

MINUTES
BRIDGEWATER BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS
June 6th , 2019

Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Bridgewater Board of Police Commissioners held on Thursday, May 2nd , 2019, in the Community Room of the Police Service Building, 45 Exhibition Drive, Bridgewater, Nova Scotia commencing at 5:30 p.m. with Board Chair David Walker presiding. Those in attendance: Commissioners: Virginia Oickle, Wayne Thorburne, Jennifer McDonald & Darren Lipsett.

Also present: Chief Scott Feener, Deputy Chief MacPhee, and Commission Recording Secretary, Patty Sleep

Regrets: David Mitchell, and Fay Patey, Tammy Crowder, CAO.

ORDER

ADDITIONS/DELETIONS TO AGENDA

- 19-021** Moved by Commissioner Lipsett and seconded by Commissioner Thorburne to approve Agenda. MOTION CARRIED.

TRAINING OPPORTUNITY

Training Opportunity not offered.

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- 19-022** Moved by Commissioner Lipsett and seconded by Commissioner McDonald, the Minutes of the May 2nd , 2019 regular meeting be approved as circulated. MOTION CARRIED.

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CORRESPONDENCE & INFORMATION

CAPG

NSAPG

Memo – CAPG/NSAPG Updates **doc 19-027**

Board Chair David Walker circulated a Memo with updates for both CAPG and NSAPG.

A few items discussed were CAPG webinars, CBC interview discussing the powers boards have over Chiefs, as well as the September conference being held at Old Orchard Inn.

Memo – Request for Decision from Town Council **doc # 19-025**

A memo was circulated to Board members to advise of decrease in insurance costs for this budget year.

The Town has changed insurance providers, which resulted in a savings to the 2019/20 Police Operating Budget of approximately \$51,000.00.

Bicycle Safety Week – June 12-14th

For information purposes, the dates for Bicycle Safety Week are June 12th – 14th. This coincides with Michelin Safety week.

There are two organized bike rides scheduled this week as well as helmet giveaways.

UNFINISHED/OLD BUSINESS

MAP Letter – Draft

Board Chair David Walker will have a second look at the motion made during police commission meeting as well as the request received from the Town.

A letter will be drafted and circulated to members.

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By-Law Update

Town Council has had first reading on Police Commission By-Law draft. The second is scheduled for this week.

By-Law committee will have a report to share for the October meeting.

D.B McGinnis event – August 30th

Friday, August 30th, 2019 is the date selected by the McGinnis family for the renaming event.

Details will be emailed as the date gets closer.

NEW BUSINESS

BPS May Report

doc # 19-026

BPS May monthly report circulated to members.

Summer BBQ – Staff Appreciation

Several ideas were discussed, as to a function with police staff and police commission members. The group settled on a summer barbeque on a Friday afternoon at the police station with commission members cooking!

The first one is to take place the end of June.

NEXT MEETING

19-023 Moved by Commissioner Thorburne to adjourn regular meeting, seconded Commissioner McDonald. MOTION CARRIED.

SUNDRY

Patty Sleep
Recording Secretary

David Walker
Board Chair