

SCHEDULE “B”

BY-LAW NUMBER 11-2023

FEES, CHARGES, REVENUES AND RECOVERIES DURHAM REGIONAL POLICE SERVICE

FALSE ALARMS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION OF CHARGES FOR POLICE RESPONSE TO MONITORED FALSE ALARMS.

REGISTRATION OF ALARM SYSTEMS

Central Monitoring Stations (the “Stations”) will be required to sign a Service Agreement with the Regional Municipality of Durham Police Services Board (the “Board”), which will detail the procedures to be followed by the Stations when placing an alarm call for service to the Durham Regional Police Service (the “Service”). The Service will draft the Service Agreement, which may be amended from time to time to reflect current practices with respect to the False Alarms Management Program.

To be eligible to participate in the False Alarms Management Program, the Stations must not have any outstanding balances owing to the Board concerning charges for attendance at false alarms.

Calls for service made by the Stations must be verified by one of the methods outlined in the Service Agreement. Non-verified alarm activations will be accepted at a lower priority level of response.

FALSE ALARM PROGRAM

The Stations will be required to pay a fee to the Board for each false alarm call received by the Service. The fee will be an amount prescribed by and set out in Schedule “A” of this By-law. Any further fees or charges related to the False Alarms Management Program will be detailed in the Service Agreement and set out in Schedule “A” of this By-law.

NON-REGISTERED CENTRAL MONITORING STATIONS

Calls for service to alarmed premises made by Stations not enrolled in the False Alarms Management Program will not be accepted by the Police Service until the property owner calls them in.

In circumstances where a call for service to alarmed premises is received directly from a resident or proprietor of the Region of Durham and the Service ultimately determines the call to be a false alarm, the resident or proprietor, as the case may be, will be responsible for paying a false alarm fee to the Board as set out in Schedule “A” of this By-law.