

Ottawa Police Services Board
Agenda 38- Monday 26 April, 2021
COMMUNICATION: *Email dated April 16, 2021 from Sabrina Gannon*

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From: Sabrina Gannon

Sent: April 16, 2021 8:18 PM

Subject: Comments for the OPSB meeting on April 26th

Hello,

The community has provided hours of engagement with you around their concerns and comments related to the Ottawa police. In light of the added restrictions and powers being granted to police during this pandemic, I ask that you really listen to this feedback. The citizens you represent are not interested, and in fact feel threatened and unsafe, in the presence of Ottawa's police. Specifically, I'm asking that you pay very close attention to Ottawa's police during this period and consider reducing the budget in the event of any violence or harassment on the part of the police. A freeze is the bare minimum and is what I would expect given the issues in the force thus far; I'm asking the board to be bold.

Thank you,

Sabrina