

MUNICIPALITY OF THE COUNTY OF ANNAPOLIS

SPECIAL MUNICIPAL COUNCIL AGENDA

9:00 a.m. – Tuesday, November 8, 2022 (Immediately preceding regular Committee of the Whole) Municipal Administration Building, 752 St. George Street, Annapolis Royal, NS

- 1. ROLL CALL
- 2. DISCLOSURE OF INTEREST
- 3. APPROVAL of the AGENDA (Order of the Day)
 That municipal council approve the Order of the Day as circulated.
- 4. NEW BUSINESS
 - **4.1** That municipal council approve *AM-1.4.25 Closure of Portion of Park Street* (*Bridgetown*) *Policy* in accordance with seven-day notice given on 2022-10-25.

ADJOURNMENT

5. THAT Municipal Council adjourn this special session.

Municipal Services	Closure of Portion of Park Street (Bridgetown) Policy	
POLICY AND ADMINISTRATION MANUAL		AM-1.4.25

PURPOSE

To close a portion of Park Street in the community of Bridgetown, and that all rights of the public user be forever extinguished.

GENERAL PROVISIONS

The County of Annapolis hereby closes to the public use of a portion of the street known as Park Street, Bridgetown as described in "Schedule A" attached.

Clerk's Annotation for Official Policy Book I certify that this policy was adopted by Municipal Council as indicated below:		
Council Approval	PENDING October 25, 2022	
-	<u>PENDING</u>	
Clerk	Date	
At Annapolis	Royal, Nova Scotia	

AM-1.4.25

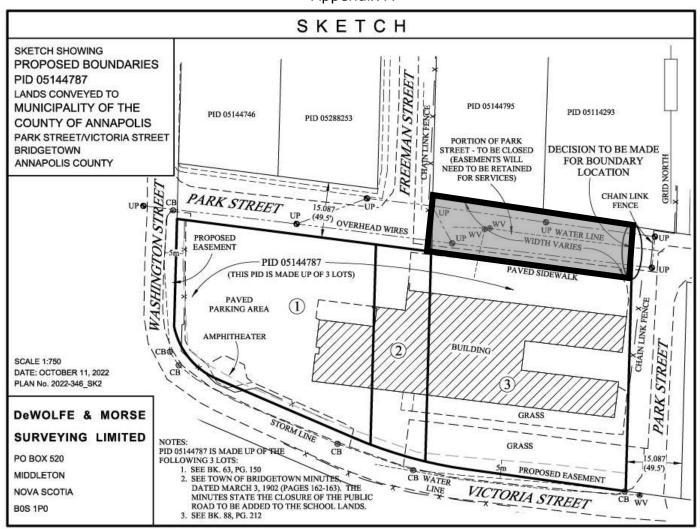
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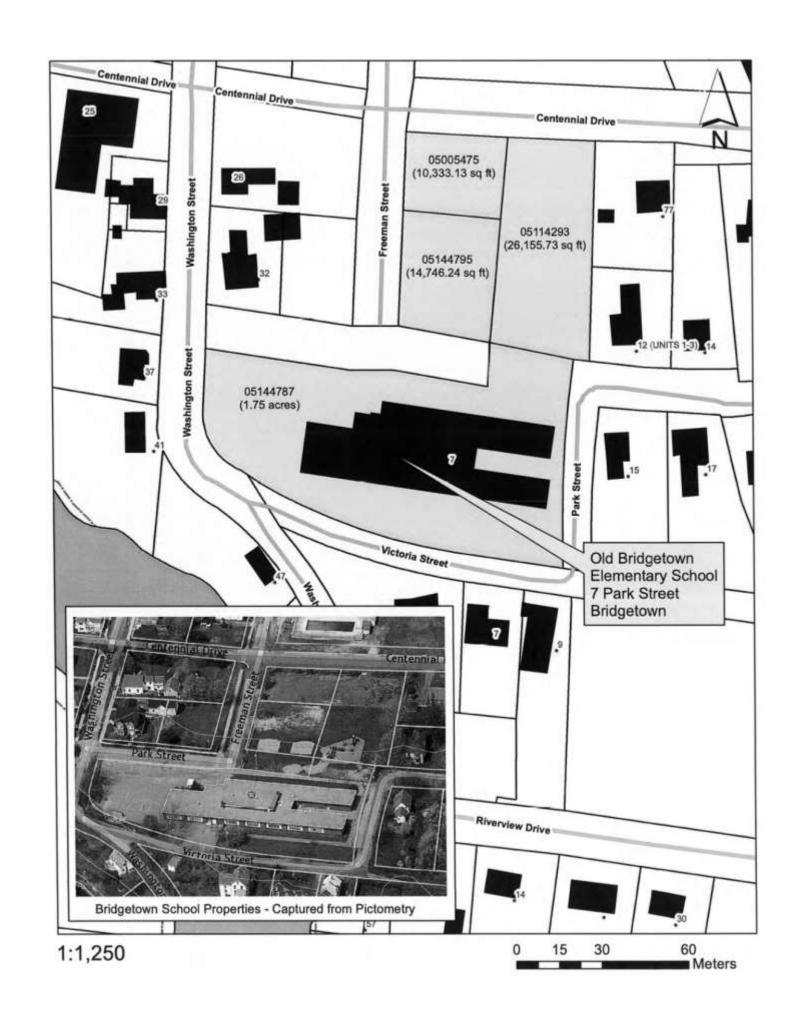
Section Subject

Municipal Services

Closure of Portion of Park Street (Bridgetown) Policy

Appendix A





Excerpt from Municipal Government Act:

A. Street closure

- 315 (1) The council may, by policy, permanently close any street or part of a street and the council shall hold a public hearing before passing the policy.
- (1A) Notwithstanding subsection (1), where a street or part of a street is being altered, improved or redesigned, part of that street may be closed without holding a public hearing under subsection (1) if
 - a. the part of the street that remains open
 - i. is open to vehicular and pedestrian traffic, and
 - ii. meets all the municipal standards; and
 - b. the part of the street that is closed
 - i. is determined by the engineer to be surplus, and
 - ii. is worth less than fifty thousand dollars.
- (2) The council shall give notice of its intent to close the street by advertisement in a newspaper circulating in the municipality.
- (3) The notice shall set out the time and place of the public hear- ing at which those in favour or opposed to the street closing will be heard and describe the street to be closed sufficiently to identify it.
- (4) A copy of the notice shall be mailed to the Minister of Public Works before the public hearing.
- (5) A copy of the policy passed by the council, certified by the clerk under the seal of the municipality, incorporating a survey or a metes and bounds description of the street that is closed, shall be filed in the registry and with the Minister of Public Works.
- (6) Upon filing the policy in the registry, all rights of public user in the land described in the policy are forever extinguished and the municipality may sell and convey the land or may subsequently reopen the land as a street in the manner required by this Act. 1998, c. 18, s. 315; 2004, c. 44, s. 4; O.I.C. 2007-553; O.I.C. 2021- 56; O.I.C. 2021-209.