

Stewart, April

From: Office, Clerks
To: Dean, Robyn
Subject: RE: Correspondence for Upcoming BOPC meeting

From: Dean, Robyn
Sent: October-15-19 3:04 PM
To: Office, Clerks <clerks@halifax.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence for Upcoming BOPC meeting

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From: Perusse, David
Sent: October-15-19 2:41 PM
To: Dean, Robyn <deanr@halifax.ca>
Subject: FW: Correspondence for Upcoming BOPC meeting

From: Borden, Natalie <[REDACTED]>
Sent: October-15-19 1:46 PM
To: Perusse, David <perussd@halifax.ca>; Arjoon, Kevin <arjoonk@halifax.ca>
Subject: Correspondence for Upcoming BOPC meeting

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Sending along to be included in the agenda. Thanks. Natalie

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From: Nicoll, Lorelei <nicoll@halifax.ca>
Date: Sat, Oct 12, 2019 at 8:31 PM
Subject: Fwd: [External Email] Re: [External Email] Re: [External Email] Seeking Information
To: Natalie Borden <[REDACTED]>

Hi Natalie

I am forwarding the attached email as requested by the resident.

Lorelei

Lorelei Nicoll, Councillor
District 4, Cole Harbour Westphal
902-478-2705

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Begin forwarded message:

From: Bradley Clark [REDACTED]
Date: October 12, 2019 at 7:43:10 PM ADT
To: "Nicoll, Lorelei" <nicoll@halifax.ca>
Subject: [External Email] Re: [External Email] Re: [External Email] Seeking Information

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Please do

On Sat, Oct 12, 2019 at 17:51 Nicoll, Lorelei <nicoll@halifax.ca> wrote:

Regional Council has not discussed this and no doubt the subject will be brought to the Police Commission.

I will forward your concerns to the Chair of the Police Commission if you wish.

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On Oct 12, 2019, at 5:12 PM, Bradley Clark [REDACTED] wrote:

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Hi Lorelei

Whilst gun control is under federal jurisdiction, the Liberals have stated they would give municipalities the power on whether or not to ban hand guns if they are re elected on the 21st. Hence my question on where the HRM stands on this matter.

Regards
Brad Clark

On Sat, Oct 12, 2019 at 16:39 Nicoll, Lorelei <nicoll@halifax.ca> wrote:

Thank you for your email on this subject, Bradley.

I will share your comments with Mayor Savage.

I have not taken part in any discussions on this subject as gun control is under federal jurisdiction.

I trust you provided your comments to your federal representative.

Kind regards,

Lorelei

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On Oct 4, 2019, at 1:25 PM, Bradley Clark [REDACTED] wrote:

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Hello Ms Nicolls,

I have emailed in the past and have always received clear and concise answers from you with regard to my questions. I am hoping you would be able to indulge me once again.

With the Federal Election in a matter of weeks one of the things Mr Trudeau and his Party have promised was to allow municipalities the power to ban handguns to fight crime. As a gun owner who has passed the tests, have had extensive military and civilian training with firearms and as a restricted firearms owner I get run through the CPIC data base in what is called a Continuous Eligibility Check I am concerned to how this may play out. Ms Nicolls there is no doubt that the HRM has a crime problem but that problem is not caused by legal gun owners such as myself. I think you would find most of the firearms used in those crimes were brought in from outside the country. If a handgun ban was implemented in HRM, it would not only affect myself but 100s if not 1000s of other residents. You would either force us to move, force us to get rid of some very valuable property that are secured properly within the limits and in most cases exceeding the RCMP rules for firearms storage. If we were forced to store them at our ranges you would be forcing those ranges to drastically upgrade storage space that they may not have. My membership is with the Musquodoboit Valley Rifle and Revolver Club which is some distance from the city as you know. Storing firearms in an isolated area like that would definitely entice the criminal element to "go shopping". There are several local businesses that rely on the sale of handguns, ammunition and accessories that help employ citizens of the HRM. A ban would force a lot of these people out of business or force them to cut down the number of employees that they employ. I work periodically at Nova Tactical in Burnside and see local RCMP, HRPD as well as members from the Naval Maritime Tactical Operations Group come in and train on their respective firearms not to mention the scores of people who come through the doors on a daily basis to shoot firearms for the first time.

As Mayor Savage is a former Liberal MP, myself as well as many others are wondering his stance and are watching with some degree of fear. We took some measure of comfort when the HRPD stated they would not support a handgun ban but since they work for the Mayor and the city, they will take their orders from him.

In closing I urge you not to support such drastic measures that would effect only those that obey the law.

**With Regards,
Bradley Clark.**

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Sent from My Aye Phone