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Referred Motion regarding Edmonton Police Commission - Motion and Amendment Tracking Sheet
June 30, 2020 City Council meeting

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Amendment #	Original Wording	Amendment	Mover/ Second	Vote
Main Motion	<p>Original Motion on the Floor (A. Knack - A. Paquette)</p> <p>1. That Administration:</p> <p>a. Work with the commission to bring forward analysis on how many calls for service are driven by mental health, addictions, homelessness or other social and public health factors, and analysis for how many calls could be better responded to by partners through the scale up of</p>	<p>Motion on the Floor - Withdrawn and replaced with revised wording as follows:</p> <p>1. That the Edmonton Police Commission</p> <p>a. Work with the Administration to bring forward analysis on how many calls for service are driven by mental health, addictions, homelessness or other social and public health factors; and how many calls could be better responded to by partners through interagency partnerships without police intervention;</p> <p>b. Work with Administration and</p>	A. Knack / A. Paquette	

	<p>existing programs like REACH's 24/7 Crisis Diversion program, or new programs, with service packages for such programs for consideration as part of the Fall Supplemental Operating Budget Adjustments;</p> <p>b. Approach the City of Calgary and other Cities with Police Services in Alberta to jointly analyse the 'cracks in the system' in Alberta's cities that drive higher crime, disorder, and demand for service for reactive community services including policing to inform the above;</p> <p>c. Engage external subject matter experts to bring a report summarizing trends and change models generally described under "divest" and "defund" including the recently approved Minneapolis decisions, any Canadian contextual examples, and the various demonstrated</p>	<p>the Mayor to approach other mid-sized and large cities in Alberta to jointly analyse the 'cracks in the system' in Alberta's cities that drive higher crime, disorder, and demand for service for reactive community services;</p> <p>2. That Administration:</p> <p>a. Return to Council in Third Quarter 2020 with a plan to create a Community Safety and Well-being Task Force and initiate an inclusive, co-creation process to develop recommendations for the future of community safety in Edmonton, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review of trends and change models generally described under "divest" and "defund" including any Canadian contextual examples; - Analysis of the change model articulated in the End Poverty Edmonton Roadmap and the Plan to End Homelessness; - Review of proven practices that have a impact on reducing racism, discrimination, excessive force, etc, with recommendations for short, medium and long term action (and associated budget implications) and suggested KPIs - Consider development of a detailed plan to integrate social services offered by COE with EPS' CSWB department to better serve 		
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	<p>and proposed change models, including reference to the change model articulated in the End Poverty Edmonton Roadmap and the Plan to End Homelessness;</p> <p>d. That a., b., and c. come back to Committee in September;</p> <p>e. Informed by the above, that budget amendments for Council's consideration for Fall Supplemental Operating Budget Adjustments to freeze the 2021 police budget at 2020 levels, and that the Edmonton Police Service Funding Formula policy C604 be suspended pending review and reframing as a Edmonton Community Safety Funding Policy informed by the analysis directed above;</p> <p>f. Report urgently on options to better hold Transit Peace Officers accountable for excessive use of force, including an arm's length oversight mechanism, and advice</p>	<p>vulnerable Edmontonians, and return to Council within 6 months;</p> <p>b. Informed by the above, that budget amendments for Council's consideration for Fall Supplemental Operating Budget Adjustments to freeze the 2021 police budget at 2020 levels, and that the Edmonton Police Service Funding Formula policy C604 be suspended pending review and reframing as a Edmonton Community Safety Funding Policy informed by the analysis directed above</p> <p>c. Report urgently on immediate options to better hold Transit Peace Officers accountable for excessive use of force, including an arm's length oversight mechanism, and advice on further submissions to the Alberta's Solicitor General on the Police Act</p> <p>3. That the Mayor write to the Solicitor General regarding the pending expedited Police Act review:</p> <p>a. Advocating for an independent oversight mechanism like ASIRT be given the mandate for handling all public complaints about police conduct, appropriately funded to provide the ability to resolve public complaints in a timely fashion</p> <p>b. Advocating that accountability for Transit Police Officers and Peace Officers be subject to the same</p>		
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	<p>on further submissions to the Alberta's Solicitor General on the <i>Police Act</i>.</p> <p>2. That the Mayor write to the Solicitor General regarding the pending expedited <i>Police Act</i> review:</p> <p>a. Advocating that an independent mechanism like ASIRT be given mandate for handling all public complaints about police conduct;</p> <p>b. That similar mechanisms for Peace Officer oversight and accountability be strengthened in provincial legislation; and</p> <p>c. Clarity of provincial law and policy with respect to Carding and Street Check policy and any findings and implementation plans arising from the Province's recent review that can be shared.</p> <p>3. That the Mayor, on behalf of City Council, write to the Edmonton Police</p>	<p>independent oversight body identified in 2.a</p> <p>c. Clarity of provincial law and policy with respect to Carding and Street Check policy, and any findings and implementation plans arising from the Province's recent review that can be shared</p> <p>4. That the Mayor write to the Edmonton Police Commission asking for the following</p> <p>a. Advice to Council on EPC's perspective on opportunities to strengthen the public complaints about police conduct, particularly around excessive force complaints, as part of the Police Act review</p> <p>b. To invite participation in the work outlined in part 1, including proposals prior to budget for "smart on community safety and wellbeing" changes to policy, funding, programs and partnerships.</p> <p>c. To hold a public hearing and public inquiry on the EPS street check policies based on community concerns about informal Carding</p> <p>d. To provide information to Council on Dash and Body camera implementation pathways given Federal announcements, including costs and timelines</p>		
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	<p>Commission asking for the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. To provide advice to Council's on EPC's perspective on opportunities to strengthen the public complaints about police conduct, particularly around excessive force complaints, as part of the <i>Police Act</i> review;b. To invite participation in the work outlined in part 1, including proposals prior to budget for "smart on community safety and wellbeing" changes to policy, funding, programs and partnerships;c. To hold a public hearing and public inquiry on the EPS street check policies based on community concerns about informal Carding;d. To provide information to Council on Dash and Body camera implementation pathways given Federal announcements,			
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	including costs and timelines.			
1		<p>That following be added to part 1:</p> <p>That the Edmonton Police Commission ask the EPS to review the 2018 consultant's report entitled City of Edmonton Street Checks Policy and Practice Review and report on work or plans to implement the consultant's recommendations to enhance accountability in regards to the ways Police interact with racialized or vulnerable people, by October 2020</p>	S. McKeen / D. Iveson	
2	<p>4. That the Mayor write to the Edmonton Police Commission asking for the following</p> <p>c. To hold a public hearing and public inquiry on the EPS street check policies based on community concerns about informal Carding</p>	That item 4.c be deleted	S. McKeen / D. Iveson	
3		<p>That the following be added to part 4:</p> <p>That the Mayor writes to the Edmonton Police Commission asking for an analysis of how military style equipment and enforcement tactics are required to support community safety, along with a proposed pathway and options to "demilitarize" the Edmonton Police Service along with the implications of this direction.</p>	M. Walters / T. Cartmell	

4		<p>That the following be added to part 2:</p> <p>As part of the forthcoming Bylaw review, administration include an analysis of bylaws commonly used in pretence policing (e.g. loitering, jaywalking, interfering with lawn furniture, riding a bicycle on a sidewalk) including suggestions for clarification, revision or repeal</p>	B. Esslinger / A. Knack	
5	<p>b. Informed by the above, that budget amendments for Council's consideration for Fall Supplemental Operating Budget Adjustments to freeze the 2021 police budget at 2020 levels, and that the Edmonton Police Service Funding Formula policy C604 be suspended pending review and reframing as a Edmonton Community Safety Funding Policy informed by the analysis directed above</p>	<p>That part 2 b be replaced as follows:</p> <p>Prepare budget amendments for Council's consideration for Fall Supplemental Operating Budget Adjustments to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - amend the EPS budget from 2021 levels by \$16M with reductions split over the 2021 and 2022 budget years; - Suspend the Edmonton Police Service Funding Formula policy C604 pending review and reframing as an Edmonton Community Safety and Wellbeing Funding Policy informed by the analysis directed above; - Re-direct savings realized partners within the human services / social safety net ecosystem with advice from the Community Safety Task Force; - Explore the creation of a joint dispatch Centre that includes mergers and amalgamations of all social service ecosystem partners to ensure the right services and units (ranging from fire to police to peace officers to EMS to crisis diversion or 	T. Cartmell / A. Knack	

		mental health teams) are being appropriately and efficiently dispatched to calls for service;		
6		<p>That the following be added to part 2:</p> <p>Invite a proposal from the EPC that considers amending the the scope of this Commission to oversight of the public safety and human services ecosystem, including specifically financial oversight, to better achieve a balanced approach to community safety within Edmonton;</p>	T. Cartmell / A. Knack	
7		<p>That the following be added to part 3:</p> <p>Advocating for a mechanism that allows EPS to have the authority to provide a level of service based on high priority of community and low risk to harm for officers that thus allows members within the police service to deployed without a firearm, with a different uniform or without a uniform</p>	T. Cartmell / D. Iveson	
8		<p>That the following be added to part 1:</p> <p>Engage external subject matter experts to bring a report summarizing an in-depth analysis of all monies spent within participating cities listed above in b) in the human services / social safety net ecosystem, including but not limited to police, COE, Fire, and other orders of government, charitable donations and fundraising proceeds, with a goal to</p>	D. Iveson / A. Knack	

		leverage all expenditures into better system outcomes (and reduced demand for system intakes).		
9		<p>That the following be added to part 1:</p> <p>That Edmonton Police Commission work in cooperation with the Edmonton Public School Board to review the School Resource Officer Program and report on budget implications of suspending the program, creating alternative programming during the review process, and suspending the program in the interim.</p>	A. Paquette /A. Knack	
10		<p>That the following be added to part 2:</p> <p>That Administration return with a report on options for disarming City of Edmonton Community Standards Officers, Municipal Enforcement Officers, Transit Peace Officers.</p>	A. Paquette / A. Knack	
11	<p>2. That Administration:</p> <p>a. Return to Council in Third Quarter 2020 with a plan to create a Community Safety and Well-being Task Force and initiate an inclusive, co-creation process to develop recommendations for the future of community</p>	<p>That part 2 a be replaced as follows:</p> <p>Return to Council in August 2020 with a bylaw and terms of reference to create a Community Safety and Well-being Task Force and initiate an inclusive, co-creation process to develop recommendations for the future of community safety and well-being in Edmonton, for recommendations to City Council in First Quarter 2021, including:</p>	D. Iveson / S. McKeen	

	safety in Edmonton, including:			
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SUBSEQUENT MOTIONS

Mover / Seconder	Motion	Vote