

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 2022

**OBJET: CALENDRIER DES CONFÉRENCES ET DES WEBINAIRES DE
L'ACGP POUR 2022**

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 2022 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 2022 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 2022

Document 2 – 2022 CAPG Webinars – *Draft Schedule*

Document 1 - Police-Related Conferences in 2022

(Bolded entries are considered priorities for Police Board members)

Please note that some conferences are being held virtually, or tentatively scheduled as in-person pending Covid-19 restrictions. Cost estimates will be made once registration fees are made available.

Organization	Dates	Location	Estimated Cost/Person
Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP) Equity, Diversity and Inclusion Conference	7 – 9 March	Ottawa, ON	\$728.85
Canadian Association of Chiefs of Police (CACP) Police Leadership Conference	3 – 5 April	Vancouver, BC	TBC
Ontario Association of Police Services Boards (OAPSB) Annual Meeting & Conference	25-27 May	In-Person, location TBC	TBC
Canadian Association of Civilian Oversight of Law Enforcement (CACOLE) - Annual Conference	15 - 18 May	Victoria, BC	TBC
Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police (OACP) Annual Meeting & Conference	12-15 June	Niagara on the Lake, ON	TBC
Canadian Association of Police Governance (CAPG) Annual Conference & Meeting	7 – 11 September	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	TBC
Ontario Association of Police Services Boards (OAPSB) Fall Labour Seminar	17 - 18 November	TBD	TBC

Document 2 – 2022 CAPG Webinars

25 January

Understanding the Thin Blue Line and what it means for Police Governance Authorities

15 February

Churn at the Top – Why is it so hard to get and keep the right Chief?

17 March

Leaning on the Community

21 April

Understanding Risk for Police Boards and Commissions

19 May

CAPG Research Roundtable

14 June

Predictive Policing & Charter Issues

21 July

Update on Implementation of Body Worn Camera Policies

16 August

Lessons Learned from a Pandemic

22 September

Artificial Intelligence and Police Policy, Privacy and Operations

18 October

Successful Recruitment Strategies

15 November

Excellence in Police Governance in Canada – are we there yet?

6 December

Measuring the Success of your Police Leadership