



SOUTH HURON POLICE SERVICES BOARD

South Huron Municipal Office – Verity Room
Tuesday, February 11, 2020 – 4:05 pm

Members Present

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| Chair | Jim Dietrich |
| Member | Mark Hartman |
| OPP | Staff Sgt David Sinko |
| Recording Secretary | Rebekah Msuya-Collison |
| Administration | Justin Finkbeiner |
| Regrets | Jo-Anne Fields |
| | OPP Inspector/Interim Commander Rob Scott |
| | Dave Frayne |

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

- None

4. Approval of the Agenda

Motion – 06/02/20

Moved by: Mark Hartman

Seconded by: Jim Dietrich

“That the Agenda be approved as circulated.”

Disposition: Carried

5. Approval of the Minutes

Motion – 07/02/20

Moved by: Mark Hartman

Seconded by: Jim Dietrich

“That the minutes of January 07, 2020 meeting be approved as circulated.”

Disposition: Carried

6. O.P.P. Report

- OPP Staff Sgt David Sinko provided regrets from OPP Inspector/Interim Commander Rob Scott.
- Detailed reports were distributed prior to the meeting for review and to allow for effective discussion at the Board meeting.
- Staff Sgt David Sinko provided a comprehensive overview and explanation of the January report and noted that new format requested by the Board.
- The Board made note that calls for serve for January as listed per month seems high, Staff Sgt Sinko will check and confirm if it is for the month, will also check if report shows county wide and not just South Huron.
 - Staff Sgt Sinko explained the stats for January, 286 calls for service. Staff Sgt Sinko will look into it further as the report may include split calls but that the report appears to be accurate
- Year over year there have been no major changes in report numbers
- Clearance rates discussed, rate depends on how arrest is made and that yearly percentages are a more true indicator of clearance rates versus monthly percentages
- Crime Stoppers report was not available at the printing of the O.P.P Report
- Media releases being sent out regarding education, traffic conditions, and safety throughout South Huron
- Violent crimes remain unchanged
- Mobile Crisis Response Team worker has been engaged in proactive work and is a shared resource between Huron Perth and Stratford Police with access to services on the front line.
 - The Chair stated that to have accesses to a Mobile Crisis Team worker is a great resource to have in the community and surrounding area.
- OPP are reminding members of the community to lock their vehicles when not in use, to drive according to weather conditions and drive slow during winter weather storms

Motion – 08/02/20

Moved by: Mark Hartman

Seconded by: Jim Dietrich

“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 Plan Update. Municipal staff members R. Msuya-Collison and J. Finkbeiner provided an update in regards to the Community Safety and Well-being Plan.
- South Huron Community Safety and Well-being Survey is open to the public to participate through the South Huron website, or by requesting a paper copy at the municipal office.
- The survey is being completed with the assistance of the Huron County Community Safety and Well-being Plan Working Group.

9. Correspondence

- Correspondence is forwarded to Board members as received

10. New Business

- No new business

11. Unfinished Business

- No unfinished business

12. Date of Next Meeting

Next meeting of the Police Service Board will be held at the South Huron Municipal Office on Tuesday, March 10, 2020 at 4:05 pm or at the call of the Chair.

13. Adjournment

Motion – 09/02/20

Moved by: Mark Hartman

Seconded by: Jim Dietrich

“That the meeting be adjourned at 4:39 pm.”

Disposition: Carried

Chair – J. Dietrich

Recording Secretary – R. Msuya-Collison

Date