## **Policies for Rescission**

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#### **Overview**

• Building on the Municipal Policy Handbook Process Overview that was just presented, Administration is proposing to rescind five policies that are no longer necessary.





## **Block Parties**

- The Block Parties Policy was approved in 1983
- This policy supported the issuance of block party permits as a means for the neighbourhood gathering of residents to socialize and communicate



• The concept for block parties still exists, however the application for block party permits is handled pursuant to the County's Traffic Bylaw, 16-2015



## **Disaster Services Plan**

- The Disaster Services Plan policy was approved in 1982 to ensure that the County had a Disaster Response and Recovery Plan
- Currently, the County's disaster services plan is created by Emergency Services
- Under the County's Emergency Management Bylaw, Councillors are members of the Emergency Management Committee, which regularly reviews the Municipal Emergency Plan





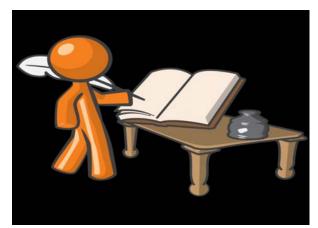
## Long-Time Residents: Grants

- The Long-Time Residents: Grants Policy was approved in 1982
- The Policy provided that long-time residents of the County, upon application, might receive a grant to cover the cost of a suitable County facility for a special function such as a 65<sup>th</sup> wedding anniversary, 100<sup>th</sup> birthday, etc.
- All applications were to be considered on an individual basis and the names of the successful applicants were to be forwarded to Council for nomination.
- The program that this policy related to no longer exists



## **Council Reports**

- The Council Reports policy was approved in 1987
- The Policy identified that the information contained in Council reports should be relevant, complete, clear, concise, accurate and timely
- The Council report process is operational and will be replaced with a Directive





# Pre-Hospital Emergency Medical Service Charges

- The Pre-Hospital Emergency Medical Service Charges Policy was passed in 1987
- The Policy set out that pre-hospital emergency medical service would be provided on a fee-for-service basis
- The intent of the policy was to define and formalize the fee structure for various levels of pre-hospital emergency medical services as well as to outline the process for handling complaints from users of the service relative to fees charged for specific calls
- The fees that may be charged for emergency services are now set provincially, rendering this policy obsolete



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### Recommendations

Administration is recommending that the following policies be rescinded:

- 1. PUB-002-002 Block Parties
- 2. GOV-002-008 Disaster Services Plan
- 3. PUB-002-003 Long-Time Residents: Grants
- 4. GOV-002-012 Council Reports
- 5. SER-006-001 Pre-Hospital Emergency Medical Service Charges



#### **Questions?**



