

# HAMILTON POLICE SERVICES BOARD

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March 28, 2014

City of Hamilton 71 Main Street West Hamilton, ON L8P 4Y5

Mayor and Members of Council:

# Re: Hamilton Police Service Monthly Report (PSB 14-043)

Attached for your information and attention, please find a copy of the Hamilton Police Service Monthly Report. This report highlights the following:

- National Victims of Crime Awareness Week 2014
- On-line Police Checks
- Cops and Kids Connecting on Ice, Connecting in Life II

If you any questions or concerns that may arise from this report please do not hesitate to contact me at the number below.

Sincerely,

Lois Morin, Administrator

Hamilton Police Services Board

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# HAMILTON POLICE SERVICES BOARD - RECOMMENDATION -

DATE:

2014 March 17

REPORT TO:

Chair and Members

Hamilton Police Services Board

FROM:

Glenn De Caire

Chief of Police

SUBJECT:

Hamilton Police Service Monthly Report

(PSB 14-043)

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

That the Board direct the Administrator of the Board to refer this report, in its entirety, to the City of Hamilton, for information.

Clena De Caire Chief of Police

## FINANCIAL / STAFFING / LEGAL IMPLICATIONS:

FINANCIAL - n/a

STAFFING - n/a

LEGAL - n/a

#### **BACKGROUND:**

## National Victims of Crime Awareness Week 2014

The Victim Services Branch, of the Hamilton Police Service, recognizes the annual National Victims of Crime Awareness Week (NVCAW) 2014.

On Monday, April 8, 2014, the Victim Services Branch will be hosting a community ceremony honouring victims of crime. Featured speaker will be Dr. Lori Triano-Antidormi, mother of Zachary Lawrence Antidormi and practicing Psychologist.

There will be a community information fair with agencies on hand to share information available to victims of crime. There will also be refreshments. Public attendance and media coverage is welcomed.

Events take place at 10:00 a.m. at the front courtyard of Central Station, 155 King William Street, Hamilton.

This event is made possible through a grant for Department of Justice Canada Victims Fund to commemorate NVCAW.

#### **On-line Police Checks**

In December 2013, Hamilton Police launched its on-line option for police checks. So far, statistics indicate that in the first three (3) months of the program, 400 people have utilized this service. Hamilton Police will continue to utilize social media to promote this option which is well-timed for the seasonal serge in police check demands as students and adults apply for summer employment and volunteer positions.

## Cops and Kids - Connecting on Ice, Connecting in Life II

The second, almost annual Cops and Kids - Connecting on Ice, Connecting in Life II, takes place on March 26, 2014 at the First Ontario Credit Centre, formerly Copps Coliseum, from 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. This ProAction Cops and Kids event will see Hamilton Police Officers helping students from grades one (1) through eight (8) from north-end schools with on and off ice skating activities. Over 300 students will be attending and both Auxiliary Officers and Hamilton Police volunteers will be assisting.

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