Minute No. 621
Report – Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services – September 14, 2015

Item No. 1 Winnipeg Police Service Strategic Plan 2015 – 2019

COUNCIL DECISION:

Council concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and adopted the following:

1. That the Winnipeg Police Board Strategic Plan be received as information.

2. That the Proper Officers of the City be authorized to do all things necessary to implement the intent of the foregoing.

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DECISION MAKING HISTORY:

Moved by Councillor Browaty,

That the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services be adopted.

Carried

EXECUTIVE POLICY COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 23, 2015, the Executive Policy Committee concurred in the recommendation of the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services and submitted the matter to Council.

STANDING COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION:

On September 14, 2015, the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services concurred in the recommendation of the Winnipeg Police Board and submitted the matter to the Executive Policy Committee and Council.

Further on September 14, 2015, Mr. D. Norquay, Executive Director, accompanied by Councillor Gillingham, Chairperson, Winnipeg Police Board, submitted a presentation in support of the Winnipeg Police Service Strategic Plan 2015 – 2019/

WINNIPEG POLICE BOARD DECISION:

On April 14, 2015, the Winnipeg Police Board approved the content of the Strategic Plan and received as information the report from the Chair of the Strategic Planning Steering Committee.

WINNIPEG POLICE BOARD RECOMMENDATION:

On April 10, 2015, the Winnipeg Police Board submitted the Strategic Plan to the Standing Policy Committee on Protection and Community Services to be forwarded to Council for information.

Further on April 10, 2015, David Sanders submitted a presentation with respect to Report from the Strategic Planning Steering Committee.

WINNIPEG POLICE BOARD
Strategic Planning Steering Committee Report
April 2015

The Winnipeg Police Board and the Winnipeg Police Service are excited to be tabling the first strategic plan jointly developed under the new governance structure. The strategic plan outlines the vision, mission, values, belief statements, goals and strategies for the policing services for the citizens of Winnipeg from 2015 until 2019.

The strategic plan being tabled at the Board's April 10th meeting contains content ready for publication. Design and layout work remains to be done before the strategic planning document is posted to the Board's website and copies are printed. The content of the strategic plan is guided by the Service's vision and mission. It is organized around four goals, with strategies explaining how the Service will pursue those goals. There are targets to measure the Service's performance.

Looking forward, the Board will initiate the planning process for its public consultations immediately. Public meetings will be held in May and June. While the Winnipeg Police Service has developed its own strategic plans in the past and has consulted with the public in the development of those plans, the 2015-2019 strategic plan is a first for the Winnipeg Police Board. The Board is eager to receive feedback from the community on whether we have accurately captured and adequately reflected the input we received in 2014. The Board will also be looking to the public for perspectives on whether there are new issues or emerging expectations since the Board's public consultations in summer 2014. Public feedback will be considered as the Board updates its strategic plan, which it will do by the end of 2015. This process will be completed annually so that the Board is continually inviting public input and re-evaluating the Service's priorities and performance.

The Strategic Planning Steering Committee is submitting two documents with this report. The first is an unformatted copy of the strategic plan. The second contains the highlights of the strategic plan, shown in a layout that will inform the overall design of the strategic plan when it is published. This one-page summary will appear inside of the final strategic plan document as an overview.