Report to Rapport au:

Community and Protective Services Committee
Comité des services communautaires et de protection
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and Council
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SUBJECT: CRIME PREVENTION OTTAWA BOARD OF DIRECTORS NOMINATIONS

OBJET: NOMINATIONS AUX CONSEIL D'ADMINISTRATION DE PRÉVENTION DU CRIME OTTAWA

REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Community and Protective Services Committee recommend that Council approve the following representatives of the community be appointed to the Crime Prevention Ottawa Board of Directors for the period 2020-2024:

Dr. Vera Etches Dr. David Rosen Shawana Shah Kelli Tonner

RECOMMANDATIONS DU RAPPORT

Que le Comité des services communautaires et de protection recommande au Conseil municipal d'approuver la nomination des représentants de la communauté suivants au conseil d'administration du Prévention du crime Ottawa pour la période 2020-2024 :

Dre. Vera Etches Dr. David Rosen Shawana Shah Kelli Tonner

BACKGROUND

In 2007 City Council approved the Crime Prevention Ottawa Terms of Reference which require that appointments to the Board be approved by City Council (City Council May 9, 2007, Agenda Item 10, CPSC Report No. 6A, Item no. 6, Report Ref. No. ACS2007-CCS-CPS-0006). As detailed in the said report to Council on May 9, 2007, Crime Prevention Ottawa:

- reports annually to City Council and the community; and
- the Board is comprised of a mixture of Councillors and public members.

On June 26, 2019, Council approved revised Terms of Reference for Crime Prevention Ottawa to allow for a total of 20 members on the Board of Directors with provisions to align the Board of Directors with the requirements of the Safer Ontario Act.

Section 6.2 of the Terms of Reference states that Members of the Board of Directors are appointed for a period of up to 4 years with a possibility of being renewed once.

DISCUSSION

The Crime Prevention Ottawa Board of Directors named a Nominating Committee, which undertook a recruitment process as laid out in the CPO Board Appointment Policy. Recruitment of candidates was done through a widely distributed email and our website. The policy stresses the importance of community representation, diversity of skills, diversity of demographics and inclusion. The recruitment process yielded 19 candidates. The Nominations Committee reviewed the applications, held interviews and recommend made recommendations to the October 7, 2019 meeting of the Board of Directors. The following people are the CPO Board of Directors recommended nominees to be appointed for 2020-2024: Dr. Vera Etches, Dr. David Rosen, Shawana Shah and Kelli Tonner.

RURAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no rural implications.

CONSULTATION

The call for nominations was circulated through a widely distributed e-mail and on our website.

LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no legal impediments to the implementation of the recommendation in this report.

RISK MANAGEMENT IMPLICATIONS

There are no risk implications.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications.

ACCESSIBILITY IMPACTS

CPO hosts a committee called CODA: Connecting on Disability and Abuse, resources for which are overseen by the Board and Board committees.

TERM OF COUNCIL PRIORITIES

There are no impacts on the Term of Council Priorities.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Candidate biographies are held on file with the City Clerk's office.

DISPOSITION

Council and Committee Services to forward the report to Council for approval.