

Priorities Committee Meeting_May12_2020**STRATEGIC INITIATIVE AND UPDATE**

2019 Traffic Safety Advisory Committee Annual Report**Report Purpose**

To update the Priorities Committee on the activities of the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee as required by the Boards and Committee Bylaw 46-2015.

Our Prioritized Strategic Goals

Goal 1 - Build strong communities to support the diverse needs of residents

Goal 2 - Manage, invest and plan for sustainable municipal infrastructure

Goal 8 - Foster an environment for safe communities

Report

The purpose of the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee is to work with administration to develop and maintain a dialogue about matters of concern related to traffic safety and to assist Council and administration to develop strategies, programs, and policies to improve traffic safety and efficiency. Traffic safety in Strathcona County is guided by the Traffic Safety Strategic Plan.

The specific mandate of the Committee is as follows:

- Provide advice and suggestions for opportunities for resident education in traffic safety.
- Recommend traffic safety issues that could benefit from public engagement. Provide advice on the development and implementation of traffic safety and efficiency initiatives currently underway in Strathcona County.
- Review and discuss the development and implementation of the Rural Road Safety Strategy.
- Review and discuss the on-going development and success of the Traffic Safety Communication Plan.
- Review and discuss the on-going implementation of the Neighbourhood Traffic Safety Action Plan.

The Traffic Safety Advisory Committee consists of two Councillors and seven public members.

Members of Council

Councillor Brian Botterill

Councillor Robert Parks

Public Members

Bob Horton (Chair)

James Stroeder (Vice Chair)

Shaun Andreas

Max Coderre

Gibson Glavin

Bob Newstead

Gary Poignant

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Activities of the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee in 2019:

- Lakeland Drive operational review. This feedback was incorporated in a report to Priorities Committee on September 17, 2019.
- Sherwood Drive Traffic Circle Safety review. This feedback was incorporated in a report to Priorities Committee on October 22, 2019.
- Vision Zero (Safe Systems) presentation
- Lakeland Drive signal coordination presentation
- Anthony Henday Drive guardrails presentation
- Review at the intersection of Township Road 514 and Highway 21 resulting in required maintenance work being completed
- Review of residential speed limits (40km/h) with feedback to be incorporated in a report to Council by end of Q4 2020
- Traffic Safety Strategic Plan review
- Traffic Safety Communication plan review
- Assisted with a Notice of Motion to Council for the October 29, 2019 Council meeting

Activities the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee will be focusing on in 2020:

- Range Road 231 and 232 Functional Planning Study presentation
- Review of 2019 collision stats from Enforcement Services Communications Plan update
- Review of annual policing plan
- Review of Traffic Safety Advisory Committee annual report to Council
- Review of 2019 collision statistics and 2019 Traffic Safety annual report
- Integrated Transportation Master Plan preliminary discussion
- Other items as requested by Council

Council and Committee History

September 25, 2018 Council gave three readings to Bylaw 28-2018, the Traffic Safety Advisory Committee Bylaw

Other Impacts

Policy: n/a

Legislative/Legal: Boards and Committee Bylaw, MGA

Interdepartmental: Legislative and Legal Services

Master Plan/Framework: n/a