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Deputy Minister,

Thank you for your letter of December regarding your October meeting with African Nova Scotia Decade for People of African Descent (ANS-DPAD) Coalition. Board of Police Commission meetings have two methods to allow members of the public to bring issues forward and make comments at the meetings.

The first way for members of the public to get on the agenda is through correspondence. Correspondence via email can be sent at any time to <u>clerks@halifax.ca</u>. Once received, it will be logged and distributed to the Board in the agenda package that is mailed out the Friday before the meeting. This policy can be found at the following link: https://www.halifax.ca/cityhall/regional-council/communicating-halifax-regional-council

Additionally, members of the public can request to give a presentation to the Board at one of their meetings. The guidelines for presentations and presentation requests can be found at the following link: https://www.halifax.ca/city-hall/regional-council/presentations

I trust this provides you with the information you need. Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require additional information.

Sincerely,

- Original Signed -

Natalie Borden Chair, HRM Board of Police Commissioners

Cc: Bill Trask, Executive Director, Policy and Information Management/Executive Lead-Street Checks Wanda Fletcher, Director Public Safety and Security



