## COMMITTEE ON PROTECTION PARKS AND CULTURE

## QUESTION PERIOD

**1089 -** Councillor Lazarenko asked as to whether or not the Chief of Police had implemented his suggestion to have more undercover police officers on the streets after midnight when most of the crime is committed.

Councillor Silva advised that over the summer months, police had been targeting sweeps in a number of areas in the city.

Councillor Lazarenko asked if the police collective agreement allowed the Chief of Police to delegate authority to pay the officers overtime with special projects like the targeted areas.

Councillor Silva advised that not only is it a delegated authority, but it is also a statutory responsibility.