

Request for Council's Consideration			
<input type="checkbox"/> Included on Agenda (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Thursday)	X	Added Item (Submitted to Municipal Clerk's Office by Noon Monday)	<input type="checkbox"/> Request from the Floor
Date of Council Meeting: October 19, 2021			
Subject: Administrative Order 1 – Return to In-Person Meetings			
Motion for Council to Consider: That Halifax Regional Council restore the following sections of Administrative Order 1: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 19 (agenda review must determine the body to hear requests for presentations);• 25 (location of meetings of Council);• 27 (placement of the mace before meeting called to order);• 30 (order of the seating of Members);• 32 (people within the bar without consent);• 33 (placing items on the desk or distributing materials without Clerk's consent);• 84 (decorum during voting);• 87 (waiting for the mace to be removed before leaving their place);• 88 (Members must be seated during voting); and• 91 (method of voting).			
Reason: On April 2, 2020 in accordance with Provincial direction, all municipalities were ordered to discontinue meetings in person. As part of enacting virtual meetings sections of Administrative Order 1 were suspended by motion of Council. A motion of Regional Council is required in order to reverse this decision.			
Outcome Sought: A motion to restore sections of Administrative Order 1 as part of returning to in-person meetings			
<i>Deputy Mayor Outhit</i>		<i>District 16</i>	