

# **CRIME STOPPERS/ÉCHEC AU CRIME**

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Councillor Eli El-Chantiry Chair Ottawa Police Services Board Champlain Room 110 Laurier Avenue West Ottawa, Ontario K1P 1J1

## Subject: NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA CRIME STOPPERS: SEMI ANNUAL REPORT

Dear Councillor El-Chantiry;

Thank you for the opportunity to provide our Semi-Annual Report. We look forward to providing you with our semi-annual update on our progress and outline some of the initiatives being worked on.

Our report will outline the following:

#### Board Governance

We held our 2022 Annual General Meeting to report on our 2021-year end results in August 2022. Elections were held and I was pleased to be confirmed for another term as president and chair of our organization. All other member of our Executive Committee were also confirmed for another term. Our board remains committed to our mandate and we look forward to continuing to serve our community. We continue to seek community members to join our board. We have several candidates that we hope will join our team. We also had to opportunity to recognize several members with milestones, having served for five- and ten-year terms

#### **Statistics**

Sharing of our statistics continues to demonstrate the success and positive impact of Crime Stoppers. We will provide our October summary during our in-person submission. Year to date numbers continue to demonstrate impactful number of tips being generated. At the end of September 2022, we received 3537 anonymous tips with. 339 tips being received in September

#### Community Outreach

Raising awareness about our Anonymous TIP program continues to yield results. Connecting with the community continues to be effective at soliciting tips from the public. We were pleased to receive a financial donation from Kelly Funeral Home/Arbor Memorial.



Our volunteers participated at several community events, including a community safety day hosted by Councilor Hubley in Kanata. We enjoyed connecting with the community.



Crime Stoppers volunteers helped raise awareness and food donations at a community event hosted by local grocery retailer Loblaws. The Loblaw College Square store hosted a successful cram-a-cruiser event, and we were pleased to help support this cause.



We hosted a successful fundraising Golf Tournament in July with over \$25,000.00 raised to support our operations. Volunteers and partners helped us share information while having a fun day of golf with over 140 golfers. We appreciate having City of Ottawa councilor support along with our Ottawa Police partners joining us for this event.



#### **Financial**

Crime Stoppers continue to maintain a sound financial position. Our 2022 Golf Tournament was held on Wednesday, July 18, 2022, at the Pine View Golf Course. This event helped us raise over \$25,000.00 to support our program. The Canadian Security Association (CANASA) once again selected us as their charity of choice for their August 2022 Golf Tournament. This event helped us raise much needed funds in support of Crime Stoppers.

On behalf of the board of directors of Crime Stoppers, please accept our thanks for your continued support and encouragement. We look forward to sharing our success with you during your next invitation. In the meantime, please feel free to contact me directly if you have any questions or require any further information.

Yours respectfully,

### NATIONAL CAPITAL AREA CRIME STOPPERS

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