

Background

Councillor Lapierre has advised that he will be resigning from the Greater Sudbury Police Services Board effective June 15, 2020.

Board Composition

As provided by *Police Services Act*, the Greater Sudbury Police Services Board is comprised of five (5) members:

- the Mayor and one (1) member of Council - should the Mayor choose not to be a member of the board, a second member of Council is appointed by resolution of Council;
- One (1) citizen who cannot be a member of Council or an employee of the City of Greater Sudbury is appointed by resolution of Council; and
- Two (2) members are appointed by the Lieutenant Governor.

Two (2) members of Council (Councillors Lapierre and Vagnini) were appointed at the City Council meeting on January 29, 2019. At this time there is a requirement to replace Councillor Lapierre as his resignation will reduce the number of members on the Greater Sudbury Police Services Board.

Selection

The selection of this position is to be conducted in accordance with Article 29.07 of the City of Greater Sudbury's Procedure By-law. Council's procedure requires that in the event more candidates are nominated for the required position(s), then those position(s) will be chosen by a simultaneous recorded vote. Given that meetings of Council are currently occurring by way of electronic participation as a result of the COVID 19 emergency it is proposed that the method of vote be conducted as a recorded vote whereby each member of Council will be called upon by the Clerk to announce their vote. Once the candidate has been selected for the position, a resolution will be introduced confirming the appointment of the successful candidate.

Resources Cited

Police Services Act: <https://www.ontario.ca/laws/statute/90p15>

City of Greater Sudbury Procedure By-law 2019-50: <https://www.greatersudbury.ca/city-hall/by-laws/>