

**Police & License Meeting**  
**September 8, 2020**  
**Via Zoom**

**Present**

Chair, Councillor D. Roberts  
Deputy Mayor M. Farrell  
Councillor D. MacInnis  
Sgt. W. McBeath, RCMP  
S/Cst. S. Smith  
S/Cst. J. Pellerin  
B. VanDam

D. Wilson, Deputy Clerk  
S. Scannell, Community Development

**Regrets**

Mayor L. Boucher

**Call to Order**

The Chair called the meeting to order at 12:05 PM and welcomed everyone including new St. FX Union representative

**Approval of Agenda**

"It was Moved and Seconded to approve the Agenda with additions." Motion carried.

**Approval of Minutes**

"It was Moved and Seconded to approve the Minutes as presented." Motion carried.

**Business from Minutes**

- Electronic Ticketing

S. Scannell provided an update on a file management and electronic ticketing system. He noted staff are now using the case management portion of the system, discussions are ongoing regarding the process of electronic ticketing and, due to the pandemic, the ticketing portion will be delayed until October of this year.

S/Cst. S. Smith noted the university and hospital will also move to the new ticketing system.

**New Business**

- Modified Mufflers

Sgt. W. McBeath provided an update on modified mufflers noting two (2) individuals had been fined. The Chair stated that it had been noted that there are additional vehicles with modified mufflers in the area. Brief discussion took place.

- Crosswalk Flags

S. Smith noted a new order of crosswalk buckets and flags had been received last week. Brief discussion took place.

- 'Jake Brakes'

The Chair noted that a couple of residents have noted 'jake brakes' being used within the Town, more specifically vehicles coming from Cloverville onto College Street. She expanded further on the details.

S. Smith agreed to look to ensuring signage is in place in this area.

- Halloween

S. Smith noted questions are being asked as to whether the Town would be regulating Halloween. It was noted that Council would discuss the matter further.

### **Updates**

- Crosswalk Beacons (Install Update)

S. Scannell noted Council had approved the locations for five (5) beacons. S/Cst. S. Smith provided comment on the locations.

S/Cst. S. Smith expanded on why the locations were moved. Brief discussion took place.

### **St. FX Student Rentals**

The Chair noted that the Mayor and St. FX President would be going door to door to visit off-campus students and commended this action.

S. Scannell commended By-law staff for assisting in the delivery of messages to off campus students as well as identifying rental units within the Town. The Chair thanked staff for their efforts.

It was noted that By-law staff recently sent out a notice regarding the upcoming bulky waste program. Brief discussion took place.

### **Reports**

- By-law Enforcement

It was noted that the July report from By-law Enforcement had been received. S. Smith provided an update on ongoing and special activities over the past month and expanded on the details.

It was noted that J. Pellerin had worked this past weekend and some follow-up will take place. Staff will be visible in Town over the next few weekends.

- RCMP

Sgt. W. McBeath reviewed the RCMP monthly report, noting an increase in calls regarding Covid-19, with four (4) students charged to date. He noted he will be accompanying the Mayor and University President on the off-campus visits. He expanded on details regarding off-campus students.

- St. FX University Representative  
Unavailable

- St. FX Student Union

The Chair invited new member B. VanDam to speak. B. VanDam thanked the Chair. He noted the university is working hard to provide support to students as they return for the upcoming year.

B. VanDam noted that Orientation is being modified due to Covid-19, that a video has been produced highlighting the town, staying healthy, comments by the Mayor and details on being safe while socializing.

B. VanDam spoke on discussion with provincial medical staff on the testing regiment noting compliance rate is in the 80% range and expanded on the details, and recognized members of the community and students for volunteering in assisting students.

The Chair requested round table introductions take place.

With there being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 12:43 PM.