

Report to / Rapport au:

**OTTAWA POLICE SERVICES BOARD
LA COMMISSION DE SERVICES POLICIERS D'OTTAWA**

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SUBJECT: SCHEDULE OF CONFERENCES AND CAPG WEBINARS IN 2018

**OBJET: CALENDRIER DES CONFÉRENCES ET DES WEBINAIRES DE
L'ACGP POUR 2018**

REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Ottawa Police Services Board receive this report for information.

RECOMMANDATIONS DU RAPPORT

**Que la Commission de services policiers d'Ottawa prenne connaissance du
présent rapport à titre d'information.**

BACKGROUND

The Ottawa Police Services Board recognizes the importance of ongoing training and education for its members through its policies, and in particular, through the Board Training Policy #GA-3 adopted in 2006 in response to a recommendation from the City's Auditor General. The Board also ensures that sufficient funds are included in its budget each year to support this commitment and enable Board members to attend various learning opportunities throughout the year.

The Board recommended during its 2017 Performance Review that during the first meeting of each year, a list of upcoming conferences and training opportunities be circulated to Board members for information.

DISCUSSION

To assist Board members in planning their annual training and education, Documents 1 and 2 provide a list of the most relevant conferences and webinars in 2018 that might be of interest to police services board members.

In terms of conferences, detailed information will be distributed on each as it is received and Board members will be canvassed at that time on whether they wish to attend a particular conference. Once canvassing has taken place, a report is submitted to the Board for approval of attendance.

The Board's Training Policy encourages each Board member to attend the annual conferences of the two organizations noted below at least once within the first two years of being appointed to the Board (see Document 1 for dates).

- a) Ontario Association of Police Services Boards (OAPSB)
- b) Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG).

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

Funds were included in the 2018 Police Services Board budget for attendance at conferences and conventions in accordance with the Board's training policy.

SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION

Document 1 – Police-Related Conferences in 2018

Document 2 – 2018 CAPG Webinars

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All costs are estimates

(Bolded entries are considered priorities for Police Board members)

| Organization | Dates | Location | Estimated Cost/Person |
|---|--------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Police Association of Ontario (PAO) Annual Employment Conference | 26 – 27 February | Richmond Hill, ON | \$1,700 |
| Ontario Association of Police Services Boards (OAPSB) Annual Meeting & Conference | 23 – 26 May | Blue Mountain, ON | \$2,500 |
| Canadian Association of Civilian Oversight Of Law Enforcement (CACOLE) - Annual Conference | 27 – 30 May | Winnipeg, MB | \$2,850 |
| Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police (OACP) Annual Meeting & Conference | 10 – 13 June | Deerhurst, ON | \$3,000 |
| Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG) Annual Conference & Meeting | 8 – 12 August | Winnipeg, MB | \$2,700 |
| Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP) Annual Conference | 2 – 15 August | Halifax, NS | \$2,900 |
| Ontario Association of Police Services Boards (OAPSB) Fall Labour Seminar | TBD | Toronto, ON | \$1,800 |

Document 2 – 2018 CAPG Webinars

January 24, 2018

Politics and Police Governance: Relationship challenges between the City and the Board

February 2018

Evidence Based Policing: The Gap in Police Oversight Research

March 2018

Protecting the Victims: What Boards & Commissions Need to Know about Victims Services Program

April 2018

Tiered Policing – The Way of the Future

May 2018

Mental Health and Police Resources: Peel Study

June 2018

Planning and Budget Development for Police Services

July 2018

Lost in Transition: VPD Interactions with Vulnerable Populations – 10 Years Later What Has Changed?

August 2018

Recruiting, Retaining and Promoting Tomorrows Leaders

September 2018

Strategic Planning and Adapting to Change

October 2018

Board Self-Evaluation – Asking the Right Questions

November 2018

Economics of Policing: Complexity & Costs in Canada

December 2018

Police Service Performance Measurement and What the Research Tells Us