General Committee Report No. 18 Meeting of July 17, 2019

To the Council of The City of Peterborough for consideration at its special meeting held July 17, 2019

The General Committee as a result of its special meeting held on July 17, 2019 recommends as follows:

1. Emergency Location for Overflow Beds

- 1. That Staff prepare, open and operate overflow beds in the downstairs auditorium in the main branch of the Peterborough Public Library when other shelters are at capacity. That the operating hours for the overflow beds space be 9:00 PM until 8:00 AM.
- 2. That the additional costs required for the overflow beds, including for adequate security and cleaning services, be funded from the Homelessness Reserve.
- 3. That Staff implement such policies and practices as required to ensure the safe operation of the interim overflow beds.
- 4. That Staff be delegated the authority to close the temporary location when a longer-term location for overflow beds is available.
- 5. That the CAO and City Clerk be authorized to enter into such agreements as necessary for the provision of overflow beds and ancillary services.

Submitted by,

Councillor Riel Vice-Chair July 17, 2019