



Staff Report CL2021-025

Title of Report: CL2021-025-Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit Board Appointment – Remainder of Term
Department: Clerks
Branch: Legislative and Council Services
Council Date: October 6, 2021

Recommendation:

Be it resolved that Council receive Staff Report CL2021-025 for information; and
That Council, pursuant to section 24.12 of the Procedural By-law, amend previously adopted resolution number 2018-589; and
That Council appoint Councillor Jim Frew to the Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit Board for the remainder of the appointment term, ending in 2022.

Background:

At the December 5, 2018, Council meeting, appointments were made for various Committee's and Boards. [Staff Report CL2018-033](#) and Resolution No. 2018-589 approved Mayor Woodbury's appointment to the Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit (SMART) Board for the term 2018-2022. Deputy Mayor Milne was appointed as the alternate member to the Board.

Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit is a specialized public transit service providing transportation solutions for those with mental or physical challenges, visual and/or cognitive impairments. SMART services the residents of 9 municipalities throughout Grey and Bruce Counties including the Township of Southgate.

Staff Comments:

Mayor Woodbury has expressed an interest in another member of Council being appointed to the SMART Board for the remainder of the term, ending in 2022 and is suggesting that Councillor Jim Frew be appointed to the SMART board as he is the member of Council with the least number of appointments to boards and committees.

Staff have reached out to SMART staff, who confirmed that there is no issue in appointing a different member at this time and all that they require is a formal letter from Council directing the new appointment.

Financial Implications:

There are no financial implications to the Township as a result of this report.

Communications & Community Action Plan Impact:

This report has been written and presented to Council to communicate accurate information to the public.

Concluding Comments:

That Council receive Staff Report CL2021-025 for information and that Council, pursuant to section 24.12 of the Procedural By-law, amend previously adopted resolution number 2018-589 and that Council appoint Councillor Jim Frew to the Saugeen Mobility and Regional Transit Board for the remainder of the appointment term, ending in 2022.

Respectfully Submitted,

Dept. Head: *Original Signed By*
Lindsey Green, Clerk

CAO Approval: *Original Signed By*
Dave Milliner, CAO

Mayor Approval: *Original Signed By*
John Woodbury, Mayor

Attachments: None