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Item No. 10.2.1

Request for Board of Police Commissioners Consideration						
x	Agenda Item (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon at least 5 working days prior to the meeting)		Added Item (Submitted to Mu Clerk's Office by least one working to meeting)	Noon at		Request from the Floor
Dat	e of Meeting: May 16, 2022					
Subject: Representation on Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance Board of Directors						
Motion for Board of Police Commissioners to Consider:						
That the Chair of the Board of Police Commissioners canvass Commissioners to determine Commissioner interest in volunteering to serve as the Board of Police Commissioners representative on the Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance Board.						
Rea	ason:					
The Board of Police Commissioners' (BoPC) current representative on the board of the Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance (NSAPG) is Commissioner Carole McDougall. Commissioner McDougall's term with the BoPC will end when the appointment of a new Commissioner is finalized. Commissioner McDougall's pending departure from the BoPC requires the selection of a Commissioner to serve as the BoPC's representative on the NSAPG board.						
A summary of NSAPG board member commitments can be found in Attachment 1. This summary is provided to assist Commissioners in determining whether they wish to volunteer to serve as the BoPC's representative on the NSAPG board.						
Out	come Sought:					
That the BoPC Chair will contact Commissioners to determine their interest in volunteering to serve on the NSAPG board and to provide Commissioners with a summary of NSAPG board member commitments via the attachment to this Request. When a Commissioner volunteers to serve as the BoPC's NSAPG representative it will be confirmed by motion at a future BoPC meeting.						
Attachment 1 – Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance Board Member Commitments						
Cor	nmissioner Carole McDougall					

Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance Board Member Commitments

The Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance (NSAPG) is a provincial organization, established 1991, to support Municipal Boards of Police Commissions and Advisory Boards in the province. Goals include collecting and sharing police governance information, identifying training opportunities to inform civilian members of their role and responsibilities, providing networking opportunities for board members and discussing policy concerns that have a provincial impact affecting police services in Nova Scotia. The NSAPG board meets at least three times a year and co-hosts an annual conference with the Nova Scotia Chiefs of Police Association in September, each year.

The NSAPG board is composed of a member from each of the ten Municipal Board of Police Commissions and five Advisory Board members - one from each of the five zones established by the Nova Scotia Federation of Municipalities. These five represent the 29 Advisory Boards from across the province. The Executive Committee, elected at the Annual General Meeting held in conjunction with the conference, meets at least three times per year or as needed.

The following outlines commitments when joining the board of the Nova Scotia Association of Police Governance:

- The member must be a member of a municipal board of police commission or of an advisory board.
- The member must be able to commit for a minimum of one year from April to March of the following year.
- The member is asked to attend three meetings of the board which may include a spring workshop plus the annual conference in the fall.
- Mileage is expensed at the Provincial rate when members are required to travel to meetings. (Claims can be submitted at the meeting.)
- All expenses to attend the annual NSAPG/NSCPA conference are to be covered by the member's police commission or advisory board.