



**Date:** January 26, 2022  
**To:** Municipal Council  
**cc:** Kim Ramsay, Chief Administrative Officer  
**From:** Councillor Michael Perry, Corporate and Residential Services Committee Chairperson  
**RE:** Corporate & Residential Services Committee Report

The Committee held its regular meeting on January 18, 2022 via Zoom. The following motions are coming forward as a result of this meeting:

**1. [2022-2023 BUDGET PRESENTATION, BUSINESS PLANS & TAX ANALYSIS](#)**

The Director of Finance presented a report titled “*Budget and Tax Analysis 2022/2023*”, the presentation ended on Page 49 and will continue at the Budget meeting scheduled on February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2022.

**2. [2022 POLLING DISTRICT REVIEW REPORT #1](#)**

The MGA requires the municipality to conduct a review of its polling districts in 2022 in preparation for the 2024 election. The number of districts has to be reviewed and justified. The district boundaries also have to be reviewed to ensure that the number of electors in each district are generally within +/-10%. In addition, Council could use this review as an opportunity to explore the option of switching to a mayoral system from the warden system. Staff have outlined a process for conducting the review in their report.

The Corporate & Residential Services Committee recommends to Council that ***Council direct staff to bring a further report back to Council (Re: Mayor vs. Warden).***

***As Chair of the Committee, I so move....***

The Corporate & Residential Services Committee recommends to Council that ***Council authorize staff to write a letter to the Government seeking an extension, up to one year, due to Covid restrictions hoping we can have public consultation in person (Re: 2022 Polling District Review)***

***As Chair of the Committee, I so move....***

The Corporate & Residential Services Committee recommends to Council that ***Council authorize staff to conduct the 2022 Polling District Review using the process outlined in the staff report “2022 Polling District Review Report # 1” attached to the Executive Committee Agenda dated January 18th, 2022.***

***As Chair of the Committee, I so move....***

**As Chair of the Committee, I move the adoption of this report.**