

September 19th, 2012

South Frontenac Township Police Services Board
Time: 10:00 a.m.
Location: Frontenac OPP Detachment - Hartington

Board Members

Present: Mark Tinlin - Chair
Mark Schjerning

Staff: Staff Sergeant Gary Ouellette

Secretary: Wayne Orr, CAO

Regrets: Ron Sleeth

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 10:00 a.m.

2. Delegations - none

3. Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the South Frontenac Township Police Services Board meeting held May 30th 2012 be deferred.

4. Business Arising

5. Staff Sergeant Report

Staff Sergeant commented on the Floatilla that is taking place in Frontenac Park today, which involves two officers from this detachment that are working on building relationships with aboriginal youth. Each officer is paired with a youth and they are canoeing through the park.

The South Frontenac Council/Lake Association meeting was attended by Jim Morris and he was able to address marine unit related questions.

A dispute on August 28th was reviewed where an individual barricaded himself in and shots were fired, this involved a full deployment. A commendation has been submitted to those involved.

The year to date statistics closely resembles the norm. The anomalies of the spring are now adjusted out. Thefts from vehicles are a concern particularly in the Verona and Sydenham areas, primarily from boats and garages.

The 9-1-1 issue is meant to be an initiative with the high schools.

Over time hours are running the provincial average. The detachment has allocated \$169,000.00 for 2012. While major incidents are covered by Central Region, the additional overtime incurred by officers in this detachment would have a significant impact. Overtime is driven by the requirement that domestic and sexual assault reports have to be submitted by the end of the shift and officers are expected to stay and complete those regardless as well as court costs. The goal is to have the primary officer not on overtime for court proceedings. This involves detailed planning to be successful.

The public are encouraged to call in suspicious activity to assist the OPP in controlling break and enters and thefts of boats and motors. There is a session being put on by the region on October 23rd, where costing will be discussed and board members are encouraged to attend.

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Chair Mark Tinlin

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