

# MINUTES OF THE CITY OF GRANDE PRAIRIE COUNCIL COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE MEETING

## September 27, 2022, 10:15 A.M. Council Chambers, City Hall

PRESENT J. Clayton Mayor

G. Berg Councillor
G. Blackmore Councillor
D. Bressey Councillor
W. Bosch Councillor
M. O'Connor Councillor
C. Thiessen Councillor

ABSENT K. O'Toole Councillor

ALSO PRESENT A. Miller Deputy City Manager

D. Lemieux Chief Public & Protective Services Officer

D. Whiteway Chief Financial Officer
B. Glavin Chief Operating Officer

A. Van Beekveld Council Committee Coordinator
C. Manuel Executive Director, Emergency &

**Enforcement Services** 

L. Newton Strategic Projects Manager

#### 1. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 12:35 p.m.

#### 2. DISCUSSION ITEMS

#### 2.1 Police Service Model Report

C. Manuel, Emergency & Enforcement Services Executive Director, and L. Newton, Strategic Projects Manager, presented Committee with information regarding the police service model in the City. A detailed Transition and Community Engagement Plan is necessary to ensure adequate consideration is paid to the complex matter of transition from the RCMP to a Grande Prairie Police Service.

**MOVED** by D. Bressey

Committee move In Camera.

CARRIED (7 to 0)

**MOVED by** D. Bressey

Committee meeting resume.

CARRIED (7 to 0)

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### MOVED by M. O'Connor

Committee recommend Council authorize up to \$250,000 from Council's Strategic Initiatives Fund for the development of a detailed Transition and Community Engagement Plan to further assess the opportunity to establish a municipal police service for the City of Grande Prairie.

CARRIED (7 to 0)

3.	ADJOURN MEETING	
	The meeting adjourned at 2:30 p.m.	
		Mayor
		City Clerk