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LANARK COUNTY OPP DETACHMENT BOARD AND POLICING ACTIVITIES 2024 ANNUAL REPORT

Introduction

The Lanark County Detachment Board (“Detachment Board”) works with the Lanark County OPP Detachment Commander to meet objectives and priorities for the detachment and to provide community input related to policing provided. This collaboration helps to ensure strategic priorities identified by the OPP reflect local community safety goals, while meeting the governance requirements under the Community Safety and Policing Act (CSPA) and providing an avenue for community concerns to be heard and addressed.

Annual Reporting Requirements

Annual reporting requirements are outlined in Section 68 (1) of the CSPA and state the Detachment Board shall:

(f) on or before June 30 in each year, provide an annual report to the municipalities and band councils regarding the policing provided by the detachment in their municipalities or First Nation reserves (2019, c. 1, Sched. 1, s. 68 (1); 2023, c. 12, Sched. 1, s. 28; 2025, c. 6, Sched. 4, s. 2 (1)).

This report has been prepared in accordance with the CSPA requirement for the Lanark County Detachment Board.

2024 Activities

The Lanark County OPP Detachment Board did not officially come into effect until its inaugural meeting on April 23, 2025. Prior to this, the Lanark County Detachment Transition Committee met four times in 2024 (Feb. 2, March 1, June 28 and Oct. 29) to develop the framework of operations for the new Detachment Board.

Governance

The Lanark County Transition Committee was comprised of the following members:

Reeve Richard Kidd, Township of Beckwith (Chair)
Councillor Dena Comley, Town of Carleton Place
Reeve Steve Fournier, Township of Drummond/North Elmsley
Councillor Denzil Ferguson, Municipality of Mississippi Mills
Deputy Mayor Ed McPherson, Town of Perth
Reeve Rob Rainer, Township of Tay Valley
Councillor Ron Closs, Township of Lanark Highlands
Reeve Karen Jennings, Township of Montague

Carleton Place CAO Diane Smithson was the Acting Secretary-Treasurer for the Detachment Board.

Appointment of Members

The Transition Committee made decisions related to the size of the Detachment Board and submitted a request to the Ministry of the Solicitor General in 2024 to reduce the initially proposed size of the Detachment Board from 20 members to 12. This would include eight council representatives (one from each municipality), two community representatives and two provincial appointees. Once approved by the Ministry, the members would be sworn in at the inaugural meeting in 2025.

In 2024, advertisements were prepared to seek candidates for the eight community representatives and for a permanent part-time Board Secretary-Treasurer.

The Ministry of the Solicitor General approved the request for the reduction in the OPP Detachment Board size on November 18, 2024. Correspondence was received from Sarah Caldwell, Assistant Deputy Minister, Strategic Policy Division, to this effect (See Appendix A). O. Reg 581/24, amending O. Reg 135/24 was made under the Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019 on December 9, 2024 to approve the new 12-member Board size (See Appendix B).

Following the initial Ministry of the Solicitor General notification on November 18, 2024, in December 2024, the Transition Committee agreed on a process to choose the two community representatives from the applicants who applied to the advertisements issued for the eight community representatives. The selection of the two community representatives was to be finalized by the end of the first quarter 2025.

Detachment Board By-laws and Policies

The Transition Committee drafted several key documents for municipal approval in anticipation of the implementation of the new Detachment Board in 2025, including:

- Terms of Reference
- Procedural By-Law
- Remuneration Policy
- Travel and Expense Policy

Additional Activities

The Transition Committee drafted the Detachment Board budget and made decisions regarding the nature of municipal contributions to the budget and payment frequency, as well as such operational needs as document storage, IT support

services, website requirements, equipment needs, municipal financial service provision and provision of insurance for the Detachment Board. Forms were created for members related to remitting expenses.

2024 Lanark County OPP Policing Activities

The OPP undertook a process to develop a new portal and report template for Detachment Annual Reports, which are replacing what was previously referred to as the Progress Report. This was released at the end of June 2025.

The Lanark County Detachment 2024 Detachment Board Annual Report can be found in Appendix C.

Appendix A

November 18, 2024 letter re: Notification of Intention to Amend OPP Detachment Board Composition

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Subject: Notification of Intention to Amend O.P.P. Detachment Board Composition

November 18, 2024

Diane Smithson
CAO
Carleton Place Township

Richard Kidd
Reeve and Council
Beckwith Township

Dear Ms. Smithson and Reeve Kidd,

I am writing to provide you with an update about the detachment board framework and composition for the Lanark County OPP detachment.

I acknowledge the efforts made by the municipalities on this board to develop a revised composition proposal for the detachment. I also recognize that this has not been an easy undertaking for all eight municipalities, and that the communities in the detachment were unable to arrive at a unanimous consensus. We thank you for your diligence and patience with each other, and us, in trying to seek a solution. While the final revised composition of the board for the detachment was referred to the Solicitor General of Ontario for decision, we hope that it will prove workable for all.

By way of this letter, I am confirming that the composition for the detachment will be revised to reduce the size of the board members to 12 from the previously approved 20 members.

The following board composition has been approved:

O.P.P. Detachment	Current Composition	Amended Composition
Lanark County O.P.P. Detachment	One member appointed by each of the following municipalities, who is a member of the council of the municipality, for a	One member appointed by each of the following municipalities, who is a member of the council of the municipality, for a total of eight members: Beckwith Township, Town of Carleton Place, Drummond-North Elmsley

	<p>total of eight members: Beckwith Township, Town of Carleton Place, Drummond-North Elmsley Township, Lanark Highlands Township, Municipality of Mississippi Mills, Montague Township, Town of Perth and Tay Valley Township.</p> <p>One member appointed by each of the above municipalities, who is neither a member of the council of, nor an employee of, the municipality, for a total of eight members.</p> <p>Four members appointed by the Minister.</p>	<p>Township, Lanark Highlands Township, Municipality of Mississippi Mills, Montague Township, Town of Perth and Tay Valley Township.</p> <p>Two members appointed jointly by the above municipalities, who are neither members of the council of, nor employees of, any of the municipalities.</p> <p>Two members appointed by the Minister.</p> <p><i>Please note: The phrasing of the amended composition in the regulation may differ from the language used above.</i></p>
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This amendment to the regulation will be made in the coming months. Should you have any questions about the regulation or regarding the composition for your detachment please contact Rachel Ryerson, Manager, Public Safety and Policing Policy Unit (PSPPU), Rachel.Ryerson@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

Sarah Caldwell
Assistant Deputy Minister, Strategic Policy Division

CC:

Cathy Ryder, CAO, Drummond-North Elmsley Township;
Suzanne Charbonneau-Dent, CAO, Lanark Highlands Township;
Ken Kelly, CAO, Municipality of Mississippi Mills;
Allison Vereyken, Clerk Administrator, Montague Township;
Micheal Touw, Deputy Clerk, Town of Perth;
Amanda Mabo, CAO/Clerk, Tay Valley Township

Appendix B

December 20, 2024 letter re: O. Reg. 135/24 OPP Detachment Board regulatory amendment

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December 20, 2024

Diane Smithson
Chief Administrative Officer
Town of Carleton Place
dsmithson@carletonplace.ca

Dear Diane Smithson,

I'm pleased to share the regulatory amendment made to O. Reg. 135/24 O.P.P Detachment Boards has now been filed. This includes the amendments to the composition of the Lanark County O.P.P Detachment Board, as notified in my letter sent November 18, 2024.

A copy of the amending regulation now appears on e-laws: ([O. Reg. 518/24 O.P.P. DETACHMENT BOARDS | ontario.ca](#)).

Should you have any questions about the regulation or regarding the composition for your detachment board please contact Rachel Ryerson, Manager, Public Safety and Policing Policy Unit, Rachel.Ryerson@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,

Sarah Caldwell
Assistant Deputy Minister, Strategic Policy Division

CC: Chief Administrative Officers of communities: Cassandra McGregor, Clerk Administrator, Township of Beckwith
Cathy Rider, Chief Administrative Officer, Township of Drummond-North Elmsley
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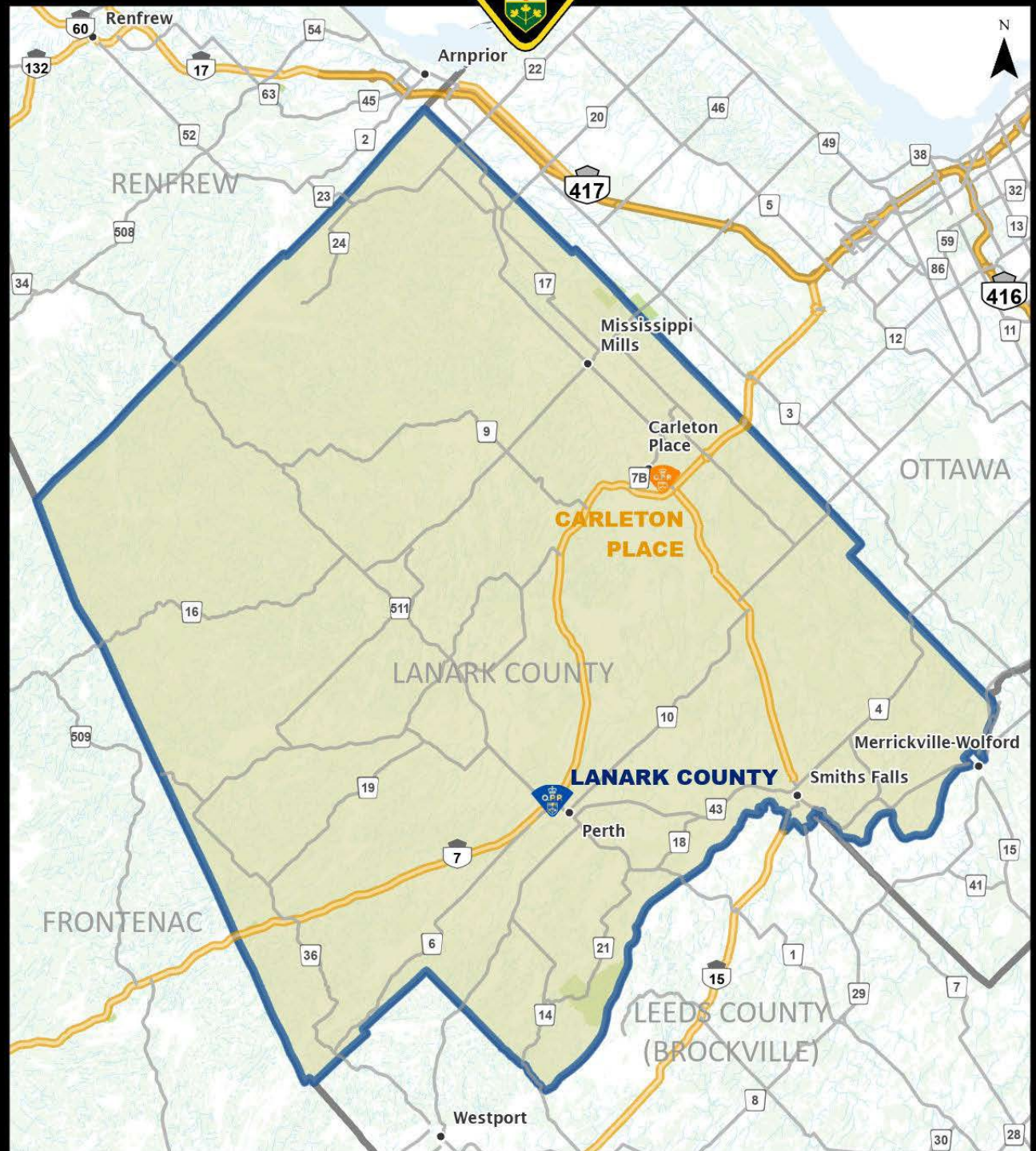
Appendix C

Lanark County Detachment 2024 Detachment Board Annual Report



LANARK COUNTY DETACHMENT

2024 DETACHMENT BOARD ANNUAL REPORT



	GENERAL HEADQUARTERS		SATELLITE		400 Series Highway		Detachment Boundary		First Nation
	REGIONAL HEADQUARTERS		OPP ADMINISTERED FN		Provincial Highway		Township Boundary		Provincial Park
	HOST DETACHMENT		OPP FN		Major Road		Non-OPP Policed		

2023-2025 STRATEGIC PLAN

Priorities and Commitments



PEOPLE

A healthy and resilient OPP

We will strive to support all members in achieving their professional and personal best.

WORK

A responsive and evolving OPP

We will empower our members to ensure the best possible policing services are delivered to Ontarians.

COMMUNITIES

A collaborative and progressive OPP

We will partner and build relationships with a shared vision for safety and well-being.

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Message from the Detachment Commander

I am pleased to present the Lanark County Detachment – 2024 OPP Detachment Board Annual Report. This report includes crime, traffic enforcement and community well-being data, and highlights initiatives and successes from the past year. 2024 represents the midway point of the Lanark County Detachment 2023-2025 Action Plan and this report provides updates on our progress in meeting our Action Plan commitments. Our Detachment remains committed to the service of our community.



I am proud of the work undertaken by our detachment. In 2024, we maintained our commitment to traffic safety and prioritized using focused patrols, to ensure safe roadways, waterways and trails in our communities.

We have seen an increase in calls for Intimate Partner Violence (IPV). We have embedded a Detachment Abuse Issues Investigator (DAII) in the Detachment to ensure we hold offenders accountable. We remain victim centric strengthening our relationship with Victim Services and the Victim Advocate program (Interval House) and increasing referrals to ensure that victims are supported in our community.

We continued to leverage technology, including Body Worn Cameras, In-Car Cameras, and Automated Licence Plate Readers to support with the collection of evidence, increase transparency and enhance public and officer safety.

Our Detachment Community Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Council continued to engage with groups and organizations in our area to build relationships and promote community safety and well-being.

In 2025, we will be working with Lanark OPP Detachment Board to form the 2026-2029 Lanark County Detachment Action Plan. This work will include engaging with community members to ensure the needs of the communities we serve will be reflected in the commitments we make. Development of the 2026-2029 Lanark County Detachment Action Plan will coincide with the creation of the 2026-2029 OPP Strategic Plan to ensure organizational alignment and support.

The Lanark County Detachment – 2024 OPP Detachment Board Annual Report begins to bridge the gap between *Police Services Act* (PSA) and *Community Safety and Policing Act* (CSPA) reporting requirements. In collaboration with relevant OPP program areas, working groups and the Lanark OPP Detachment Board, this report will continue to develop in the years to come to include content from the OPP Detachment Board Chair(s) and additional data and updates from the OPP.

From detachment administrative staff to frontline uniform members to specialty units to supervisors, our members continue to serve with pride, professionalism and honour. As we anticipate future challenges and opportunities for policing and community safety, we remain dedicated to our mission of serving our communities by protecting citizens, upholding the law and preserving public safety.

Inspector Kerlous Tawdrous
Detachment Commander
Lanark County Detachment

Summary of Commitments

Through analysis and consultation, the following areas of focus were identified for the years 2023-2025.

Crime	Roadways, Waterways and Trails	Community Well-Being
<p>Reduce and prevent crimes against persons while increasing the support for victims, particularly those affected by IPV.</p> <p>To reduce the number of property crime offences by focusing on the most prevalent types of property crime.</p> <p>To focus on individuals that traffic illicit drugs in our communities.</p>	<p>To focus enforcement on the “Big 4” causal factors of motor vehicles collisions on our roadways/waterways (impaired driving, lack of seat belt use, speeding and inattentive driving).</p> <p>Effectively address traffic-related concerns identified by our local municipalities.</p>	<p>Lanark County Detachment is committed to building trust through diversity, equity and inclusion initiatives.</p> <p>Collaboration with community partners to increase available supports offered to the most vulnerable community members.</p> <p>Reduce the proliferation of opioid use/overdoses within Lanark County.</p> <p>Implement the newly signed Lanark County/Smiths Falls Police Hospital Transfer of Care Protocol.</p>

2024 Crime Progress Updates

Commitment	Progress Update
<p>Reduce and prevent crimes against persons while increasing the support for victims, particularly those affected by IPV.</p>	<p>We have worked with our partners to spread education and awareness of Intimate Partner Violence (IPV). IPV occurrences continued to increase, driven by a multitude of factor including population growth in the County.</p> <p>We had a 13% increase in IPV Calls for Service (CFS) in 2024 compared to 2023.</p> <p>We have embedded a Detachment Abuse Issues Investigator (DAII). This member is assigned to review all crimes against person occurrences and provide their expertise to enhance victim support and safety planning. This member provides their expert advice on investigative steps and will assist throughout the course of the investigation ensuring we hold offenders accountable.</p> <p>We remain victim centric strengthening our relationship with Victim Services and the Victim Advocate program (Interval House) and increasing referrals (19% and 10% year over year) to ensure that victims are supported.</p> <p>We have increased our training to officers on IPV investigations to ensure they have the tools needed to investigate complex files.</p>
<p>To reduce the number of property crime offences by focusing on the most prevalent types of property crime.</p>	<p>In 2024 Property Crime decreased by 12% compared to 2023.</p> <p>The Community Street Crime Unit (CSCU) continue to target individuals committing property crimes such as break and enters, and serial thefts.</p> <p>We have increased our patrol hours by over 40% to ensure officers are visible in our communities to detour and respond to crime.</p>
<p>To focus on individuals that traffic illicit drugs in our communities.</p>	<p>The Community Street Crime Unit (CSCU) continues to work cooperatively with the Organized Crime Enforcement Bureau and municipal policing partners targeting organized crime and community specific illicit substance traffickers.</p> <p>CSCU is committed to ensuring public safety and delivering proactive and innovative policing. CSCU has utilized numerous investigative techniques to combat the illicit distribution of opioids.</p> <p>In 2024 we did not have any fatal opioid overdoses, a change from previous years as we remain committed to stopping the flow of drugs in our communities.</p>

2024 Roadways, Waterways and Trails Progress Updates

Commitment	Progress Update
To focus enforcement on the “Big 4” causal factors of motor vehicles collisions on our roadways/waterways (impaired driving, lack of seat belt use, speeding and inattentive driving).	In 2024 Lanark County detachment members issued a total of 2,673 charges relating to the Big 4. This is an increase of 9% over the 5-year average as we remained focused on roadway, waterway and trail safety. We used intelligence led focused patrols to target areas of high motor vehicle collisions.
Effectively address traffic-related concerns identified by our local municipalities.	Lanark County Detachment is fortunate to have strong collaboration with the 8 municipalities in the County. The municipalities have a Speed enforcement Policy to ensure that they use technology to provide police with accurate data of vehicle speeds on the roadways that allows police to target areas of concern through enforcement action.

2024 Community Well-Being Progress Updates

Commitment	Progress Update
Lanark County Detachment is committed to building trust through diversity, equity and inclusion initiatives.	<p>Lanark County Detachment has created a Detachment Community Liaison Committee (DCLC) comprised of Community members including those from the BIPOIC community (Black, Indigenous and People of Colour). Lanark Detachment utilized the DCLC committee to ensure transparency and consult on community prioritizes, as we continue to work on building stronger relationships.</p> <p>Lanark County Detachment partnered with the Upper Canada District School Board (UCDSB) to ensure safe and inclusive schools. This included officers attending schools and participating in readings that taught children about inclusivity.</p> <p>Lanark Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee attended various events across the County and set up educational presentations to our officers on various cultures and backgrounds.</p>
Collaboration with community partners to increase available supports offered to the most vulnerable community members.	Lanark County Detachment has remained committed to collaboration, it has increased referrals to our Victim Services Program, Victim Advocate Program (Interval House), and our Mobile Crisis Response Team (MCRT). We continue to work closely with all partners and stakeholders understanding that community safety is a shared responsibility.
Reduce the proliferation of opioid use/overdoses within Lanark County.	In 2024 we did not have any fatal opioid overdoses, a change from previous years as we remain committed to stopping the flow of drugs in our communities.
Implement the newly signed Lanark County/Smiths Falls Police Hospital Transfer of Care Protocol.	Lanark County Detachment lead and implemented a Police Hospital Transition of Care Protocol through collaboration with Perth & Smiths Falls Hospitals, Mississippi River Health Alliance, Smiths Falls Police, and Lanark County Paramedics Service. The Hospital Transition protocol ensures that all providers collaborate to ensure adequate resources are engaged.

Other Community Updates

Recognizing the increasing need for mental health-related supports, Lanark County Detachment continues to collaborate with Lanark County Mental Health (LCMH) to deploy our Mobile Crisis Response Team (MCRT), which consists of officers, nurses and social workers. The detachment remains committed to providing coordinated and expert response to crisis-related calls for service. The nurses that work in the MCRT provide on-scene crisis assessments. MCRT has been able to divert patients away from the Hospital (when possible) and ensure that they are connected to services available in the County.

Lanark County Detachment continued to engage with diverse groups and organizations in our area to build relationships and promote community safety and well-being. Lanark County Detachment created a Detachment Community Liaison Committee (DCLC) that was made up of community members including those from the BIPOC, LGBTQ+ and disability advocates to be able to gather their various perspectives and continue to build police trust.

Throughout the year, the Lanark County Detachment attended schools for foot patrol, presented about police to summer camps, and attended several sports and community events. Officers routinely participated in Assessment of Risk to Others (ARTO/VTRA) meetings to assist with supporting school and youth who may be struggling with psychosocial issues or discipline; officers were then also engaging with the youth's family to provide wrap-around support. The Detachment members organized various events to continue to foster trust with the youth including Special Olympics, Skate with a Cop, and open houses.

Calls for Service

Table 1.1

All CAD Events*	Immediate Police Response Required**
26,484	8,206

* This represents all Computer Aided Dispatch (CAD) event types created for each detachment area. Not all CAD events are dispatched to a frontline OPP detachment officer. Some events may have been actioned by another OPP member, diverted to another unit, or deemed a non-OPP event. This does not include officer or detachment generated events that have not been reported through the PCC, or any online reporting events.

** This represents the total number of CAD events prioritized for an immediate police response, indicating the potential for extreme danger, catastrophic circumstances, injury, the threat of injury, death, and/or crime in progress.

Crime and Clearance

Violent Crimes

Table 2.1

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
01 - Homicide	0	1	1	100.00%
02 - Other Offences Causing Death	0	0	0	-
03 - Attempted Murder	0	0	0	-
04 - Sexual Offences	55	75	79	69.62%
05 - Assaults/Firearm Related Offences	213	248	317	82.65%
06 - Offences Resulting in the Deprivation of Freedom	6	12	10	100.00%
07 - Robbery	4	5	5	60.00%
08 - Other Offences Involving Violence or the Threat of Violence	164	145	160	43.75%
09 - Offences in Relation to Sexual Services	0	0	0	-
10 - Total	442	486	572	70.10%

Property Crimes

Table 2.2

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
01 - Arson	6	5	4	25.00%
02 - Break and Enter	83	73	79	15.19%
03 - Theft Over \$5,000	85	113	104	15.38%
04 - Theft Under \$5,000	399	523	423	21.51%
05 - Have Stolen Goods	10	18	10	70.00%
06 - Fraud	290	428	367	4.90%
07 - Mischief	234	284	219	31.05%
08 - Total	1,107	1,444	1,206	17.66%

Other Criminal Code

Table 2.3

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
01 - Gaming and Betting	0	0	0	-
02 - Offensive Weapons	14	18	20	35.00%
03 - Other Criminal Code Offences	202	264	293	57.68%
04 - Total	216	282	313	56.23%

Drugs

Table 2.4

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
01 - Possession	10	28	14	85.71%
02 - Trafficking	15	21	8	62.50%
03 - Importation and Production	0	0	0	-
04 - Cannabis Possession	0	0	0	-
05 - Cannabis Distribution	1	0	0	-
06 - Cannabis Sale	0	0	0	-
07 - Cannabis Importation and Exportation	0	0	0	-
08 - Cannabis Production	0	0	0	-
09 - Other Cannabis Violations	0	0	0	-
10 - Total	26	49	22	77.27%

Federal Statutes**Table 2.5**

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
Federal Statutes	22	54	24	79.17%

Traffic Violations**Table 2.6**

Offences	2022	2023	2024	Clearance Rate
01 - Dangerous Operation	13	10	9	88.89%
02 - Flight from Peace Officer	11	10	16	18.75%
03 - Operation while Impaired/Low Blood Drug Concentration Violations	81	97	70	100.00%
04 - Failure or Refusal to Comply with Demand	4	9	5	100.00%
05 - Failure to Stop after Accident	5	10	6	0.00%
06 - Operation while Prohibited	10	7	12	100.00%
07 - Total	124	143	118	83.05%

Youth Crime**Table 2.7**

Disposition Type	2022	2023	2024
Bail	0	0	0
Conviction	18	19	13
Diversion	36	22	39
NonConviction	79	59	56
NotAccepted	0	1	0
POATicket	4	1	1
NULL	29	17	49
Total	166	119	158

Victim Referrals**Table 2.8**

Offences	2022	2023	2024
Sum of Offered	1378	1606	1865
Sum of Accepted	467	644	716
Sum of Total	1845	2250	2581
Sum of % Accepted	25.31%	28.62%	27.74%

Traffic and Road Safety

Motor Vehicle Collisions (MVC) by Type

(Includes roadway, off-road and motorized snow vehicle collisions)

Table 3.1

Offences	2022	2023	2024
Fatal Injury Collisions	5	5	9
Non-Fatal Injury Collisions	123	140	128
Property Damage Only Collisions	976	1,063	984
Alcohol-Related Collisions	39	36	37
Animal-Related Collisions	344	368	377
Speed-Related Collisions	110	94	73
Inattentive-Related Collisions	138	141	101
Persons Killed	7	9	9
Persons Injured	175	191	205

Primary Causal Factors in Fatal MVCs on Roadways

Table 3.2

Offences	2022	2023	2024
Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Speed Related	0	0	0
Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Alcohol/Drug Related	1	0	0
Persons Killed in Fatal Roadway Collisions where lack of Seatbelt/Helmet use is a Factor	1	2	1
Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Inattentive Related	0	2	1
Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Animal Related	0	0	0

Fatalities in Detachment Area

Table 3.3

Fatality Type	Category	2022	2023	2024
Roadway	Fatal Incidents	5	4	7
Roadway	Persons Killed	7	8	7
Roadway	Alcohol/Drug Related Incidents	1	0	0
Marine	Fatal Incidents	0	0	0
Marine	Persons Killed	0	0	0
Marine	Alcohol/Drug Related Incidents	0	0	0
Off-Road Vehicle	Fatal Incidents	0	0	2
Off-Road Vehicle	Persons Killed	0	0	2
Off-Road Vehicle	Alcohol/Drug Related Incidents	0	0	2
Motorized Snow Vehicle	Fatal Incidents	0	1	0
Motorized Snow Vehicle	Persons Killed	0	1	0
Motorized Snow Vehicle	Alcohol/Drug Related Incidents	0	0	0

Big 4

Table 3.4

Offences	2022	2023	2024
Distracted (HTA 78.1)	58	44	20
Impaired (CCC 320.14 & 320.15)	164	174	119
Seatbelt (HTA 106)	103	81	70
Speeding (HTA 128)	3,018	2,467	2,463

Charges**Table 3.5**

Offences	2022	2023	2024
HTA	4,287	3,773	3,562
Criminal Code Traffic	227	220	161
Criminal Code Non-Traffic	1,203	1,594	1,743
LLCA	99	95	68
Controlled Drug and Substance Act	68	125	42
Federal Cannabis Act	6	3	5
Provincial Cannabis Act	38	45	31
Other	319	325	247

Policing Hours

The OPP has developed a Service Delivery Model (SDM) in response to several reviews and audit recommendations. The SDM is designed to:

- Promote officer wellness through balanced workloads
- Determine adequate staffing levels at each detachment
- Ensure the continued delivery of adequate and effective policing services in accordance with the Community Safety and Policing Act (CSPA).

To implement the SDM, the OPP has submitted a seven-year staffing strategy to address required increases in detachment personnel. This model supports the OPP’s ability to:

- Respond rapidly to increasing calls for service
- Maintain safe communities through proactive patrols and community engagement
- Address municipal concerns about reduced police visibility

To monitor progress and guide detachment-level planning, the OPP has established time allocation targets for provincial constables (figure 1). These targets reflect how time should ideally be distributed by the end of the seven-year strategy.

The targets are based on a provincial average and variations are expected between detachments due to differences in geography, operational structure, recruitment and other absences.

In the short term, detachments may face challenges in achieving these targets. Continued improvements in scheduling tools, data integrity, and strategic deployment will support progress toward these goals.

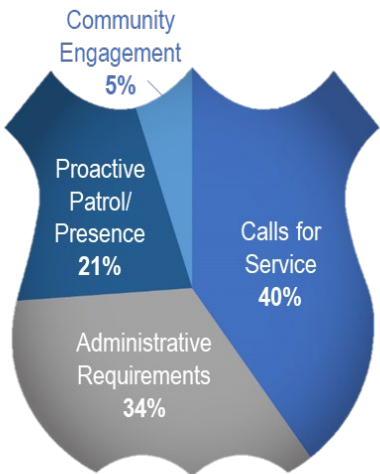


Figure 1: Service Delivery Model Provincial Target

Service Delivery Activity Allocations

Table 4.1

Calls for Service	Administrative Requirements	Proactive Patrol	Community Engagement
53.1%	35.7%	9.6%	1.6%

Hours (Field Personnel)

Table 4.2

	2022	2023	2024
TOTAL FRONTLINE HOURS	119,217	138,981	143,686

Endnotes

Tables 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.5, 2.6

Source: Niche Records Management System (RMS), (2025/04/23)

- Note:
- Statistics Canada’s Uniform Crime Reporting Survey was designed to measure the incidence of crime in Canadian society and its characteristics.
 - Actual counts (2022, 2023 and 2024) and Clearance Rate for 2024 included.
 - The most serious violation methodology (MSV) is used, which is the same as Statistics Canada’s methodology. The MSV counts only the first of up to four offences per incident that occurred in the specific time range.
 - First Nation population is not included.
 - Statistics Canada Verified (green checkmark) only.

Table 2.1 Violent Crimes

Corresponding Violation Description
01 Murder 1 st Degree, Murder 2 nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide
02 Criminal Negligence Causing Death, Other Related Offences Causing Death
03 Attempted Murder, Conspire to Commit Murder
04 Sexual offence which occurred prior to January 4, 1983, Sexual Assault, Level 3, Aggravated, Sexual Assault, Level 2, Weapon or Bodily Harm, Sexual Assault, Level 1, Sexual Interference, Invitation to Sexual Touching, Sexual Exploitation, Sexual Exploitation of a Person with a Disability, Incest, Corrupting Morals of a Child, Making Sexually Explicit Material Available to Children, Parent or Guardian Procuring Sexual Activity, Householder Permitting Sexual Activity, Luring a Child via Computer, Agreement or Arrangement - Sexual Offence Against a Child, Bestiality - Commits, Compels Another Person, Bestiality in, Presence of, or Incites, a Child, Voyeurism, Non-Consensual Distribution of Intimate Images
05 Assault Level 3, Aggravated, Assault Level 2, Weapon/Bodily Harm, Assault Level 1, Unlawfully Causing Bodily Harm, Discharge Firearm with Intent, Using firearm/Imitation of Firearm in the Commission of an Offence, Pointing a Firearm, Assault, Peace-Public Officer, Assault Against Peace Officer with a Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm, Criminal Negligence Causing Bodily Harm, Trap Likely to or Causing Bodily Harm, Other Assaults
06 Kidnapping, Forcible Confinement, Hostage Taking, Trafficking in Persons, Abduction Under 14, Not Parent/Guardian, Abduction Under 16, Removal of Children from Canada, Abduction Under 14 Contravening a Custody Order, Abduction Under 15 by Parent/Guardian
07 Robbery, Robbery to Steal Firearm
08 Extortion, Intimidation of a Justice System Participant or a Journalist, Intimidation of a Non-justice System Participant, Criminal Harassment, Indecent/Harassing Communications, Utter Threats to Person, Explosives Causing Death/Bodily Harm, Arson - Disregard for Human Life, Other Violations Against the Person, Failure to Comply with Safeguards (MAID), Forging/Destruction of Documents (MAID)
09 Obtaining Sexual Services for Consideration, Obtaining Sexual Services for Consideration from Person Under the Age of 18 Years, Material Benefit from Sexual Services, Material Benefit from Sexual Services Provided by Person Under the Age of 18 Years, Procuring, Procuring a Person Under the Age of 18 Years, Advertising Sexual Services

Table 2.2 Property Crimes

Corresponding Violation Description
01 Arson
02 Break & Enter, Break & Enter to Steal a Firearm, Break & Enter a Motor Vehicle (Firearm)
03 Theft over \$5000, Theft over \$5000 from a Motor Vehicle, Shoplifting over \$5000, Motor Vehicle Theft
04 Theft \$5000 or Under, Theft under \$5000 from a Motor Vehicle, Shoplifting \$5000 or Under
05 Trafficking in Stolen Goods over \$5000, Possession of Stolen Goods over \$5000, Trafficking in Stolen Goods \$5000 and Under, Possession of Stolen Goods \$5000 and Under
06 Fraud, Identity Theft, Identity Fraud
07 Mischief, Mischief to Cultural Property, Hate-motivated mischief relating to property used by identifiable group, Mischief Relating to War Memorials, Altering/Destroying/Removing a Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)

Table 2.3 Other Criminal Code

Corresponding Violation Description

01 Betting House, Gaming House, Other Violations Related to Gaming and Betting

02 Offensive Weapons: Explosives, Weapons Trafficking, Possession and Distribution of Computer Data (Firearm), Altering Cartridge Magazine, Weapons Possession Contrary to Order, Possession of Weapons, Unauthorized Importing/Exporting of Weapons., Firearms Documentation/Administration, Unsafe Storage of Firearms

03 Failure to Comply with Order, Escape and being at large without excuse - escape from custody, Escape and being at large without excuse - Unlawfully at Large, Failure to Appear, Breach of Probation, Disturb the Peace, Child Pornography (Possessing or Accessing), Child Pornography (Making or Distributing), Public Communications to Sell Sexual Services, Offences Related to Impeding Traffic to Buy or Sell Sexual Services, Counterfeiting, Indecent Acts, Voyeurism (Expired), Corrupting Morals, Lure child via Computer (Expired), Obstruct Public/Peace Officer. Trespass at Night, Threatening/Harassing Phone Calls (Expired), Utter Threats Against Property or Animals, Advocating Genocide, Public Incitement of Hatred, Promoting or Advertising Conversion Therapy, Unauthorized Recording of a Movie/Purpose of Sale, Rental, Commercial, Distribution, Offences Against Public Order (Part II CC), Property or Services for Terrorist Activities, Freezing of Property, Disclosure, Audit, Participate in Activity of Terrorist Group, Facilitate Terrorist Activity, Instruction/Commission of Act of Terrorism, Hoax – Terrorism, Advocating/Promoting Terrorism, Firearms and Other Offensive Weapons (Part III CC), Leave Canada to Participate in Activity of a Terrorist Group, Leave Canada to Facilitate Terrorist Activity, Leave Canada to Commit Offence for Terrorist Group, Leave Canada to Commit Offence that is Terrorist Activity, Harbour/Conceal Terrorist (Max = Life), Harbour/Conceal Terrorist (Max Does Not = Life), Harbour/Conceal Person Likely to Carry Out Terrorist Activity, Offences Against the Administration of Law and Justice (Part IV CC). Sexual Offences, Public Morals and Disorderly Conduct (Part V CC), Invasion of Privacy (Part VI CC), Failure to Comply with Regulations / Obligations for Medical Assistance in Dying (MAID), Other Offences Against the Person and Reputation, Offences Against the Rights of Property (Part IX CC), Fraudulent Transactions, Relating to Contracts and Trade (Part X CC), Offences Related to Currency, Proceeds of Crime (Part XII.2 CC), Attempts, Conspiracies, Accessories, Instruct Offence for Criminal Organization, Commit Offence for Criminal Organization, Participate in Activities of Criminal Organization, Recruitment of Members by a Criminal Organization, All Other Criminal Code (includes Part XII.1 CC)

Table 2.4 Drugs

Corresponding Violation Description

01 Possession – Heroin, Possession – Cocaine, Possession - Other Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Possession - Methamphetamine (Crystal Meth), Possession - Methylenedioxyamphetamine (Ecstasy), Possession – Opioid (other than heroin)

02 Trafficking – Heroin, Trafficking – Cocaine, Trafficking - Other Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Trafficking - Methamphetamine (Crystal Meth), Trafficking - Methylenedioxyamphetamine (Ecstasy), Trafficking – Opioid (other than heroin)

03 Import / Export – Heroin, Import / Export – Cocaine, Import / Export - Other Controlled Drugs and Substances Act, Import / Export - Methamphetamines (Crystal Meth), Import / Export - Methylenedioxyamphetamine (Ecstasy), Import/Export – Opioid (other than heroin), Production – Heroin, Production – Cocaine, Production - Other Controlled Drugs & Substances Act, Production - Methamphetamines (Crystal Meth), Production - Methylenedioxyamphetamine (Ecstasy), Production – Opioid (other than heroin), Possession, sale, etc., for use in production of or trafficking in substance

04 Possession of illicit or over 30g dried cannabis (or equivalent) by adult, Possession of over 5g dried cannabis (or equivalent) by youth, Possession of budding or flowering plants, or more than four cannabis plants, Possession of cannabis by organization

05 Distribution of illicit, over 30g dried cannabis (or equivalent), or to an organization, by adult, Distribution of cannabis to youth, by adult, Distribution of over 5g dried cannabis (or equivalent), or to an organization, by youth, Distribution of budding or flowering plants, or more than four cannabis plants, Distribution of cannabis by organization, Possession of cannabis for purpose of distributing

06 Sale of cannabis to adult, Sale of cannabis to youth, Sale of cannabis to an organization, Possession of cannabis for purpose of selling

07 Importation and exportation of cannabis, Possession of cannabis for purpose of exportation

08 Obtain, offer to obtain, alter or offer to alter cannabis, Cultivate, propagate or harvest cannabis by adult, Cultivate, propagate or harvest cannabis by youth or organization

09 Possess, produce, sell, distribute or import anything for use in production or distribution of illicit cannabis, Use of young person in the commission of a cannabis offence, Other Cannabis Act

Table 2.5 Federal Statutes

Corresponding Violation Description

Bankruptcy Act, Income Tax Act, Canada Shipping Act, Canada Health Act, Customs Act , Competition Act, Excise Act, Youth Criminal Justice Act (YCJA), Immigration and Refugee Protection Act, Human Trafficking (involving the use of abduction, fraud, deception or use of threat), Human Smuggling fewer than 10 persons, Human Smuggling 10 persons or more, Firearms Act, National Defence Act, Emergencies Act, Quarantine Act, Other Federal Statutes

Table 2.6 Traffic Violations

Corresponding Violation Description

01 Dangerous Operation Causing Death, Dangerous Operation Causing Bodily Harm, Dangerous Operation

02 Flight from Peace Officer

03 Operation - low blood drug concentration, Operation while impaired causing death (alcohol), Operation while impaired causing death (alcohol and drugs), Operation while impaired causing death (drugs), Operation while impaired causing death (unspecified), Operation while impaired causing bodily harm (alcohol), Operation while impaired causing bodily harm (alcohol and drugs), Operation while impaired causing bodily harm (drugs), Operation while impaired causing bodily harm (unspecified), Operation while impaired (alcohol), Operation while impaired (alcohol and drugs), Operation while impaired (drugs), Operation while impaired (unspecified)

04 Failure or refusal to comply with demand (alcohol), Failure or refusal to comply with demand (alcohol and drugs), Failure or refusal to comply with demand (drugs), Failure or Refusal to Comply with Demand (unspecified), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in bodily harm (alcohol), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in bodily harm (alcohol and drugs), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in bodily harm (drugs), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in bodily harm (unspecified), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in death (alcohol), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in death (alcohol and drugs), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in death (drugs), Failure or refusal to comply with demand, accident resulting in death (unspecified)

05 Failure to stop after accident resulting in death, Failure to stop after accident resulting in bodily harm, Failure to stop after accident, Operation while prohibited

Table 2.7 Youth Crime

Source: Niche Records Management System (RMS), (2025/04/24)

Note:

- Youth Charges by Disposition Type
- Only charges that have had a disposition type recorded in the OPP Niche RMS application are included.
- Youth charges without a disposition type are not included which may result in under stating the actual youth charges.
- “NULL” represents blanks, or where officers did not indicate the Disposition Type, however charges were applied.

Table 2.8 Victim Referrals

Source: Niche Records Management System (RMS), (2025/04/24)

Note:

- Number of Referrals to Victim Service Agencies

Table 3.1 Motor Vehicle Collisions (MVC) by Type

Source: Ontario Provincial Police, Collision Reporting System (CRS), (2025/02/21)

Note:

- Total Motor Vehicle Collisions (Fatal Injury, Non-Fatal Injury and Property Damage Only): Reportable Fatal Injury, Non-Fatal Injury and Property Damage Only Collisions entered into the eCRS for All Motorized Vehicles (MVC-Roadway, MSV- Snowmobile and ORV-Off Road Report Type) regardless of completion/approval status.
- Alcohol/Drug Related Collisions: Reportable MVC collisions where Alcohol/Drug Involved field indicated as Yes OR Contributing Factor scored as Ability Impaired (Alcohol or Drug) OR Driver Condition reported as Had Been Drinking or Ability Impaired.
- Animal Related Collisions: Reportable MVC collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Animal OR Wildlife Involved was an Animal OR Sequence of Events was an Animal.
- Speed Related Collisions: Reportable MVC collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Excessive Speed or Speed Too Fast For Conditions OR Driver Action reported as Exceeding Speed Limit or Speed Too Fast For Conditions.
- Inattentive Related Collisions: Reportable MVC collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Inattentive OR Driver Condition reported as Inattentive.
- Persons Killed or Injured: Number of Persons Injured or Killed in Reportable MVC collisions.

Table 3.2 Primary Causal Factors in Fatal MVCs on Roadways

Source: Ontario Provincial Police, Collision Reporting System (CRS), (2025/02/21)

Note:

- Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Speed Related: Reportable Fatal Roadway Collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Excessive Speed or Speed Too Fast For Conditions OR Driver Action reported as Exceeding Speed Limit or Speed Too Fast For Conditions.
- Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Alcohol/Drug Related: Reportable Fatal Roadway Collisions where Contributing Factor where Alcohol/Drug Involved field indicated as Yes OR Contributing Factor scored as Ability Impaired (Alcohol or Drug) OR Driver Condition reported as Had Been Drinking or Ability Impaired.
- Persons Killed in Fatal Roadway Collisions where lack of Seatbelt/Helmet use is a Factor:
Persons Killed in Reportable Fatal Roadway Collisions where Victim is fatally injured AND a vehicle occupant AND where safety equipment reported to be not used but available.
- Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Inattentive Related: Reportable Fatal Roadway Collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Inattentive OR Driver Condition reported as Inattentive.
- Fatal Roadway Collisions where Causal is Animal Related: Reportable Fatal Roadway Collisions where Contributing Factor scored as Animal OR Wildlife Involved was an Animal OR Sequence of Events was an Animal.

Table 3.3 Fatalities in Detachment Area

Source: Ontario Provincial Police, Collision Reporting System (CRS), (2025/02/21)

Note:

- Fatal Incidents: Reportable Fatal Collisions by Report Type (Roadway, Marine, Off-Road Vehicle, Motorized Snow Vehicle).
- Persons Killed: Number of Involved Persons where Injury is fatal by Report Type (Roadway, Marine, Off-Road Vehicle, Motorized Snow Vehicle).
- Alcohol/Drug Related Incidents: Reportable Fatal Collisions by Report Type (Roadway, Marine, Off-Road Vehicle, Motorized Snow Vehicle) where Alcohol/Drug Involved field indicated as Yes OR Contributing Factor scored as Ability Impaired (Alcohol or Drug) OR Driver Condition reported as Had Been Drinking or Ability Impaired.

Table 3.4 Big 4

Source: Niche Records Management System (RMS) & eTicket, (2025/02/21)

Note:

- Speeding (HTA 128): Charges are based on date charged. Speeding = HTA s.128 charges.
- Seatbelt (HTA 106): Charges are based on date charged. Seatbelt = HTA s.106 charges.
- Distracted (HTA 78.1): Charges are based on date charged. Distracted = HTA s.78.1 charges.
- Impaired (CCC 320.14 & 320.15): Charges are based on date charged. Impaired = CCC s.320.14 & 320.15 charges.

Table 3.5 Charges

Source: Niche Records Management System (RMS) & eTicket, (2025/02/21)

Note:

- HTA: Charges are based on date charged. Highway Traffic Act Statute charges.
- Criminal Code Traffic: Charges are based on date charged. Criminal Code Traffic (CCC s320.13, 320.14, 320.15, 320.16, 320.17 & 320.18) charges.
- Criminal Code Non-Traffic: Charges are based on date charged. All CCC charges not included in the Criminal Code Traffic section above.
- LLCA: Charges are based on date charged. Liquor Licence and Control Act charges.
- Federal Cannabis Act: Charges are based on date charged. Cannabis Act charges.
- Provincial Cannabis Act: Charges are based on date charged. Cannabis Control Act charges.
- Controlled Drug and Substance Act: Charges are based on date charged. Controlled Drug and Substance Act charges.
- Other: Charges are based on date charged. "Other" charges is comprised of CAIA, Other Provincial & Federal Offences not already captured in sections above.

Table 4.1 Service Delivery Activity Allocations

Source: Daily Activity Reporting (DAR) System

Date: April 17, 2025

Note: Activity allocation percentages are based on the total reported hours of detachment provincial constables performing duties within their home detachment location.

Table 4.2 Hours (Field Personnel)

Source: Daily Activity Reporting (DAR) System

Date: January 20, 2025

Note:

- Total reported hours, excluding paid duties.
- Includes Provincial Constable to Sergeant ranks only.
- Excludes First Nations badge numbers.
- Excludes administrative accounts and joint services accounts.
- Excludes incomplete DAR entries and those with errors.
- Excludes General Headquarters location codes.

CONTACT THE OPP

REACH THE OPP BY PHONE

- Know your location: Be ready to describe your surroundings. Look for addresses, landmarks and buildings that may help identify your location.
- Call 9-1-1 if there is immediate risk to someone's life or property.
- Don't hang up, stay on the line
- Call 1-888-310-1122 for non-life-threatening incidents that require police attention
- TTY 1-888-310-1133, or Agent 511 for registered subscribers (for the Deaf, Hard of Hearing and Speech Impaired)

PROVIDE AN ANONYMOUS TIP

- Call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477 (TIPS)
- Visit www.crimestoppers.ca

SPEAK WITH AN OFFICER FOR ALL OTHER MATTERS

To arrange to meet an officer at a detachment, go to www.opp.ca to use the Local Detachment Finder and follow the prompts.

REPORT AN INCIDENT ONLINE

You have the option to report select occurrences to police from the convenience of a computer.

Visit www.opp.ca/reporting to use the Citizen Self Reporting system. Specific incidents can be reported online without attending a detachment or waiting for an officer.

You can use this system to report:

- Theft Under \$5,000
- Mischief / Damage to Property Under \$5,000
- Mischief / Damage to Vehicle Under \$5,000
- Theft from Vehicle Under \$5,000
- Lost / Missing Property Under \$5,000 including a licence plate(s) or validation sticker(s)
- Theft of any type of gasoline from a gas station
- Driving Complaints
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Do not use this system if this is an emergency! If it is, call 9-1-1.

9-1-1 is for police, fire or medical emergencies only.

Accidental, hang-up or abuse of 9-1-1 calls tie up emergency lines, communicators and officers which could result in the slower response to a real emergency, risking the safety of people who need urgent help.

#KnowWhenToCall

If you've dialed 9-1-1 in error, stay on the line. Your call will be connected to police. Answer all questions asked by the communicator. This eliminates a lengthy follow up process that may lead to officers attending your location to ensure your safety.

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