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Should be an information item for future meeting.

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Re: Municipal Drug Strategy Members, Town of Gananoque, Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands, Township of Rideau Lakes

Good afternoon everyone,

I hope this message finds you well. I am writing to inform you that, after careful consideration, we have made the decision to pause the local Municipal Drug Strategy Committee – Town of Gananoque, Township of Leeds and the Thousand Islands and Township of Rideau Lakes, for the remainder of the municipal term.

As you are aware, the committee's effectiveness heavily relies on leadership and coordination, and currently, we do not have a designated Chair to steer our efforts. Without this key role filled, we believe it is in the best interest of the committee and the organization to temporarily suspend our meetings and activities until we are able to secure appropriate leadership.

We truly appreciate the commitment and hard work that each of you has contributed thus far. Your involvement has been invaluable, and we remain hopeful that we will be able to resume our work in the near future under new leadership.

We will keep you informed of any developments regarding the reorganization of the committee. Please do contact Marcia with any suggestions or questions in the meantime, by replying to this email.

Thank you once again for your understanding and continued support.

Warm regards,

Kimberley Marshall and Marcia Maxwell

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