



**25 May 2011**

## **City Council Committee Report**

**To: Mayor & Council**

**Fr: Joanne L. McMillin, City Clerk**

**Re: Kenora Community Policing Committee**

### **Recommendation:**

That Council give three readings to a by-law to adopt a revised Terms of Reference for the Kenora Community Policing Committee for the purpose of replacing the Keewatin-Patricia District School Board representative with a representative from the Seniors Coalition; and further

That Ralph Mosher, Vice-Chair of the Seniors Coalition be appointed as the Senior representative on the Kenora Community Policing Committee, with a term to expire November 30, 2012.

### **Background:**

Since the start of my attendance at the meetings of the Community Policing Committee last December, and as I understand it, prior to that time during the last term of Council, there has been no participation by or notification or even interest from the Keewatin-Patricia District School Board on advising the City as to their representative on the Committee, in keeping with the Terms of Reference.

After contacting the KPDSB Office on many occasions and requesting the name of their respective appointee and no response, the Committee agreed at its May 17 meeting that this Stakeholder group be replaced with a representative from the Seniors Coalition, recognizing there remains a representative from the Kenora Catholic District School Board on the Committee. I approached the Seniors Coalition and have been advised that Ralph Mosher, Vice-Chair, who is both a former Kenora Councillor and Member of the Kenora Police Services Board, will allow his name to stand. I have no hesitation in recommending Ralph Mosher to represent the Seniors Coalition on the Committee, and respectfully request that aside from appointing Mr. Mosher, that Council adopt the necessary revised Terms of Reference to address the change in the Stakeholder groups.

### **Budget:**

N/A

### **Communication Plan/Notice By-law Requirements:**

N/A