

WATtimes Editors' Report

The Fall issue of WATtimes was the last issue edited by Jay Thomson. I am grateful to Jay for his conscientious and creative service during his term as Editor. Jay has transferred the archival files and the university style guidelines to Ken McLaughlin who is serving as the current Editor. Volume 22/Number 1 highlighted the origins of the "Waterloo Plan" that shaped the destiny of the still-to- be established University of Waterloo. As this issue marked the beginning of the 60th anniversary of the "founding" of the University information about the celebrations for the 60th anniversary was featured. Volume 22/Number 2 (Spring 2017) is in the final design stage and will contain an overview of the role of Ralph Stanton in creating the Faculty of Mathematics which this year is celebrating its 50th anniversary.

We are grateful to Kelly McManus and the Community Relations Department for their outstanding commitment to the UWRA and their support for the publication of WATtimes. Once again Monica Lynch, Jan Weber and Jennifer Halcrow of the Creative Services Department have provided extraordinary design assistance with the production of each issue of WATtimes and Wanda Speek of UWaterloo's Human Resources has kept us up-to-date with information about retirements and passings. Brandon Sweet has kindly allowed us to draw on information from the Bulletin to inform our members about significant UWaterloo matters. We are grateful to all those who continue to assist us with WATtimes and who send information to us to keep WATtimes relevant for our retirees. KMM