STANDING POLICY COMMITTEE ON

PROTECTION AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

QUESTION PERIOD

Minute No. 354
Councillor Havixbeck noted that in the 2013 budget, Council approved one new School Resource Officer and asked what division that Officer was allocated to.

Councillor Fielding replied that he believed it was St. James but would verify and report back.

In noting that the School Resource Officer Program was a tri-partite funded agreement between the City, the School Divisions and the Province, Councillor Havixbeck inquired if the Province had not allocated their share in the Provincial Budget toward School Resource Officers and inquired how the City would proceed with the one new School Resource Officer.

Councillor Fielding replied that he was not aware that they did provide funding in their Provincial Budget for it and agreed to find out if the Province did or did not commit dollars to the Program.

Councillor Havixbeck questioned if the Winnipeg Police Service identified the St. James area as the priority or another School Division; to which Councillor Fielding agreed to find out.