

Decision Letter

Nominating Panel – Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal

Meeting No. 4
Meeting Date Thursday, November 30, 2023
Start Time 3:00 PM
Location Committee Room 4, City Hall/Video Conference

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ND4.1	ACTION	Amended		Ward: All
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Appointment of Public Members to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal

Confidential Attachment - Personal matters about identifiable individuals who are being considered for appointment to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal.

Panel Recommendations

The Nominating Panel - Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal recommends that:

1. City Council appoint the following candidates to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal for a term of office beginning January 1, 2024 and ending on November 14, 2026, and until successors are appointed:

Matthew Brown
Nigel Waterman

Decision Advice and Other Information

The Nominating Panel - Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal:

1. Directed that Confidential Attachments 1 to 3 to the report (November 21, 2023) from the City Clerk remain confidential in their entirety as they relate to personal matters about identifiable individuals being considered for appointment to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal.

Candidates' biographies:

Matthew Brown

Matt is a lawyer practicing municipal law in Toronto. His practice focuses on the defence of public authorities. He also has significant experience with regulatory matters and complex by-law prosecutions especially the municipal regulatory response to the sharing economy. Prior to

practicing municipal law, Matt defended lawyers as preferred counsel for the Lawyers' Professional Indemnity Company.

Nigel Waterman

Nigel Waterman is an adjudicator with over 25 years experience. He holds a Master's degree in Public Administration and completed the Certificate in Adjudication for Administrative Agencies, Boards and Tribunals.

Origin

(November 21, 2023) Report from the City Clerk

Summary

At its meeting on November 30, 2023, the Nominating Panel – Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal considered Item [ND4.1](#) and made a recommendation to City Council.

Summary from the report (November 21, 2023) from the City Clerk:

The Nominating Panel – Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal will conduct interviews and recommend two candidates to City Council for appointment to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal.

Background Information

(November 21, 2023) Report from the City Clerk on Appointment of Public Members to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal

(<https://www.toronto.ca/legdocs/mmis/2023/nd/bgrd/backgroundfile-241070.pdf>)

Confidential Attachment 1 - List of Candidates, Qualifications, Confidential Diversity Information Summary, and Applications for Appointment to the Dangerous Dog Review Tribunal

Confidential Attachment 2 - Interview schedule for November 30, 2023 (to be circulated once available)

Confidential Attachment 3 - Candidate completed assignments (to be circulated once available)