



## **SOUTH HURON POLICE SERVICES BOARD**

Remote Electronic Meeting  
Tuesday, September 14, 2021 – 4:05 pm

### **Members Present**

Chair	Jim Dietrich
Vice Chair	Mark Hartman
Member	Dave Frayne
OPP	Inspector Jason Younan
Recording Secretary	Jo-Anne Fields

#### **1. Call to Order & Welcome**

Chair Jim Dietrich called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm and welcomed the members to the meeting, thanking them for their commitment to policing in South Huron.

#### **2. Disclosure of Pecuniary Interest and General Nature Thereof**

- None declared

#### **3. Changes/Additions to the Agenda**

- No changes/additions to the Agenda

#### **4. Approval of the Agenda**

##### **Motion – 32/09/21**

**Moved by: Mark Hartman**  
**Seconded by: Dave Frayne**

**“That the Agenda be approved as circulated.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

## **5. Approval of the Minutes**

### **Motion – 33/09/21**

**Moved by:** Dave Frayne  
**Seconded by:** Mark Hartman

**“That the minutes of July 13, 2021 meeting be approved as circulated.”**

**Disposition:** Carried

## **6. O.P.P. Report**

- Detailed report for July and August was distributed prior to the meeting for review and to allow for effective discussion at the Board meeting
- Inspector Jason Younan provided a comprehensive overview and explanation of the reports
- Busier part of the summer is reflected in these reports
- 786 occurrences in South Huron for July and August
- Calls for service in South Huron were more than a three month timeline in another Municipality in Huron County
- Etickets are now being served at the side of the road – they are processed and placed in the system immediately
- 182 etickets were laid in South Huron in July and August
- Overview provided of assaults and charges
- Break and enters – surveillance cameras have proven effective to review evidence in break and enters
- Frauds – 2 occurrences of scams – one for \$5,000.00 and one for \$10,000.00 – people are becoming more suspicious and are tending to call police more often prior to parting with their money
- Drug crimes – increased patrols and presence of plain clothed police officers in South Huron parks during the month of July
- Crediton speeding – Officers dedicated 21 hours to this initiative
- Noted that sometimes a complaint expressed to police can lead to other charges being laid which are unassociated
- After access was denied at South Huron Fire Stations, the OPP were contacted by South Huron District High School, the South Huron Hospital, as well as a Church in South Huron to offer space for officer workstations and washroom access
- No timelines have been established to date
- Inspector Younan expressed his appreciation to staff at Country Corners for their ongoing support
- Bob Trick recently passed away leaving a hole in the county for animal control
- Options for moving forward with animal control within the Municipalities has been expressed
- Glenn McNeil, Huron County Warden suggested that possibly a County solution could be implemented, serving all Municipalities – to date, no decision has been determined
- Chair Dietrich thanked Inspector Younan for providing the overview and explanation to the Board

## **Motion – 34/09/21**

**Moved by:** Dave Frayne  
**Seconded by:** Mark Hartman

**“That the O.P.P. Report be received as presented.”**

**Disposition:** Carried

### **7. Delegations**

- None

### **8. Community Safety and Well-Being Plan**

- Community Safety and Well-Being Working group met on August 24, 2021 to discuss steps to move forward
- Next meeting is scheduled for September 28, 2021 at 10 am
- United Way will be a guest at all Working Group meetings
- Board Oversight Committee is not required at this time as each Municipality will be working to determine their own priorities
- The Working Group will continue to meet monthly
- After much discussion, Chair Dietrich was requested to invite Rebekah Msuya-Collison, Director of Legislative Services/Clerk to the October 12, 2021 meeting to discuss options to move forward with the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan

### **9. Correspondence**

- South Huron Council – OPP access to South Huron Fire Stations – access denied
- South Huron Council – Traffic Impact – Hwy 83 Closure – request increased surveillance and presence on the designated detour routes as a result of the closure of Highway 83
- Inspector Jason Younan – Traffic impact response – OPP have been patrolling, enforcing and educating since the commencement of the road repairs and closure
- South Huron Hospital Association – OPP access confirmed
- Bill 175 – Safe Ontario Act – CSWBP – August 24, 2021 – Discussion
- Canadian Municipal Network on Crime Prevention – information sharing
- Inspector Jason Younan – Body Worn Camera/In Car Camera – Survey – completed by all members

## **Motion – 35/09/21**

**Moved by:** Dave Frayne  
**Seconded by:** Mark Hartman

**“That the South Huron Police Services Board supports Body Worn and In Car Cameras.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

**10. New Business**

- OAPSB Zone 5 Virtual Meeting – September 14, 2021
- Brief overview of the meeting was provided by Chair Dietrich
- Note that all Zone 5 Police Board composition proposals submitted have been accepted and approved

**11. Unfinished Business**

- Safety tag lines – roll out after COVID-19

**12. Date of Next Meeting**

Next meeting of the Police Service Board will be held at the South Huron Municipal Office on Tuesday, October 12, 2021 at 4:05 pm or at the call of the Chair.

**13. Adjournment**

**Motion – 36/09/21**

**Moved by: Mark Hartman**

**Seconded by: Dave Frayne**

**“That the meeting be adjourned at 4:50 pm.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

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**Chair – J. Dietrich**

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**Recording Secretary – J. Fields**

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**Date**