



**WEST HANTS REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY
Police Advisory Board - Meeting Minutes
April 7, 2021 - 6:00 p.m.
In-Person Sanford Council Chambers, 76 Morison Drive, Windsor, NS
(also Facebook (FB) Livestreamed)**

Agenda is subject to change due to additions that may not be able to be reflected until after the meeting.

1. Call Meeting to Order

Chair Morton called meeting to order at 6:00 pm

2. Attendance

In attendance Councillor Mark McLean, Mayor Zebian, S/Sgt. Ferguson, Ken Swan, Chair Paul Morton, Ken Swan, CAO Phillips, Shelleena Thornton, Belinda Bezanson

3. Approval of Agenda

Approved by Councillor McLean, Belinda Bezanson. PASSED

4. Declaration(s) of Conflict of Interest

NIL

5. Approval of previous meeting minutes – Jan. 25, 2021

Approved by Councillor McLean and B.Bezanson PASSED

6. New Police Advisory Board (PAB) Member Introductions & Swearing-in

Ken Swan and Belinda Bezanson sworn in as Public Members of the PAB.

7. Presentations

None

8. Business Arising from the Minutes / Old Business

None

9. New Business

- a. PAB Training – Outstanding
No response from DOJ
- b. Strategic Planning Discussion - Outstanding
- c. Motor Vehicle Act
 - i. Traffic / Speeding Complaints
Speeding continues to be a concern from many. S/Sgt Ferguson encourages public to report when offence is occurring
Mobile speed signs are available through TIR that can be placed in areas of concern.
CAO Phillips to contact TIR re signs
- d. Noise By-law / Peace & Good Order By-law – (Samples attached)
Hand outs provided
Councillor McLean has concerns with agriculture and stated business needs to proceed.
CAO Phillips stated the Peace & Good Order By-Law has begun at the Council level.
- e. Outdoor Fires By-law – (Verbal update)
This By-Law has begun at Council level. Fire Chiefs are involved. Draft of By-law is underway.
- f. Safe Exchange Zone – (information attached)
S/Sgt Ferguson has no issue with public locations however did mention the RCMP Detachment would be the safest location. Confirmation within the month.
Councillor McLean asked if there were any other Safe Exchange areas in the province. Ferguson not aware of any.
- g. RAD Report – (information attached)
Bezanson stated excellent report
- h. Diversity & Inclusion Policy – (information attached)
CAO Phillips stated this will be a new committee. Recruitment required. Will be advertised. Mayor Zebian reported there will be a meeting next week with regards to a Panuke Road park.

10. Reports

- a. Regional Activity Heat Map (to-follow)
S/Sgt. Ferguson stated analysts will prepare report.

b. Quarterly Report

S/Sgt. Reporting Organized structure has no changes. There are 24 positions within West Hants. The RCMP fleet is the same, all in good condition. The SUV is owned by the Municipality

11. Correspondence - None

12. Next Meeting/Adjournment

Monday July 19th at 6:00 p.m. Meeting adjourned by McLean and Bezanson.