



## Oxford Police Advisory Board Minutes

Place: Council Chambers  
Date: Tuesday, October 11, 2022  
Chair: Thomas Shears  
Members Present: Mike Masters, Myra Thiemann, and District Commander  
S/Sgt. Craig Learning  
Regrets: Thomas Shears and Councillor Brenton Colborne

***A quorum was not present throughout the meeting.***

Staff in attendance: Linda Cloney, CAO, and Stanley McDougall (recording secretary)

### **1. Call to Order – Welcome/Introductions**

The meeting was called to order at 6 pm. It was noted that there were not enough members present to make quorum. Items for decisions will be deferred to the next meeting in January 2023.

### **2. Approval of Agenda**

*Deferred until the next meeting.*

### **3. Approval of the Minutes – April 12, 2022**

*Deferred until the next meeting.*

### **4. Business**

#### **4.1 Business from the previous meeting**

##### **4.1.1 Crosswalk on corner of Water Street and Lower Main Street**

*Deferred to the next meeting.*

It was noted that the crosswalk stop lights did not get approved at budget. This item will be brought forward again as an item in the future for discussion.

#### **4.1.2 Speed Limit enforcement for Little River Road and Lower Main Street**

*Deferred to the next meeting.*

It was discussed that speed is still an ongoing issue. S/Sgt. Craig Learning discussed that he would be looking into a speed sign through the Safer Communities group.

### **4.2 New Business**

#### **4.2.1 RCMP Report**

S/Sgt. Craig Learning discussed the RCMP Report for the Town of Oxford for July 1 to September 30, 2022. The report provided breakdown of calls within and outside of town. It was noted that for the Oxford detachment, most of the violations occurs outside of the Town of Oxford boundary but within the Oxford detachment area.

It was noted that the town of Oxford is a safe community.

CAO Linda Cloney requested from S/Sgt. Craig Learning a copy of the April to June 2022 report for the committee's files which was missing from last meeting.

#### **4.2.2 Policing Services Review – discussion**

CAO Linda Cloney discussed that the RCMP came to present on current policing services in the Town of Oxford and a public meeting is scheduled for October 19, 2022, at 6:30 pm at the Capitol Theatre Oxford to discuss current policing services in the Town of Oxford. Linda also discussed providing updates with the Police Advisory Board regarding the Policing Service Review Committee's progress.

It was noted that the Policing Services Review Committee is in early stages yet with the policing services review process and the community consultation meeting is to gather information. The DOJ will make the final decision.

### **4.3 Board Member Issues**

Board members present discussed concern for motorcycles speeding

and creating unnecessary noise in the Town of Oxford. S/Sgt. Craig Learning discussed overall motorcycle safety and the high number of fatalities in the area involving motorcycles.

#### 4.4 Municipal Issues

##### 4.4.1 Oxford Annual Christmas Parade – November 25

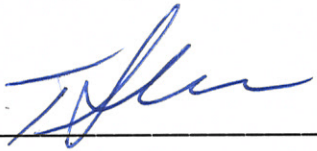
The theme of the Christmas Parade for November 25, 2022, was discussed as being “Walking in a Winter Wonderland”. Street closures would be in place and S/Sgt Craig Learning discussed the Oxford detachment would be involved in the parade and would look into including the ATV vehicles in the parade as well.

#### 4.5 Date and time for next meeting

Date and time for the next meeting is tentatively scheduled for January 10, 2023 at 6pm.

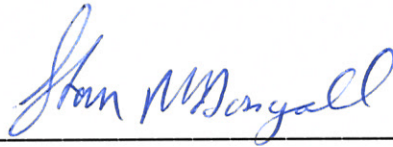
#### 5. Adjourn

Meeting adjourned at 7 pm.



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Thomas Shears (Chair)



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Stanley McDougall (recorder)