



**Minutes
Town of Westville
Board of Police Commissioners
Regular Meeting
November 15, 2022 – 6:00 pm**

Call To Order

Chair of the Police Commission Dorothylane Hale called the meeting to order at 6:01 pm.

Roll Call

Chair Dorothylane Hale, Vice Chair William Gray, (Deputy Mayor) Commissioner Clarrie MacKinnon, Commissioner Steven Joudrey, (Councillor) Commissioner Mitchell MacGregor, (Councillor) Commissioner Meghan Bragg, Commissioner Shaun MacLaughlin, Police Chief Howard Dunbar, CAO Scot Weeres, Recording Secretary Kristen Reed

Declaration of Conflict of Interest

None.

Additions, Deletions and/or Approval of the Agenda

PC – 2022.11.15.170 Moved by Commissioner MacGregor, **seconded by** Commissioner MacLaughlin to approve the agenda as presented.

Motion Unanimously Carried

Approval of Minutes –October 18, 2022

PC – 2022.11.15.171 Moved by Commissioner MacKinnon, **seconded by** Commissioner MacLaughlin to approve the minutes with the Executive removed from the NSAPG section.

Motion Unanimously Carried

Business Arising from the Minutes

CAO Weeres mentioned that at the NSFM had a booth from Liveable Cities, which has a product that you plug into the street lights and it measures noise levels, level of particulates, can do video and traffic speed and volume numbers. It is something the Commission may want to consider as we look at updating equipment. It works on cell service and sends reports.

Report of the Police Chief – Report attached

The Chief read the report which included the totals of 34 Criminal Investigations, 51 Traffic Investigations, 30 Provincial Statutes Investigations, 8 Municipal by-Law Investigations and 50 other calls for service. It also included information about Medic Alert Bracelets.

Discussion took place commenting on the Child luring and sexual assault calls, as well as the traffic counts. For traffic more resources are put to where there are complaints. Done an extra 60 hours of patrol on Foxbrook and Cowan Streets, is having the desired effect. A citizen has requested speedbumps on Spring Garden Road but would cause other issues such as to the plows. The speed sign is shared and outdated. It is not always available when needed and needs constant maintenance.



PC-2022.11.15.172 Moved by Commissioner Joudrey, **seconded** by Commissioner MacKinnon to approve the report of the Chief of Police as presented.

Motion Unanimously Carried

New Business

a) Nova Scotia Association for Police Governance

There was a meeting on November 3rd in Halifax. Hailey of the department of Justice will be off for the next 5 months so everything discussed will be on hold. More studies being done regarding the CAO and Chiefs conversations.

B) Canadian Association for Police Governance

The 2023 conference will be the first one since Covid. It will be held in Newfoundland. The 2024 Conference will be in Halifax.

Next Meeting

Regular Board of Police Commissioners Meeting
Westville Council Chambers
December 20, 2022 – 6:00pm

Adjourn

PC – 2022.11.15.173 Moved by Commissioner Joudrey to adjourn the meeting.

Motion Unanimously Carried

Meeting adjourned at 6:25pm.

Chair: _____

Chief Administrative Officer: _____

Approved: _____