

To: Members of the General Committee

From: Allan Seabrooke, Commissioner of Community Services

Meeting Date: December 3, 2018

Subject: Report CSD18-011

**Peterborough Drug Strategy Annual Report** 

## **Purpose**

A report to update Council on the Peterborough Drug Strategy's activities and accomplishments in 2017.

## Recommendation

That Council approve the recommendation outlined in Report CSD18-011 dated December 3, 2018, of the Commissioner of Community Services, as follows:

That the presentation from Evan Brockest and Peter Williams, members of the Peterborough Drug Strategy, be received for information.

## **Budget and Financial Implications**

The City of Peterborough provided \$32,113 in funding to the Peterborough Drug Strategy in 2018.

## **Background**

The Peterborough Drug Strategy Task Force was established in April 2009 by the Peterborough County City Health Unit, Peterborough Aids Resource Network, Peterborough Lakefield Community Police Service, and Four Counties Addiction Services. The Peterborough Drug Strategy (PDS) is a collective that unites stakeholders in Peterborough City and County to develop collaborative solutions to minimize the harms of substance use for individuals, families and our community.

The PDS works to improve health, safety, and well being of citizens with an approach based on the four pillars of prevention, harm reduction, enforcement and treatment.

Submitted by,

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