
ATTENDING

Bruce Morse, Citizen Representative
Councillor Chris Goddard, Chair
Councillor Rod Reeves
Councillor Ty Walsh
Sgt Harold Prime, RCMP/GRC
Pat Jodrie, Citizen Representative
Jen Boyd, CAO Town of Berwick
Taylor Boylan, Recreation Coordinator Town of Berwick
Roger Flynn, Office Administrative Coordinator Town of Berwick

Prior to the meeting's Call to Order, Jane Perry resigned from the committee and expressed gratitude for her time on the committee.

1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 PM

2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE AGENDA OF THE POLICE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE BE APPROVED AS CIRCULATED

3. APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES

IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE MINUTES OF THE POLICE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING OF MARCH 19, 2024 BE APPROVED AS CIRCULATED

4. RCMP Monthly Report

The monthly report was reviewed by Sgt. Prime. The new District Commander is Inspector Jodrey, and Constable Britton is covering the full district as the school liaison officer. Sgt Prime outlined the annual performance plan for the RCMP, and the focus on prevention as the ultimate goal.

Questions were posed to Sgt Prime as follows;

Q: Are motor vehicle tickets issued in the Town of Berwick financially credited to the Town of Berwick?

A: The officer must select "municipal" when issuing the ticket. Some members may be unaware if new to the area, Sgt Prime will follow-up on this.

Q: In the monthly reports, does Kings District mean the Kings region as a whole?

A: Yes, it can be broken down differently at the committee's request. The committee would be interested to see the Berwick percentages of Kingston detachment calls and issuances.

Q. Do we receive 24/7 policing?

A: Yes

Q: What is the Kingston detachment's coverage area?

A: Kingston to Waterville, including the North and South Mountain

5. New Business:

a) May 2024 Quarterly Policing Update

The report was reviewed by the committee. Questions were raised around the cost of collective bargaining and body-worn cameras. Staff will follow up with the Department of Justice on these questions.

b) Priority Setting

The Police Service Advisory Committee is required to set priorities, objectives and goals with the RCMP to ensure community needs are reflected in policing priorities. The committee is satisfied with the year's previous priorities and has specified specific goals from these priorities:

Priority: Traffic

Goals:

Less ATV activity on municipal roadways

Reduced speeding on all streets, specifically Main Street

Safer sidewalks, deterring vehicles from cutting through private property

Priority: Crime Prevention

Goals:

More education, leading to less crime

Priority: Crime Prevention

Goals:

A visible policing presence at community events

**Next meeting: Tentative Nov. 19th, 2024
6:30 PM**

The committee would like to publicly thank Jane Perry for her service and commitment. Staff will draft a thank you letter.

7. ADJOURNMENT

**IT WAS REGULARLY MOVED AND SECONDED THAT THE REGULAR MEETING
OF POLICE SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE BE ADJOURNED AT 7:29 PM**

Approved by **Committee** on **Month day, 2024**

As recorded by Taylor Boylan, Communications and Special Projects
Coordinator