City of Kelowna Regular Council Meeting AGENDA



February 2, 2016 4:00 pm Knox Mountain Meeting Room (#4A) City Hall, 1435 Water Street

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Chauffeur's Permit Appeal Hearing Richard Souter
- 3. Termination

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Kelowna RCMP Central Okanagan Traffic Services

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Kelowna file: 2015-32558

Mr. Richard SOUTER 515 Sutherland Avenue Kelowna, BC V1Y 5X3 Tel: (250) 681-6024

June 25th, 2015

Dear Mr. SOUTER:

Re: City of Kelowna Chauffeur's Permit - Pursuant to City of Kelowna By-Law No. 6466-89

Please be advised that at this time your chauffeur permit has been denied. After a review, this decision was based on information that you have an outstanding warrant of arrest from Alberta for Impaired Driving/ Over .08 and Fail to Appear.

This warrant was previously discussed with you on March 14th, 2012 Kelowna file 2012-9594. At that time you were issued a four (4) months temporary permit expiring on July 14th, 2012 on the bases that you were to comply and address the warrant.

On July 13th, 2012 you were issued a second temporary permit for two (2) months expiring on September 30th, 2012 on the same bases as the first temporary permit.

On September 28th, 2012 you contacted our office and provided documents revealing that you had cleared the warrant out of Alberta and you were then issued a permanent Chauffeur's Permit at that time.

It has now come to our attention that the arrest warrant has been reinstated due to the fact that the Impaired Driving/ Over .08 were not dealt with in court. Because of this the additional charge of Fail to Appear was also added. We have also reviewed the letter that you prepared and forwarded to our attention explaining the reasons why the charges have not been addressed to date.

Section 9 of the City of Kelowna By-Law No. 6466-89 indicates that "where the Chief of Police, on proof of his/her satisfaction, believes that a person holding a chauffeur's permit under this by-law, by reason of his/her use of or dealing in intoxicants or narcotic drugs, or has been convicted of a criminal offence in Canada or for any reason, is unfit to act as a chauffeur, he/she may suspend or cancel the permit.

Please note that you may appeal to the City Council by filing a Notice of Appeal with the City Clerk, who will schedule your appeal at a public Council meeting.

Should you have any questions regarding this letter, please contact me at (250) 980-5353.

Sincerely,

Sgt. Patty COOK NCO i/c Central Okanagan Traffic Services Kelowna RCMP

CC. Kelowna City Clerk