

## COUNCIL COMMITTEE – PRESENTATION MEETING

The Council Committee/Presentations Meeting of the Municipality of the County of Colchester was conducted virtually via Zoom Webinars and in person, on Tuesday, August 2, 2022.

In peace and friendship, and in the spirit of truth and reconciliation, Deputy Mayor Stewart acknowledged that the Municipality of Colchester is in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq.

### Roll Call

The roll was called with the following Councillors in attendance:

Mayor Christine Blair	(arrived at 7:20)
Councillor Eric Boutilier	District 1
Councillor Laurie Sandeson	District 2
Deputy Mayor Geoff Stewart, Chair	District 3 (arrived at 7:15)
Councillor Mike Cooper	District 4
Councillor Tim Johnson	District 5
Councillor Karen MacKenzie	District 6
Councillor Michael Gregory	District 7
Councillor Marie Benoit	District 9
Councillor Victoria Lomond	District 10
Councillor Wade Parker	District 11

### Regrets

Councillor Lisa Patton	District 8
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### Others Present

Rob Simonds, CAO  
 Michelle Boudreau, Director of Public Works  
 Scott Fraser, Director of Corporate Services  
 Craig Burgess, Manager of Recreation Services (for presentation 1)  
 Pam, MacIntosh, Manager of Planning Services  
 Jennifer Mantin, Economic Development Officer  
 Devin Trefry, Research, Policy and Community Engagement Officer  
 Dennis James, Municipal Solicitor  
 Suzanne Graham, Recording Secretary  
 Jeanette Himmelman, Systems Analyst (for Technical Support)

### Presentations

#### **Senior Safety Program Presenter: Doug MacDonald**

Mr. MacDonald appeared before Council to provide them with information on the Senior Safety Program he is currently running with help from the Truro Police.

Included in the presentation was the background on how the program began; the current funding provided; and the benefits to seniors including the program being free of charge, helping seniors navigate health care services, housing and rental grants and the applications that accompany them, and providing services such as in home risk assessments and fraud/scam information.

Discussion was held on other potential funding opportunities; ways to reach out to seniors that may want to use the service and the need for a service such as this.

Moved by Councillor Sandeson  
Seconded by Councillor Boutilier

“That the presentation be received.”

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Moved by Councillor Boutilier  
Seconded by Councillor Cooper

“That the meeting got into closed session at 7:48 pm”.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

Moved by Mayor Blair  
Seconded by Councillor Gregory

“That the meeting reconvene in open session at 9:42 pm”.

Motion Carried Unanimously.

### **Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 9:43 pm.

Suzanne Graham  
Recording Secretary