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Bylaw 2016-XX False Alarm Prevention

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Administration Recommendation

Administration supports the motions as presented.

Purpose

In a workshop, Council requested Administration to present possible measures of reducing Fire Services' response to nuisance alarm calls.

Summary

Administration will present the data and financial impact that nuisance fire alarm calls has on Parkland County. A conceptual False Alarm Prevention Bylaw will be presented to the Committee of the Whole for review and discussion prior to presenting the Bylaw to Council.

Strategic Plan/Policy/Legal/Staff Implications

By implementing a cost recovery process, there will be additional workload on Fire Services to track and invoice for nuisance alarm calls. Financial Services will also see a slight increase with processing payments and managing unpaid invoices.

Financial Impact:

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Cost:

Source of Funding: