WINNIPEG POLICE BOARD

MEMBERS

Municipal Appointments
Councillor Gillingham, Chair } The Mayor or his/her nominee, appointed as Chair
Councillor Eadie

Citizen Members:
Paul Edwards, Vice-Chair } terms to expire
Mary Jane Loustel } October 31, 2014
David Keam

Provincial Appointments
Leslie Spillett } term to expire November 12, 2016
Angeline Ramkissoon } term to expire July 30, 2017

CREATION/JURISDICTION

- Item No. 1 of the Report of the Executive Policy Committee dated November 28, 2012, adopted by Council on November 28, 2012 (See Council Minute No. 64)
- The Winnipeg Police Board By-law No. 148/2012, passed by Council on November 28, 2012
- *The Police Services Act(S.M. 2009,c.32)* required that The City of Winnipeg implement a municipal Police Board by December 1, 2012

COMPOSITION

A maximum of 7 members:
- 2 appointments made by the Province of Manitoba
- 5 members including the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Board, to be appointed by Council as follows:
  - The Mayor or his/her nominee, subject to ratification by Council, shall also be appointed as Chair;
  - 1 Councillor (appointed for 1-year terms)
  - 3 citizens (for a term not to exceed the lesser of three (3) years or the term of office of the Council that made the appointment.

FUNCTION

To act as a liaison between the community and the Winnipeg Police Service (WPS). The board will provide civilian governance respecting law enforcement, and the administrative direction and organization required to support an effective police service.

The Board shall hold a minimum of nine monthly meetings per year and have such duties as provided in the *Police Services Act.*

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