

Association of Manitoba Municipalities

Municipal Officials Seminar

Issue: Policing In Manitoba

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AGENDA

- 1. Policing costs in Manitoba**

- 2. RCMP Strategic Operating Review**

- 3. Updates:**
 - a. Community Safety Officer**
 - b. Mental Health Escorts**
 - c. Prisoner Escorts**

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Policing Agreements and Services

Extension Policing Service Agreement

1. Town of Arborg
2. Municipality of Deloraine-Winchester
3. Gilbert Plains Municipality
4. Municipality of WestLake-Gladstone
5. Grandview Municipality
6. Hamiota Municipality
7. Town of Lac du Bonnet
8. Municipality of North Norfolk
9. Municipality of Pembina
10. Town of Melita
11. Town of Powerview-Pine Falls
12. Village of St. Pierre Jolys
13. Municipality of Ste. Rose
14. Town of Teulon
15. Town of Winnipeg Beach

Independent Town/City Police Service

1. Town of Altona
2. City of Brandon
3. City of Morden
4. Riverdale Municipality (Rivers Police Service)
5. Town of Ste. Anne
6. City of Winkler
7. City of Winnipeg

Municipal Police Service Agreement

1. Town of Beausejour
2. Municipality of Boissevain-Morton
3. Town of Carman
4. City of Dauphin
5. City of Flin Flon
6. Town of Gillam
7. Municipality of Gimli
8. Municipality of Killarney-Turtle Mountain
9. Town of Minnedosa
10. Town of Neepawa
11. LGD of Pinawa
12. City of Portage la Prairie
13. Municipality of Hillsburg-Roblin-Shell River
14. Municipality of Russell-Binscarth
15. City of Selkirk
16. Municipality of Souris-Glenwood
17. City of Steinbach
18. Town of Stonewall
19. Town of Swan River
20. Town of The Pas
21. City of Thompson
22. Town of Virden

Municipal Sub-Contract

1. Town of Carberry
2. Town of Morris
3. Town of Niverville

Policing in Manitoba - FAQ's

1. When are municipalities responsible for providing for policing?

Answer: *The Police Services Act* outlines the responsibility for policing in Manitoba

PART 3 RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROVIDING POLICING IN MANITOBA

Policing in large urban municipalities

13(1) An urban municipality with a population over 5,000 must ensure that policing services are provided in the municipality by

- (a) establishing its own police service;
- (b) entering into an agreement with the Government of Canada to have the Royal Canadian Mounted Police provide policing services in the municipality;
- (c) entering into an agreement with one or more municipalities to jointly operate a regional police service that will provide policing services in those municipalities; or
- (d) entering into an agreement with another municipality to have that other municipality's police service provide policing services in the municipality.

Policing in mid-sized urban municipalities

13(2) An urban municipality with a population between 750 and 5,000 must ensure that policing services are provided in the municipality by

- (a) establishing its own police service;
 - (b) entering into an agreement with the Government of Manitoba to have the Royal Canadian Mounted Police provide policing services in the municipality under an agreement entered into under section 18;
 - (c) entering into an agreement with one or more municipalities to jointly operate a regional police service that will provide policing services in those municipalities; or
 - (d) entering into an agreement with another municipality to have the police service for that other municipality provide policing services in the municipality.
- 13(1) (b) refers to Municipal Police Service Agreements
- 13(2) (b) refers to either an Extension Policing Service Agreement or a Municipal Sub-Contract

2. Who provides for policing when the municipality is not responsible?

Answer: The Province of Manitoba as per *The Police Services Act*

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RESPONSIBILITY FOR PROVIDING POLICING IN MANITOBA

Policing in other areas of Manitoba

- 14(1) Unless policing services are being provided in accordance with subsection (2), the minister must ensure that policing services are provided in
- (a) an urban municipality with a population under 750;
 - (b) a rural municipality; and
 - (c) any part of Manitoba that is not in a municipality

3. How is policing responsibility affected by amalgamation?

Answer: This is outlined in *The Municipal Act*

AMALGAMATION AND ANNEXATION REGULATIONS

Amalgamation — policing services

- 46.1 If, prior to it being amalgamated, a municipality (in this section called the "old municipality") included in its operating budget an amount for policing services, the amalgamated municipality
- (a) must
 - (i) include in its operating budget a comparable amount, or the amount determined in a comparable manner, and
 - (ii) expend the amount to pay or defray the costs of policing services in the old municipality; and
 - (b) may levy an additional tax against the property in the old municipality to meet the obligations under clause (a).