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Community Planning & Economic Development Standing Committee
December 9, 2020

TO: Chair and Members of the Community Planning and Economic Development

Standing Committee

SUBMITTED BY: -Original Signed-

Liam Power, Legislative Support Assistant

DATE: December 3, 2020

SUBJECT: 2021 Community Planning and Economic Development Standing

Committee Meeting Schedule

ORIGIN

The Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee annually adopts a schedule outlining meetings for the forthcoming year.

LEGISLATIVE AUTHORITY

Section 8 of the Terms of Reference of the Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee which directs the Committee to meet no less than four (4) times annually, preferably monthly, or as determined by the Committee.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee review scheduling options and adopt the proposed 2021 Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee meeting schedule.

BACKGROUND/DISCUSSION

Standing Committees consider and adopt a meeting schedule in order to provide notice to members and the public in regard to their meetings. The Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee is free to adopt or adjust the proposed schedule as they see fit. The attached proposed schedule is based on the past year's meeting schedule of meeting on the third Thursday of each month, in the morning.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no budget implications associated with the recommended course of action.

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The 2021 meeting schedule for the Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee, once adopted, is posted online at Halifax.ca to enable members of the public and media to have access to the meeting schedule, agendas and reports prior to Committee meetings.

ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications associated with the recommended course of action.

ALTERNATIVES

The Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee may adopt and/or adjust the proposed 2021 Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee meeting schedule as they see fit.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1 – Proposed 2021 Community Planning and Economic Development Standing Committee Schedule

A copy of this report can be obtained online at http://www.halifax.ca/boardscom/standing.php then choose the appropriate Standing Committee and meeting date, or by contacting the Office of the Municipal Clerk at 902.490.4210, or Fax 902.490.4208.

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Proposed Community Planning & Economic Development Standing Committee 2021 Meeting Schedule

Council Chamber 3rd Floor, City Hall 1841 Argyle Street, Halifax

 3^{rd} Thursday of the month from 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

Time, date and location is subject to change.

3 rd Thursday, 10:00 a.m 12:00 p.m.
Thursday, January 21, 2021
Thursday, February 18, 2021
Thursday, March 11, 2021
Thursday, April 15, 2021
Thursday, May 20, 2021
Thursday, June 17, 2021
Thursday, July 15, 2021 *- If required
Thursday, August 19, 2021 *- If required
Thursday, September 23, 2021
Thursday, October 21, 2021
Thursday, November 18, 2021
Thursday, December 16, 2021

^{*}March meeting moved to second Thursday due to March Break

Other Dates:	• July 1 – Canada Day
• January 1 – New Years Day	August 2 – Natal Day
• February 15 – Heritage Day	• September 6 – Labour Day
March 15-19 – March Break	October 11 - Thanksgiving
April 2 – Good Friday	November 11 – Remembrance Day
April 5 – Easter Monday	December 25 – Christmas
May 24 – Victoria Day	• December 26 – Boxing Day