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Province Seeks Partner for Inter-Municipal Transit Service

The Province is exploring opportunities for an inter-municipal transit service to better connect rural communities with Halifax Regional Municipality (HRM) and address transportation affordability.

A request for information was issued April 15, to gauge service provider interest and ability to operate transit services between rural communities within 100 kilometres of Halifax and key destinations in HRM. It would offer regular, dependable schedules and routes suitable for daily commuting.

The request for information will: Identify prospective service providers, their interest and their ability to provide services and provide project information, including issues, opportunities and challenges anticipated by service providers.

Inter-municipal transit would ideally connect to existing fixed-route services run by municipalities, with reasonably priced fares. New or enhanced park and ride sites could be established at key locations to enable passenger access, and buses would be equipped for longer trips to ensure passengers can travel comfortably.

Enfield RCMP charge man with assault; multiple weapons seized

RCMP Halifax Regional Detachment has charged a man with multiple counts of assault with a weapon following an altercation in Enfield. On April 18, at approximately 9:45 p.m., officers responded to a report that a man had been stabbed at a home on Jonah Dr. after an argument.

Upon arrival, officers located and safely arrested a man outside the residence. A second man was found on the front deck with a stab wound to his shoulder, and a third man was located inside the residence with an injury to his forehead. Both injured men were transported to hospital with non-life-threatening injuries. A woman was also present at the scene but was not physically injured.

Officers seized a knife, a baseball bat and a hammer. Jason Alexander Dillman, 40, of Enfield, has been charged with: Assault with a Weapon (three counts); Possession of a Weapon for a Dangerous Purpose and Forcible Confinement.

Dillman appeared in Dartmouth Provincial Court on April 20 and remains in custody until his next scheduled court appearance on April 22.

Changes to Senior Leadership of Public Service

Premier Tim Houston announced changes to the senior leadership of the public service on April 14.

Stephen MacDonald is joining the Province as Deputy Minister of Energy. Mr. MacDonald is a chartered professional accountant and the former president and CEO of EfficiencyOne. Under his leadership, EfficiencyOne has grown to become a leading energy efficiency organization.

"Nova Scotia is becoming an economic powerhouse. From Wind West to critical minerals, we are unleashing Nova Scotia's untapped potential," said Premier Houston. "I'm excited to have Mr. MacDonald join the team at the Department of Energy as we shape the future of our economy."

Karen Gaten, the current Deputy Minister of Energy, will become Deputy Minister of Advanced Education. She retains her Executive Deputy Minister responsibilities. Ms. Gaten takes over the portfolio from Tracey Barbrick, who continues as Deputy Minister for Education and Early Childhood Development.

The appointments took effect Wednesday, April 15.

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Bearcats hold on for Game 4 Victory, Inch Closer to Metalfab MHL Cup Championship

Truro defeats Edmundston 4-3 to take a 3-1 lead in the Metalfab MHL Cup Final

The Truro Bearcats scored twice in the 1st period and twice in the second period en route to a 4-3 win in Game 4 and are closing in on their fifth MHL title.

Truro got on the board first with a goal from Nathan Curson just 1:50 into the 1st period. Charles-Éric Tremblay tied the game at 15:48 with a goal for Edmundston, but Matthew Bolduc answered under two minutes later at 17:43 to give the Bearcats a 2-1 lead after the opening 20 minutes.

In the 2nd period, Truro scored two quick goals to build a 4-1 lead as Samuel Vachon found the back of the net at 2:09 and captain Liam Welsh scored at 3:07. The Blizzard fought back, however. Alexis Chénard cut the lead to 4-2 with a goal at 9:56, and Lucas Fortin fired a shot through a crowd past Bearcats goaltender Louca Connolly on the powerplay to make it 4-3.

Neither team could score in the 3rd period as they tightened up defensively, with the



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Blizzard outshooting Truro just 6-4 in the final frame. Truro closed out the victory and have now taken a 3-1 series lead. Connolly made 26 saves for the victory, while Cedric Massé had 19 saves in the loss.

Game 5 is back at the Rath Eastlink Community Centre in Truro on Monday, April 27 and the Metalfab MHL Cup will be in the building.

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