



# **Township of Georgian Bluffs**

## **Council Minutes**

**December 9, 2019, 3:30 p.m.**  
**Council Chambers**  
**Township Administration Offices**  
**177964 Grey Road 18, RR#3, Owen Sound ON N4K 5N5**

Members Present: Mayor Dwight Burley  
Community Member Peter Hughes  
Provincial Member Barry Hatt

Staff Present: Brittany Drury

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### **1. Call to Order**

Chair Mayor Dwight Burley called the meeting to order at 3:30 p.m.  
Inspector Martin Murray and / or his delegate were absent.

### **2. Approval of Agenda/Additions to the Agenda**

Moved By: Member Peter Hughes

**That the agenda be approved as presented.**

Carried

### **3. Declaration of Pecuniary Interest**

None declared.

### **4. Minutes of Previous Meetings**

4.1 October 8, 2019

PSB2019-12

Moved By: Member Peter Hughes

**That the minutes of the Board meeting held on October 8, 2019 be adopted.**

Carried

**5. Presentations**

Nil

**6. Delegations**

Nil

**7. Public Question Period**

Nil

**8. Correspondence**

**8.1 Black Cat Radar Purchase**

As formerly discussed at 2018 Joint Police Service Board meetings.

There was a brief discussion regarding the purchase of the radar, to be completed by the Municipality of Grey Highlands. Following the purchase, Grey Highlands will invoice each involved municipality for their share of the final cost.

The Board drafted the following motion:

PSB2019-13

Moved By: Member Barry Hatt

**That the Township of Georgian Bluffs Police Services Board approves the invoice from North Line Canada Ltd. for purchase of the Black Cat radar, and**

**Further recommends that the Council of the Township of Georgian approve funding Georgian Bluff's share of the purchase.**

Carried

**9. Reports and Recommendations**

**9.1 Detachment Commander's Report**

September 2019 Statistical Report.

In the absence of a representative from the OPP, the Board directed the Board Secretary to follow up with the OPP regarding the following questions:

- Ride programs within the Township throughout the holidays - specifically if there will be an increase over the holiday season.
- Any significant increases or decreases in crime throughout the region, as depicted in the report.

PSB2019-14

Moved By: Member Peter Hughes

**That the Detachment Commander's Report for September 2019, be received for information.**

Carried

## **10. Unfinished Business**

Nil

## **11. New Business**

### **11.1 Township of Georgian Bluffs Resolution Number RES2019-399**

As passed by Council at their December 4, 2019 meeting and referred for information of the Board.

Moved By: Councillor Ryan Thompson

Seconded By: Deputy Mayor Sue Carleton

**Whereas Council received a petition from residents of Concession 21 at their meeting on October 16, 2019, requesting that the speed limit on Concession 21 be reduced to 60 km/h from the existing 80 km/h; and**

**Whereas Council directed staff to investigate reducing the speed limit on the roadway, and considered report OPS2019-107 - Speed Limit Reduction -Concession and passed corresponding recommendation number COW2019-071 at the November 13, 2019 meeting of Committee of the Whole; and**

**Whereas Council deems it necessary to reduce the speed limit on the roadway;**

**Now Therefore Council of the Township of Georgian Bluffs directs that the speed limit on Concession 21 be reduced to 60 km/h from the existing 80 km/h, and**

**Further, that a by-law to change the speed limit be presented at the December 18,2019 Council meeting.**

Carried - Resolution Number RES2019-399

The Board directed the Board Secretary to forward correspondence to the OPP indicating the speed change.

11.2 Appointment of a Board Representative to the Grey Bruce Joint Community Safety and Wellbeing Advisory Committee

The Deputy Clerk / Recording Secretary outlined the process of creating the Grey Bruce Joint Community Safety and Well Being Plan thus far, and future participation on the Joint Advisory Committee.

PSB2019-16

Moved By: Member Barry Hatt

**Whereas the *Police Services Act, 1990* requires that the Council of each municipality prepare and adopt a community safety and well-being plan, either individually or jointly with other municipal councils, and**

**Whereas the Township of Georgian Bluffs is participating in the preparation of a joint plan for Grey and Bruce counties, via membership in the Grey Bruce Joint Community Safety and Well Being Planning Advisory Committee, and**

**Whereas the *Police Services Act, 1990* requires that a representative of the municipal Police Services Board be a member of the Advisory Committee, and**

**Whereas Brittany Drury, Board Secretary and Township of Georgian Bluffs Deputy Clerk, has been serving as a representative of the Township of Georgian Bluffs since commencement of the Advisory Committee in September of 2019,**

**Now Therefore the Police Services Board of the Township of Georgian Bluffs delegates representation of the Board on the Joint Advisory Committee to Brittany Drury, Board Secretary and Township of Georgian Bluffs Deputy Clerk, and**

**Further that this resolution be referred to the Council of the Township of Georgian Bluffs and the Grey Bruce Joint Community Safety and Well Being Planning Advisory Committee for their information.**

**12. Date of Next Regular Meeting/Adjournment**

February 11, 2020 - 3:30 p.m.

The Deputy Clerk / Board Secretary noted that 2020 meeting invitations had been circulated via Outlook.

Moved By: Member Peter Hughes

**That the meeting be adjourned at 3:50 p.m.**

Carried

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Mayor, Dwight Burley

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Deputy Clerk, Brittany Drury