

PUBLIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING – MINUTES

Minutes of the Public Safety Committee Meeting held on
Wednesday, March 10, 2021 virtually via Zoom



MEMBERS PRESENT

Councillor Tim Laidler, Chair
Robert Boies
Gord McRae
Sky Zhu

MEMBERS ABSENT

Bryan Mitten

Guest:

Sandy de Schaetzen, Anmore Block Watch

1. CALL TO ORDER

Chair Laidler called the meeting to order at 7:07 p.m.

2. APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the Agenda be approved as circulated.

Carried Unanimously

3. MINUTES

- (a) **Minutes of the Meeting held on January 13, 2021 and Minutes of the Meeting held on February 10, 2021**

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the Minutes of the Public Safety Committee meeting held on January 13, 2021, and the Minutes of the Joint Environment Committee and Public Safety Committee meeting held on February 10, 2021 be adopted, as circulated.

Carried Unanimously

4. BUSINESS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES

None.

5. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

None.

6. NEW BUSINESS

(a) Volunteers for Crime Prevention Programs

Discussion points included:

1. Block Watch - Sandy de Schaetzen provided an update:
 - Captain meeting was held last week
 - Slow recruitment due to COVID
 - 10+ more captains are needed to have block watch coverage for the entire village

Action Item: Cllr. Laidler to request village to continue messaging on social media for block watch recruitment.
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2. Citizens Speed Watch
 - Cllr. Laidler advised RCMP is providing adequate coverage and speed issues have not been identified
 - Whether the need to initiate speed watch volunteers within the Village exists and ability to do so
3. Crime Watch
 - Currently no Anmore volunteers but challenging due to COVID
 - Whether with any of these programs would there be a possibility for summer initiatives. Cllr. Laidler to follow up with Council on approach.

7. ADJOURNMENT

It was MOVED and SECONDED:

That the meeting be adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

Carried Unanimously

Certified Correct:

Approved:

"Karen Elrick"

Karen Elrick
Manager of Corporate Services

"Tim Laidler"

Councillor Tim Laidler
Chair, Public Safety Committee