

**STAFF REPORT: BUILDING & BY-LAW DEPARTMENT**



**REPORT TO:** Finance & Admin. Committee  
**MEETING DATE:** August 19, 2008  
**REPORT NO.:** SRB.08.44  
**SUBJECT:** Security Alarm Statistics  
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**A. Recommendations**

THAT Council receive Staff Report SRB.08.44 for information purposes.

**B. Background**

The Finance & Administration Committee at its meeting of June 2008 requested statistical information related to the Town's Security Alarm By-law, in particular the number of Residential and Non-Residential Registrations, Notices Issued and Fees Collected, be provided at its next meeting.

**Residential and Non-Residential Registrations  
(To July 2008)**

Registration Type	2007	2008	Registration Fees Collected
Residential Registrations	467	95	\$14,050.00
Non-Residential Registrations	32	14	\$2,300.00

**Notices Issued  
(To July 2008)**

Notice Type	2007	2008	Total Number of Notices
"Friendly" to Non-Registered	12	76	88
\$200.00 Fee Non-Registered		13	13
"Friendly" to Registered	11	52	63
1 <sup>st</sup> Notice (No Fee)		12	12
2 <sup>nd</sup> Notice (\$50 Fee)		3	3
3 <sup>rd</sup> Notice (\$100.00 Fee + Suspension)		13	13

OPP incident reports have been provided up to July 31st, 2008. From these reports, the Security Alarm Coordinator has issued Notices to those property owners responsible for false dispatches to June 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008. Notices issued post that date represent the "collectibles" related to the Program.

**C. The Blue Mountains' Strategic Plan**

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**D. Budget Impact**

Revenue year to-date in the amount of \$4,050.00 is lagging behind budget projection and will likely fall short of same at year end by approximately 40%.

**E. Addendums**

N/A



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