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**To:** Mayor Evans and Members of Council

**From:** Steve Harvey, Chief Municipal Law Enforcement Officer  
By-law Department

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**Report Number:** MLE-008-24

**Meeting Date:** 18 Sep 2024

**Subject:** **Civic Holiday Long Weekend Activity Report for 2024**  
Our File No:

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## Recommendation

THAT Municipal Law Enforcement Report MLE-008-24 regarding Civic Holiday Long Weekend Activity Report be received as information;

## Background/Analysis

This report covers the activities from Friday August 2nd, 2024 through to Monday, August 5th, 2024; with the Monday being the Civic Holiday.

Note: 2023 Civic Long Weekend Report was from Friday August 4th, 2023 to Monday August 7th 2023.

Note: 2022 Civic Long Weekend Report was from Friday July 29th, 2022 to Monday August 1st 2022.

## Weather

	2022	2023	2024
<b>Friday</b>	Clear 23°C	Overcast 19°C	Sun/cloud 27°C
<b>Saturday</b>	Clear 23°C	Clear 19°C	Clear 28°C
<b>Sunday</b>	Clear 25°C	Clear 22°C	Clear 28°C
<b>Monday</b>	Clear 27°C	Overcast 18°C	Light rain/cloud 18°C

## Complaints

Below is a breakdown of the activities undertaken by the Municipal Law Enforcement Department.

Type of By-Law Complaint	2022	2023	2024
Parking:	16	18	20
Noise:	14	12	10
Dog:	10	8	6
Short-Term Rental:	0	15	6
Sign:	8	4	5
Clean Yards:	0	4	4
Fireworks:	11	4	4
Parks:	9	1	4
Roadside Debris:	9	10	3
Zoning:	0	0	3
Fire:	4	5	2
Parks (Cawaja):	0	0	2
Littering:	0	0	2
Watering:	1	0	1
Encroachment:	0	1	1
Total Complaint Received:	<b>82</b>	<b>83</b>	<b>73</b>

The year over year complaints decreased from last year with some noteworthy differences within some of the complaint categories. Staff analyzed these differences and would draw the following conclusions or comments:

**Roadside Debris:** The roadside debris complaints decreased by seven (7) when compared to 2023. Staff have analyzed this change and found the decrease in occurrences is associated to the nice weather which consequently led to the beaches being more occupied and an increase in reactive complaints. As a result, this provided officers with less opportunity to focus on proactive roadside debris by-law violations.

**Short-Term Rentals:** Staff analyzed the complaints received over the course of the Civic Long Weekend and determined that of the seventy-three (73) complaints received, six (6) were related to Short-Term Rental properties. This a decrease from the fifteen (15) complaints in 2023. Staff analyzed the occurrences and believe the decrease in complaints compared to 2023 is related to greater awareness of the program rules and staffs enforcement that has been implemented regarding the Short-Term Rental By-Law.

- **Unlicensed (4)**
- **Noise (1)**
- **Less than 6 day rental (1)**

## 2. Parking Tickets Issued

Location	2022	2023	2024
Jackson Park MBP	51	42	38
Balm Beach MBP	27	10	32
Concession 16 W/Lafontaine Rd MBP	24	15	32
Trew Ave MBP	12	5	18
Concession 11 West	6	6	17
Concession Road 4 West (Waterview)	8	7	15
Tiny Beaches Road South	33	4	15
Balm Beach Road West	8	5	7
Tiny Beaches Road North	7	1	6
Concession 13 West	4	2	6
Miscellaneous	94	46	90
<b>Total:</b>	<b>274</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>276</b>

MBP - Beach Park with Master Plan

## 3. Charges

The following chart illustrates the type and number of charges issued over this time period.

Type of Charge	2022	2023	2024
<b>Dog</b> - Permit dog on Balm Beach between June 1 and Sept 30	3	0	1
<b>Parks</b> - Light, set stoke or maintain a fire in a park	1	0	1
<b>Noise</b> - Cause or permit a noise from any electronic device or other sound producing equipment	1	0	1
<b>STR</b> - Permit the rental of Premise for fewer than 6 consecutive days (April 15-October 15)	0	2	0
<b>Noise</b> - Permit a noise from a domestic pet or animal due to barking, calling or whining	0	1	0
<b>Fire</b> - Fail to obtain a Burning Permit	0	1	0
<b>Parks</b> – Have barbeque upon Balm Beach	1	0	0
<b>TOTAL:</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3</b>

#### 4. Bike Program

General Patrol/Parking Strategy – 2 Officers Focus: Balm Beach			
Comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Staff educated the public on paid parking options and enforcement.</li> <li>-Education about Township By-laws (Dogs, Parks, and fireworks)</li> <li>- Bikes were pulled on Sunday afternoon due to a need for more officers in vehicles to attend reactive complaints.</li> </ul>		
General Patrol/Parking Strategy – 2 Officers Focus: Tiny Trail, Lafontaine and Woodland			
Comments	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Staff educated the public on paid parking options (HotSpot or parking machines)</li> <li>-Education about Township By-laws (Dogs, Parks, Smoking Policy)</li> <li>- Bikes were pulled in the afternoon on Monday due to a need for more officers in vehicles to attend reactive complaints.</li> </ul>		
	Total # of Hours	Total # of km	Total # of Tickets
<b>TOTAL 2024</b>	<b>36.5 HOURS</b>	<b>225.5 KM</b>	<b>0 Part I Tickets</b> <b>86 Part II Tickets</b>
TOTAL 2023	40 HOURS	325 KM	0 Part I Tickets 38 Part II Tickets
TOTAL 2022	59.5 HOURS	331 KM	4 Part I Tickets 75 Part II Tickets

#### Reviewed By Other Departments

N/A

#### Financial Implications

N/A

#### Relationship to Strategic Plan

N/A

#### Conclusion

The next activity report from the By-Law Department will be the Labour Day Long Weekend Activity Report. This report is anticipated for the Committee of the Whole Meeting on October 9th, 2024.

Haley Leblond, Director of  
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Approved - 05 Sep 2024

Robert Lamb, Chief Administrative  
Officer Pending