

MINUTES Community Policing Advisory Committee

June 21, 2023 9:00 am Municipal Operations Centre 408 James Street South, St. Marys

Committee Members Present: Mayor Strathdee

Tony Winter Robert Zensner Councillor Edney Councillor Luna

Committee Member Regrets: Jacqueline Hibbert

Stratford Police Services Present: Deputy Chief Foster

Inspector Mark Taylor

Constable Ian Siraj (video conference)

Staff Present: Brent Kittmer, Chief Administrative Officer

Jenna McCartney, Clerk

Brittany Petrie, Community Outreach Worker

1. CALL TO ORDER

The Vice-Chair called the meeting to order at 9:00 am.

2. DECLARATION OF PECUNIARY INTEREST

None.

3. AMENDMENTS AND APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Moved By Tony Winter

Seconded By Robert Zensner

THAT the June 21, 2023 Community Policing Advisory Committee agenda be accepted as presented.

CARRIED

4. ACCEPTANCE OF MINUTES

Moved By Councillor Edney Seconded By Mayor Strathdee

THAT the May 17, 2023 Community Policing Advisory Committee meeting minutes be approved by the Committee and signed by the Chair and the Secretary.

CARRIED

5. CORRESPONDENCE

None.

6. REPORTS

6.1 CRIME STOPPERS REPORT

Inspector Mark Taylor presented the May Crime Stoppers report.

Moved By Robert Zensner **Seconded By** Tony Winter

THAT the May 2023 Crime Stoppers report be received.

CARRIED

6.2 POLICE MONTHLY STATISTICS

Deputy Chief Foster presented the May monthly statistics.

In response to Tony Winter's inquiry about hate and bias incident reporting, Deputy Chief Foster and Inspector Mark Taylor explained the increase in incidents may be related to Pride initiatives occurring this month.

In response to Councillor Edney's inquiry about the recent fraud conference, Deputy Chief Foster shared the format of such training.

In response to Tony Winter's inquiry about expert witness training, Deputy Chief Foster stated that it is specific to an officer scheduled to present in court.

Moved By Councillor Edney Seconded By Tony Winter

THAT the May 2023 Police Monthly Statistics report be received.

CARRIED

6.3 Stratford Police Service Board Liaison Report - Coun. Edney

Councillor Edney presented an update on the recent Police Service Board meeting.

Moved By Robert Zensner Seconded By Tony Winter

THAT the Stratford Police Services Board Liaison report from Councillor Edney be received.

CARRIED

7. **OTHER BUSINESS**

7.1 **ADMIN 25-2023 Community Outreach Worker Annual Report**

Brittany Petrie presented ADMIN 25-2023 report.

Ms. Petrie expanded on the numbers of community members she has visited to date.

The role has been well received within the community and has developed positive relationships.

Moved By Councillor Edney Seconded By Mayor Strathdee

THAT ADMIN 25-2023 Community Outreach Worker Annual Report be received.

CARRIED

8. **UPCOMING MEETINGS**

September 20, 2023 - 9:00 am, Municipal Operations Centre

9. **ADJOURNMENT**

Moved By Tony Winter Seconded By Councillor Edney

THAT this Community Policing Advisory Committee meeting be adjourned at 9:32 am.

	CARRIED
Jacqueline Hibbert, Chair	
Jenna McCartney, Clerk	
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