



BOARD OF POLICE COMMISSIONERS for the HALIFAX REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES May 30, 2024

PRESENT: Commissioner Becky Kent, Chair
Commissioner Gavin Giles, Vice Chair
Commissioner Lindell Smith
Commissioner Lisa Blackburn
Commissioner Yemi Akindoju
Commissioner Greg O'Malley

REGRETS: Commissioner Tony Thomas

STAFF: Martin Ward, Solicitor
Andrea Lovasi-Wood, Legislative Assistant
Catie Campbell, Legislative Assistant

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The meeting was called to order at 4:11 p.m., the Board moved into an In Camera (In Private) session at 4:16 p.m. and reconvened at 5:52 p.m. The Board adjourned at 5:56 p.m.

1. CALL TO ORDER AND LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

The Chair called the meeting to order at 4:11 p.m. and acknowledged that the meeting took place in the traditional and ancestral territory of the Mi'kmaq people, and that we are all treaty people.

2. APPROVAL OF THE ORDER OF BUSINESS AND APPROVAL OF ADDITIONS AND DELETIONS

Additions: None

Deletions: None

MOVED by Commissioner Giles, seconded by Commissioner Blackburn

THAT the agenda be approved as presented.

MOTION PUT AND PASSED.

3. CALL FOR DECLARATION OF CONFLICT OF INTERESTS – NONE

4. IN CAMERA (IN PRIVATE)

MOVED by Commissioner Akindoju, seconded by Commissioner O'Malley

THAT the Board of Police Commissioners for the Halifax Regional Municipality convene to In Camera (In Private) to discuss Item 4.1 LEGAL ADVICE.

MOTION PUT AND PASSED.

4.1 LEGAL ADVICE - Private and Confidential Report

This matter was dealt with In Camera (In Private) and ratified in public as follows:

The following was before the Board:

- Private and confidential report dated May 27, 2024
- Private and confidential handout dated May 27, 2024

MOVED by Commissioner Blackburn, seconded by Commissioner Giles

THAT the Board of Police Commissioners for the Halifax Regional Municipality:

- 1. Adopt the direction provided In Camera (In Private); and**
- 2. Direct that the private and confidential report dated May 27, 2024 and the private and confidential handout dated May 27, 2024 be maintained private and confidential.**

MOTION PUT AND PASSED.

5. ADJOURNMENT

The meeting adjourned at 5:56 p.m.

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Andrea Lovasi-Wood
Legislative Assistant