



## **SOUTH HURON POLICE SERVICES BOARD**

Remote Electronic Meeting  
Tuesday, March 14, 2023 – 4:05 pm

### **Members Present**

Chair	Jim Dietrich
Member	Dave Frayne, Vice Chair
Member	Mark Hartman
OPP	Inspector Jason Younan
OPP	Staff Sgt Ryan Olmstead
Recording Secretary	Jo-Anne Fields

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

Chair Jim Dietrich called the meeting to order at 4:05 pm. Warm welcome to Staff Sgt Ryan Olmstead.

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

- None declared

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

- None

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

##### **Motion – 11/03/23**

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

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

**Disposition: Carried**

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

##### **Motion – 12/03/23**

**Moved by: Dave Frayne**

**Seconded by: Mark Hartman**

**“That the minutes of February 14, 2023 meeting be approved as circulated.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

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

- Detailed report for February was distributed prior to the meeting for review and to allow for effective discussion at the Board meeting
- Inspector Younan provided a comprehensive overview and explanation of the report for the month
- Further clarification and highlights were provided for each category
- 284 police occurrences overall
- Traffic stats – Year over year – RIDE checks up by 21 over 2022
- Impaired driving is creeping up – 4 charges laid in February 2023
- Enforcement through road side tickets continues – 49 tickets issued and 34 warnings
- Focused Patrol continues relating to High Schools across Huron County
- Traffic safety and enhanced police visibility are part of the focus patrols in the schools and will continue until the end of the school year
- Focused Patrol – Airport Line and 83 Hwy from February 14 – February 28, 2023 - 20 hours was dedicated with 22 Provincial Offence Notices issued, of which the majority were speed related and 2 warnings issued
- There was no stop sign violations during the focus patrols
- Domestic violence is a concern County wide
- Update on Huron Detachment Command structure change effective March 06, 2023
- S/Sgt Ian George will be returning to OPP General Headquarters effective March 06, 2023 – special thanks for his leadership and service
- Staff Sgt Ryan Olmstead will be replacing him in the permanent role and brings a wealth of experience and local knowledge to the position, making this a seamless replacement for S/Sgt George
- Chair Dietrich thanked Inspector Younan for preparing and reviewing the OPP Report

**Motion – 13/03/23**

**Moved by: Mark Hartman**

**Seconded by: Dave Frayne**

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

**Disposition: Carried**

## **7. Delegations**

- No delegations at this meeting

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

- The Community Safety and Well-Being Plan
- After a lengthy discussion, the South Huron Police Services Board felt that due to the time commitment required to effectively move the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan forward, it should be turned over to the Municipality of South Huron
- Board will continue to provide comments to update the Plan
- Inspector Younan noted that he will be attending the Steering Committee meeting next week

### **Motion – 14/03/23**

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

**“That the South Huron Police Services Board request that the Municipality of South Huron accept the responsibility of effectively moving the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan forward, with support from the Police Services Board.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

## **9. Correspondence**

- South Huron Council – Forward correspondence/Resolution of the Township of Lanark Highlands – Violence Against Women – Statistics for the area
- Statistics are captured and can be sourced by the Board and/or municipality of South Huron from PSB reports. Additionally, conferring with other county agencies such as the Women’s Shelter or Victim Services may benefit, if the municipality intends on preparing a similar letter
- Rebekah Msuya-Collison, Acting Chief Administrative Officer/Clerk, Municipality of South Huron – Forward correspondence from Maureen Cole – Concern expressed regarding one Officials dressing room at the South Huron Recreation Centre – request addressing through the Community Safety and Well-Being Plan
- Inspector Jason Younan, Detachment Commander Huron OPP – Huron OPP Contact Information Change
- OAPSB Zone 5 – Request to support the correspondence received from the Waterloo Regional Police Services Board DRAFT Motion surrounding Bail Reform

### **Motion – 14/03/23**

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

**“That the South Huron Police Services Board accept the correspondence, not specifically dealt with.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

**10. New Business**

- South Huron Police Services Board Community Member – in progress
- OAPSB Zone 5 Meeting – Tuesday, March 07, 2023 – virtually
- Detachment Boards – estimated timeline is late fall 2023 or early spring 2024
- Bail Reform – Request from Waterloo Regional Police Services Board to endorse the DRAFT motion as prepared, as well as the Motion adopted by the OAPSB Zone 5 (as printed below)

**Motion Ian McSweeney/Lynn Silverton**

“That following a presentation on bail reform during the first part of the meeting (Chiefs and Boards), and discussion of a request for support from the Waterloo Regional Police Services Board of its motion (the "Motion") calling on the Provincial and Federal governments to collaborate to enact sector-wide reform to Canada's bail system (including broadening the application of the reverse onus protocol and ensuring that provincial bail policies and directives integrate these new proposed legislative changes), it is recommended that Zone 5 boards which support the Motion:

- adopt the Motion;
- write a letter to the Federal and Provincial governments (addressed the same as Waterloo's letter) in support of the Motion copying their local MPs and MPPs;
- write a letter to the OAPSB encouraging OAPSB support of the Motion;
- encourage their Municipal Councils to adopt the Motion and communicate their support to the Federal and Provincial governments, as well as local MPs and MPPs; and confirm in writing to the Zone 5 executive, authorization to contact the Federal and Provincial governments in writing to express Zone 5 support for the Motion.”

**Disposition Carried**

**Motion – 14/03/23**

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

**“That the South Huron Police Services Board support the motion surrounding Bail Reform as adopted by the OAPSB Zone 5 at their regular meeting of March 07, 2023.”**

**Disposition: Carried**

**11. Unfinished Business**

- Creation of South Huron Police Services Board website – Chair Dietrich provided an update
- OAPSB Spring Conference – registration and rooms secured as requested

**12. Date of Next Meeting**

Next meeting of the Police Service Board will be held virtually on Tuesday, April 11, 2023 at 4:05 pm or at the call of the Chair.

**13. Adjournment**

**Motion – 15/03/23**

Moved by:                      Mark Hartman  
Seconded by:                 Dave Frayne

“That the meeting be adjourned at 4:45 pm.”

Disposition:                 Carried

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Chair – J. Dietrich

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Recording Secretary – J. Fields

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Date