Change.

**Fred Crooks** is Nova Scotia's first chief regulatory officer and leads the Office of Regulatory Affairs and Service Effectiveness, which reports to the premier. Prior to that, he was executive vice-president, corporate services, at Bell Aliant and senior partner in a major Atlantic law firm for more than 20 years.

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