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# MINUTES Public Safety Committee Tuesday, November 28, 2023 Council Chambers 6:00 p.m.

**PRESENT:**Councillor Scott Brum, Councillor Robert Campbell, Rick Smith,<br/>Mackenzie Brum, Gary Scholl, Don Lawson & Mayor Mark<br/>MacKenzie (Ex Officio)

REGRETS: Rob Dodge

**STAFF PRESENT:** Lindsey Lee, CAO/Clerk, Recording Secretary

#### MEDIA PRESENT: Nil.

- Call to Order and Roll Call We acknowledge that we are on the unceded territory of the Algonquin Anishinaabe Peoples.
- 2. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and the General Nature Thereof There were no disclosures of pecuniary interest declared at this time.

### 3. Adoption of the Agenda

3.1 Dated November 28, 2023

The following item was added to the agenda: 10.3 Public Safety Committee Format and Structure

### **RECOMMENDATION-42-2023**

Moved by Councillor Robert Campbell, seconded by Don Lawson *THAT* the Agenda dated November 28, 2023 be adopted as amended.

CARRIED.

- 4. Delegations and Presentations Nil.
- 5. Adoption of Committee Minutes
  - 5.1 Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes October 24, 2023

### **RECOMMENDATION-43-2023**

Moved by Gary Scholl, seconded by Councillor Robert Campbell

**THAT** the Public Safety Committee Meeting Minutes dated October 24, 2023 be adopted as submitted and circulated.

#### CARRIED.

# 6. Matters Arising From Previous Meeting Minutes

- 6.1 Councillor Brum advised that there was a meeting between himself and Mayor MacKenzie and the OPP and discussions are still ongoing. He plans to speak to the Minister at ROMA.
- 6.2 Mayor MacKenzie advised that brushing was completed in Stewartville.
- 6.3 Mayor MacKenzie advised that Council passed a resolution that correspondence be sent to the County of Renfrew to request no parking signs on Burnstown Road.

# 7. Requests Submitted by Members of the Public Nil.

### 8. Reports

8.1 Emergency Management - CEMC Role

### **RECOMMENDATION-44-2023**

Moved by Mackenzie Brum, seconded by Councillor Robert Campbell **THAT** the Public Safety Committee accept this report as information as submitted and circulated.

### CARRIED.

The CEMC advised that quotes are being accepted for Generators for the MYCC & JAG, once more information is received this item will go to Council for approval.

### 9. Information Items

9.1 Victoria Weichenthal - Speed Concerns on Highland Road

### **RECOMMENDATION-45-2023**

Moved by Councillor Robert Campbell, seconded by Mackenzie Brum **THAT** the Public Safety Committee accept the correspondence from Victoria Weichenthal regarding Speed Concerns on Highland Road as information as submitted and circulated.

#### CARRIED.

The Committee recommends that Council direct staff to look into the cost of installing radar speeding in the Township's Community Safety Zones.

#### 10. Unfinished Business

10.1 On Call Policy Comparatives

### **RECOMMENDATION-46-2023**

Moved by Councillor Robert Campbell, seconded by Mackenzie Brum **THAT** the Public Safety Committee accept the On Call Policy Comparatives as information as submitted and circulated.

CARRIED.

10.2 Stewartville Mailbox Intersection

# **RECOMMENDATION-47-2023**

Moved by Gary Scholl, seconded by Councillor Robert Campbell **THAT** the Public Safety Committee accept the Stewartville Mailbox Intersection correspondence as information as submitted and circulated.

CARRIED.

10.3 Disband the Public Safety Committee

# **RECOMMENDATION-48-2023**

Moved by Mackenzie Brum, seconded by Councillor Robert Campbell **THAT** the Public Safety Committee be disbanded.

TABLED.

### 11. New Business

11.1 January 2024 Meeting Date

### **RECOMMENDATION-49-2023**

Moved by Mackenzie Brum, seconded by Don Lawson **THAT** the January 2024 Public Safety Committee Meeting be rescheduled to January 30, 2024 due to the Rural Ontario Municipal Association Conference.

CARRIED.

11.2 Reduce Speed Limit on Usborne Street from River Road to McLean Drive (requested by Councillor Campbell)

### **RECOMMENDATION-50-2023**

Moved by Rick Smith, seconded by Mackenzie Brum **THAT** the Public Safety Committee accept the Speed Limit on Usborne Street from River Road to McLean Drive Concerns from Councillor Campbell as information as submitted and circulated.

#### CARRIED.

The Committee recommends that Council make a recommendation to the County of Renfrew to reduce the speed on Usborne street to 60 km/hr from McLean Drive to River Road.

11.3 Install Street Lights in Braeside (requested by Councillor Campbell)

The Committee did not have time to discuss this item. It will be added to the January 2024 meeting Agenda.

- 12. Draft By-Laws Nil.
- 13. Public Questions/Comments Nil.
- 14. Committee Questions/Comments Nil.
- **15.** Notice of Upcoming Meeting Dates January 30, 2024
- **16.** Adjournment The Public Safety Committee Meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m.

MEETING CHAIR