



# NORTH BAY POLICE SERVICES BOARD

135 Princess Street W., P.O. Box 717, North Bay, ON P1B 8J8



## OPEN SESSION AGENDA October 14, 2015 1000 Hours

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| 1. Approval of Agenda  | Chair                          |
| 2. Approval of Minutes of Open Session meeting of September 9, 2015  | Chair                          |
| 3. Business Arising:<br>Nil  | Chair                          |
| 4. Correspondence:   | Chief                          |
| 5. Taxi Business:<br>Taxi Licences   | Chief                          |
| 6. Reports:<br>Chief's Monthly Report<br>Stats August/August Revised   | Chief<br>Deputy Chief          |
| 7. New Business:<br>Gateway Hub Update<br>Town Hall Meetings<br>Contingency Account – 2016 Special Olympics Winter Games | Deputy Chief<br>Chief<br>Chief |
| 8. Association Report:   | President                      |



**MINUTES OF OPEN MEETING  
North Bay Police Services Board  
September 9, 2015**

**Present:**

**Board Members:** Dennis O'Connor, Chair, William Hagborg, Vice-Chair,  
Sheldon Forgette, Allan McDonald, Tiziana Silveri

**Police Service:** Chief Paul Cook, Deputy Chief Shawn Devine

**Board Solicitor:** Peter Leckie

**Association:**

**Communications Coordinator:** Mary Lugli

**Guests:** The Media, Neve Belanger

**Secretary:** Carol Miller

**Regrets:**

**Call to Order**

The Chair, Dennis O'Connor, called the meeting to order at 1000 hours.

**Approval of Agenda:**

Resolution: #114-2015

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by William Hagborg

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Accept the agenda as amended for the Open Session Meeting to be held on September 9, 2015".

Carried

**Note:** There was a request to approve Schedule "B" of the Taxi By-law #20 included in this meeting.

**Approval of Minutes:**

Resolution: #115-2015

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by William Hagborg

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Adopt the Minutes of the Open Meeting held on July 8, 2015".

Carried

**Business Arising:**

There was no business arising from the previous meeting.

**Correspondence:**

Correspondence this month included: notice of Town Hall Meetings to be held September 28<sup>th</sup>, and 29<sup>th</sup>; letters of appreciation from: the Early Years Centre –

Nipissing; a citizen regarding officers treatment of a young child; a citizen with respect to a Criminal Harassment complaint and the treatment received from Csts. Bell and partner, Cavanaugh, Brunette, Whittle, and Webber; Patrick 4 Life Team; Inspector R.D. MacEachern, Inspector, Community Safety Services for OPP for support by Chief and Cst. Ray Yelle; Mystique Marketing for support and participation in first annual Conquer the Ridge Endurance challenge in support Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics Ontario; R.C.J. Seguin, Chief, West Nipissing Police for assistance of officers, D. Webber, D. Robertson, B. Reaume, M.Parker, T. Robertson, G. Dix and S. McFarlane; and Darlene Jamison, Executive Director of Big Brothers Big Sisters for assistance with special tanks to Cst. Ray Yelle for the Tim Horton's Earn-A-Bike program.

Resolution: #116-2015

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by William Hagborg

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Note and file the correspondence received".

Carried

#### **Taxi Business:**

Resolution: #117-2015

Moved by William Hagborg, Seconded by Allan McDonald

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Approve the (2) two taxi licence applications submitted for the months of August and September, 2015".

Carried

#### **North Bay Police Services Board By-law #20 – Taxi By-law**

Resolution: #118-2015

Moved by Sheldon Forgette, Seconded by Allan McDonald

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"enact and pass amendments to Schedule "B" of North Bay Police Services Board By-law #20".

Carried

#### **Reports:**

##### Chief's Monthly Activity Report

Monthly activities attended by the Chief and / or the Deputy Chief during

July/August/September included –

Local events: Nipissing Association for Disabled Youth Charity BBQ; Change of Command 22 Wing (L.Col Norquay to L.Col. Roy); Porter Airlines Media Conference; Nipissing University Aboriginal Initiative Tour of HQ; Nipissing Lakers Men's Hockey Golf Tournament; Presentation to Gateway Hub Executive by Dr. Nelson on COR; Cheque Presentation to CMHA regarding "Keats" Fundraiser; Amelia Rising Sexual Assault Centre Meeting; Summer in the Park; Tim Horton's Golf Tournament for YMCA; Swearing in Ceremony for Cst. Alex Fay; Ken Appleby Memorial Cup Visit to HQ; YIPI Luncheon; CIBC Run for the Cure Charity Supper; Lakers/22 Wing Support the Troops Game Committee

Meeting; Lunch Speaker for Rotary Nipissing; Remarks Nipissing University NU Perspective Launch.

Out of town events included: two Niigan Mosewak Graduations in Trout Creek; Ontario Police College Graduation, Aylmer; and CACP Conference and AGM in Quebec City.

Since our last Board meeting there have been no new Standard Operating Procedures released nor any new protocols entered into.

#### Statistical Reports

Deputy Chief, Shawn Devine, presented the Condensed Monthly Statistical Reports for the months of June and July and June and July 2015 (Revised). It is noted that during the month of July there were 331 more calls for service as compared to calls in 2014. Of these calls, 112 were to investigate motor vehicle accidents in 22 of these accidents injuries were reported to 25 persons. In June of 2015 there were 31 fewer calls for service and of these calls 83 were to investigate motor vehicle accidents. Fifteen of these accidents involved injuries to 16 people. In June, although calls for service were down slightly there was rise in the number of criminal offenses of 57 and a rise of 174 in calls for service. Overall, in June, police activity was up by 436. In July there was a drop in police activity was up by 767 from the previous year.

Resolution: #119-2015

Moved by William Hagborg, Seconded by Allan McDonald

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Accept the Condensed Monthly Statistical Reports for the months of June and July 2015 and June and July (Revised) 2015 as presented".

Carried

#### Chief's Personal Expenses

Resolution: #120-2015:

Moved by Sheldon Forgette, Seconded by William Hagborg

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Acknowledge receipt of the Chief's personal expenses from April 24 to August 15, 2015".

Carried

#### Quarterly 2015 Budget Report – Third Quarter

An information item, this report will be forwarded to City Clerk, Cathy Conrad for inclusion in a future City of North Bay Council meeting. The Chief indicated that although there are a number of lines showing a deficit at this point he is predicting a surplus as of year-end.

**New Business:**

**Gateway Community Mobilization HUB Update**

An information update showing progress with this initiative to the end of July shows that there have been a total of 304 situations discussed. One hundred and four of these discussions have taken place in 2015. Funding to ensure long-term sustainability remains a concern. Avenues are being explored. A suggestion was made by the Vice-Chair that a motion to support funding for HUB sustainability was discussed. He suggested that all Board's using this model could lobby for funding. The Chief indicated that some additional funding may be available in 2016.

**Customer Service Survey Report**

The Deputy Chief provided an overview of this survey and the results achieved. An outcome from this survey has led to exploring different avenues for providing services, such as, on line initial applications for criminal reference checks or on line reporting of minor motor vehicle accidents.

**Firearms Audit**

Resolution: #121-2015:

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by Tiziana Silveri

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Accept the Firearms Audit Report for the year 2015 as presented by the Chief of Police".

Carried

**Repeal of Public Works Protection Act**

Resolution: #122-2015:

Moved by Tiziana Silveri, Seconded by William Hagborg

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves:

"That upon Proclamation of the new Section 138 of the *Police Services Act* all police officers, special constables or other persons assigned and authorized by the Chief of Police are authorized by the Board to act in relation to the Board's responsibilities under Section 137(1) of the *Police Services Act*".

Carried

**2014 Crime Severity Index (CSI)**

An information item shared by the Chief gave the ranking for the North Bay Police Service compared to 303 other communities in Canada. Overall the ranking was 120 out of the 303 which is a 2% increase in crime from our ranking in 2013. Violent crime has increased and non-violent crime has decreased over the past year.

**Contingency Account – Colours of Hope 5km Walk/Run**

Resolution: #123-2015

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by Sheldon Forgette

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

"Donate \$250.00 from the contingency line in the 2015 Board's Budget to support the Canadian Cancer Society's Colours of Hope Fundraiser".

Carried

**Contingency Account – Parents Lending Autistic Youth Support (PLAYS)**

Resolution: #124-2015

Moved by William Hagborg, Seconded by Allan McDonald

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

“Donate \$250.00 from the contingency line in the 2015 Board’s Budget to support the PLAYS Glow in the Dark Golf Tournament Fundraiser”.

Carried

**Contingency Account – Northern Ontario Masters Soccer Championship**

Resolution: #125-2015

Moved by William Hagborg, Seconded by Allan McDonald

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

“Donate \$250.00 from the contingency line in the 2015 Board’s Budget to support the Northern Ontario Masters Soccer Championship”.

Carried

**Contingency Account – Lakers Support the Troops Hockey Game**

Resolution: #126-2015

Moved by Allan McDonald, Seconded by Tiziana Silveri

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

“Donate \$250.00 from the contingency line in the 2015 Board’s Budget to support the annual Lakers Support the Troops Hockey Team”.

Carried

**Association Update:**

There were no members of the Association available for this meeting.

**Adjournment:**

Resolution: #127-2015

Moved by Sheldon Forgette, Seconded by Tiziana Silveri

The North Bay Police Services Board hereby resolves to:

“Adjourn the Open Portion of the meeting held on September 9, 2015 at 1036 hours”.

Carried

**Cheque Presentation to Ms Nicole Taylor and “Keats”**

A cheque was presented to Ms Nicole Taylor and Keats, the service dog adopted by the North Bay Police Service and named after the late Cst. Andrew Keating.

The members of the Board and Association along with Keats and several of her friends gathered around the tree planted in memory of Andrew. Keats will continue with training and be assigned to an individual who suffers from post traumatic stress syndrome.

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Chair

September 9, 2015

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Secretary

Voyager Inn  
123 Delaware Ave  
North Bay, On.  
P1B 6Z6  
705 840 6442

To Whom It May Concern;

I wish to write to express my gratitude for the professional and efficient service the hotel received from Constable Krmpotic relating to a recent theft from the Voyager Inn. Our shop was broken into by a tenant and there were some tools taken. I called the police and they responded quickly. We had the event recorded on the security cameras, Cst. Krmpotic collected the evidence.

As a result of his fine police work, we got our tools back and the individual was arrested.

Thank you very much for your service.



Geoff Richardson

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JIC Gene  
Please post on my thanks to  
Cst. Krmpotic for his professionalism.  
Oct. 6, 2015 C: HR + PSB  
Pz



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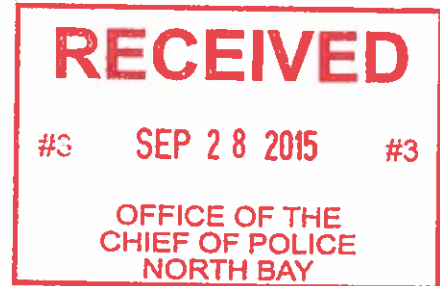
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File number/Référence:

17 September 2015

Paul COOK  
North Bay Police Service  
135 Princess St E,  
North Bay ON P1B 1P8



Dear Chief COOK,

I would like to express my sincere gratitude and appreciation to the North Bay Police Service for assistance rendered on August 30<sup>th</sup>, 2015 related to the home invasion occurrence in Redbridge.

The participation of the North Bay Police Service was vital in locating and stopping the suspect vehicle and bringing this incident to a successful end without compromising public safety. Two accused parties were arrested following the incident and the other two involved parties were arrested with the assistance of your Police Service. All are now before the courts.

It is through collaborative efforts such as these that we can continue to assure the safety of the citizens that we serve.

Again, please accept our heartfelt thanks for your invaluable assistance in resolving this matter quickly and peacefully. We look forward to working with your dedicated professionals in the future.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "L. Houlston". The signature is fluid and cursive.

L. (Laura) Houlston  
S/Sgt. #8752  
Detachment Commander  
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Constable Elia

Police officers don't get enough recognition in what they do on a daily basis, you responded to a call on July 27. to 3990 Hwy 603 My father had passed away in his dump truck, you went beyond the call of duty to stay after the first responders left answered my questions my family had, you were kind In our time of need, Police officers don't get enough praise for what they do, all we hear about is negative comments, please accept our sincere thanks, your thoughtfulness did not go unnoticed

With warmest thanks,  
grateful hearts,  
and deep appreciation  
for your  
thoughtfulness.

Please keep on doing what you do  
because you do make a difference

Thank you

Die Deme - please pass on my thanks to Sgt.  
Elia for his compassion & professionalism.  
Sept 17, 2015 R C: HR + PSB

## Paul Cook

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**From:** Shawn Devine  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 16, 2015 9:33 AM  
**To:** Paul Cook  
**Cc:** Marie Lugli  
**Subject:** FW: West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette Team  
**Attachments:** West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette Team.jpg

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**From:** Kirk Kelusky  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 16, 2015 8:35 AM  
**To:** Shawn Devine  
**Subject:** FW: West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette Team

For the PSB thank-you file.

*Kirk J. Kelusky  
Inspector  
North Bay Police Service*

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e-mail: [kkelusky@northbaypolice.on.ca](mailto:kkelusky@northbaypolice.on.ca)

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**From:** Merv Shantz  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 15, 2015 3:47 PM  
**To:** Kirk Kelusky  
**Subject:** FW: West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette Team

Hi Inspector,

I received this from Peter Baldasaro, who coaches the West Ferris U-16 Ringette team. I have logged it with dispatch.

Merv

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**From:** Peter Baldasaro  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 15, 2015 9:10 AM  
**To:** Merv Shantz

**Subject:** West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette Team

Good Morning Constable Shantz,

On behalf of the West Ferris 63s U16A Ringette team I would, once again, like to thank you for taking the time to come and talk with our team about the consequences of inappropriate internet use and the various aspects of cyber bullying. Based on the attentiveness of the girls during your presentation and the number of questions (although not always on

## Paul Cook

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**From:** Yvon Montcalm [sayl@netspectrum.ca]  
**Sent:** Sunday, September 13, 2015 12:33 PM  
**To:** Paul Cook  
**Subject:** re. Mark McLeod and his organizing the ball tournament in memory of Dave Byrnes

Chief,

I would like to thank you for permitting me to wear the cloth in memory of Dave and to attend this memorial ball tournament event.

I would also like to thank Mark McLeod for organizing all of this and for his continued relentless work in this endeavour. I believe that he makes the Byrnes family proud and so too, the North Bay Police Service. He is an inspiration to his peers and also to the retirees who knew Dave. Please thank him for myself and all of those who knew Dave.

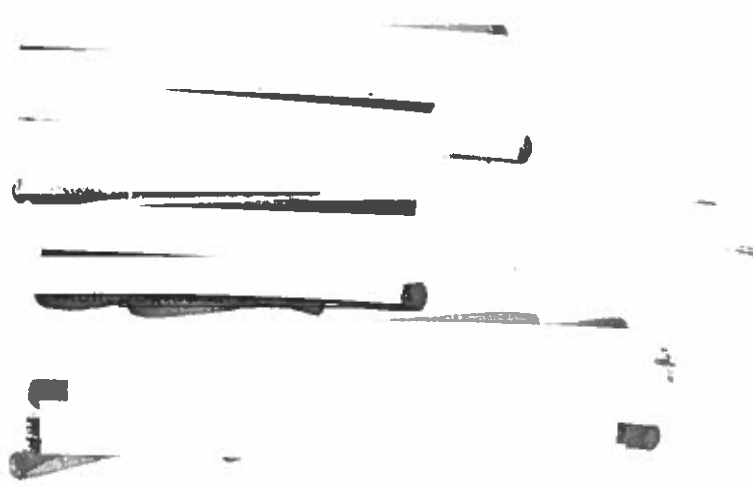
Thank You,  
Yvon Montcalm

topic☺) I would certainly say you had their attention. If we reached even one or two of the girls (and I know we did) and make them think before doing something they may regret in the future then the time was well spent.

I have attached a photo of the crew.

Thanks again, much appreciated.

Peter



**Paul Cook**

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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 08, 2015 12:15 PM  
**To:** Paul Cook  
**Cc:** [REDACTED]  
**Subject:** The Mobile Crisis Unit

Hello Chief Cook,

I just wanted to send you an e-mail to say how impressed we were over here at the Ontario Disability Support Program with the Mobile Crisis Unit team of Constable Ray Yelle and Canadian Mental Health Nurse John St. Jacques last week. The two of them were dispatched to our office to assist with a client who was in mental distress.

This was a first for me to witness the Mobile Crisis Unit in action as well as the caseworker who was dealing with this client and I have to say they made us feel comfortable and at ease and I know for a fact the vulnerable client we were dealing with at the time was made to feel the same way.

It is a great program that you have been running with this unit for the past year. Pairing up a plain-clothed police officer with a mental health nurse is something that is definitely needed in this community and it is good to know we can call on this unit at times when we have clients we know are in mental distress and have nowhere to go.

Sincerely,

[REDACTED]  
Social Assistance Service Delivery Branch  
Ministry of Community and Social Services  
621 Main St W  
North Bay Ontario P1B 2V6

[REDACTED]  
*Kites rise highest against the wind – not with it. Winston Churchill*



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Paul D. Cook  
Chief of Police

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Deputy Chief of Police

October 1, 2015

### CHAIR AND MEMBERS

North Bay Police Service Board

### Re: Taxi Driver License Applications – September 2015

Dear Sir:

The following individual was issued with a Taxi Licence. It is recommended that this Licence Application be approved.

No.	Name	Company
5	David Daines	Union
9	Krysta McEwen	Union

Sincerely,

Paul D. Cook  
Chief of Police

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### Board Report

Date of Report: October 6, 2015  
Date of Meeting: October 14, 2015

Chair Mr. D. O'Connor and members of the  
North Bay Police Services Board

**Subject: Chief's Monthly Activities Report – Sept./Oct.**

**Recommendation: Information Item**

The following are items of interest and/or special events that Deputy Chief Devine and I have represented the Police Service at since the last Board meeting that does not merit separate reporting:

Sept. 10/11

- OACP Zone 1A Meetings in Timmins

Sept. 12

- Colours of Hope 5 KM Run

Sept. 13

- Opening Ceremony – Dave Byrnes Memorial Slo-Pitch Tournament

Sept. 14

- CIBC Think Pink Week Cake Cutting

Sept. 17

- Press Conference – Chief's Announcement
- Gateway HUB Meeting

Sept. 18

- Domestic Violence Coordinating Committee Meeting
- CIBC Flag Raising Event

Sept. 20

- Battle of Britain Ceremony
- Veterans Day Celebrations

Sept. 21

- Amelia Rising Board Meeting

Sept. 22

- Nipissing Transition House Board Meeting

Sept. 23/24

- OACP Trade Show and CEO Day in Vaughan



Sept. 25

- Communications Presentations at West Ferris Secondary School
- Father Cundari Field Blessing and Opening at Scollard Hall

Sept. 27

- Peace and Police Officers Memorial in Ottawa

Sept. 28/29

- Lakers/RMC Support the Troops Press Conference
- Town Hall Meetings
- Pink Nails for Cancer Month

Oct. 4

- CIBC Run for the Cure

Oct. 6

- North Bay Pride Meeting

Oct. 7

- MOU Signing with North Bay Battalion

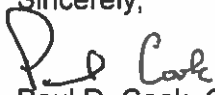
Oct. 8/9

- Small/Mid Size Police Service Meetings in Peterborough

Since the last Board meeting we have amended our Standard Operating Procedures in relation to Recording Attendance and Community Patrol. We have also amended an existing Protocol with Community Living.

I invite any comments or questions from the Board.

Sincerely,



Paul D. Cook, O.O.M.  
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### Board Report

Date of Report: September 28, 2015

Date of Meeting: October 14, 2015

Mr. D. O'Connor, Chair  
and members of the  
North Bay Police Services Board

**Subject: Statistical Reports**

**Recommendation: The Board resolves to, "Accept the Condensed Monthly Statistical and Revised Statistical Reports for the month of August 2015 as presented."**

Find attached the Condensed Monthly and Revised Monthly Report for the month of August 2015.

I invite any questions or comments from the Board.

Sincerely,

Paul D. Cook, O.O.M.  
Chief of Police

**NORTH BAY POLICE SERVICE  
CONDENSED MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT**

MONTH OF AUGUST

During the month of August 2015, police activity for the North Bay Police Service resulted in 2658 calls as compared to 2501 calls in 2014.

Of these calls, 74 were to investigate motor vehicle accidents. Ten of these accidents involved injuries, with 14 persons injured.

The following is a list of some of the criminal occurrences investigated during the month, with comparative figures for 2014.

	Year to Date		Cleared to Date			
	2015	2014	2015	2014		
Homicide	-	-	-	1	-	1
Sexual Offences	16	5	47	35	38	26
Assault	26	48	267	295	242	261
Robbery	1	4	12	8	7	4
Break, Enter & Theft	15	18	106	126	24	20
Stolen Vehicles	3	1	19	26	3	9
Stolen Bicycles	4	14	65	73	1	4
Recovered Bicycles	7	7	28	40	4	3
Theft Under	82	88	531	606	168	177
Theft Over	1	1	11	10	2	5
Mischief	44	39	305	251	99	45
Drug Charges	14	11	116	86	127	86
Criminal Offences Total			1997	2049		
Calls for Service			16694	16063		
Police Activity			19349	18425		

Additional detailed statistics are available through the Office of the Chief of Police.

\*Note - Year to Date statistics will change due to adjustments.

  
P.D. Cook  
Chief of Police

2015-09-01

## NORTH BAY POLICE SERVICE CONDENSED MONTHLY STATISTICAL REPORT

MONTH OF AUGUST

During the month of August 2015, police activity for the North Bay Police Service resulted in 2654 calls as compared to 2501 calls in 2014.


Of these calls, 74 were to investigate motor vehicle accidents. Ten of these accidents involved injuries, with 14 persons injured.

The following is a list of some of the criminal occurrences investigated during the month, with comparative figures for 2014.

			Year to Date		Cleared to Date	
	2015	2014	2015	2014	2015	2014
Homicide	-	-	-	1	-	1
Sexual Offences	14	5	43	35	36	26
Assault	24	48	258	295	242	261
Robbery	1	4	11	8	6	4
Break, Enter & Theft	13	18	102	126	24	20
Stolen Vehicles	1	1	17	26	3	9
Stolen Bicycles	4	14	52	73	1	4
Recovered Bicycles	6	7	27	40	3	3
Theft Under	69	88	524	606	165	177
Theft Over	1	1	9	10	2	5
Mischief	34	39	292	251	96	45
Drug Charges	12	11	113	86	126	86
Criminal Offences Total			1901	2049		
Calls for Service			16728	16063		
Police Activity			19345	18425		

Additional detailed statistics are available through the Office of the Chief of Police.

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### Board Report

Date of Report: September 11, 2015

Date of Meeting: October 14, 2015

Mr. D. O'Connor, Chair  
and members of the  
North Bay Police Services Board

**Subject: Gateway Community Mobilization HUB Update**

**Recommendation: Information Item**

Find attached the progress reports for August as prepared by Mr. Brent Kalinowski regarding our Gateway Community Mobilization HUB.

The Board will note from the August report that it was a slow month for our team resulting in a pilot of Tuesday only meetings for the month. Mr. Kalinowski attributes workloads and a subtle decline in our pro-active approach to the reduction in situations discussed.

As of the end of August 2015 we have discussed 308 situations in our community to date with 108 taking place in 2015 and only 4 new discussions taking place in August of this year.

In his report Mr. Kalinowski's highlights the fact that we have planned a Summit in September which will be used as an opportunity to reflect and re-engage specific to our commitments to this community mobilization initiative.

I invite any comments or questions from the Board.

Sincerely,

Paul D. Cook, O.O.M.  
Chief of Police

# Community Mobilization North Bay



## Progress Report – August 2015

*Brent Kalinowski , Program Manager CMNB 705-498-8650 [brent.kalinowski@sum-c.com](mailto:brent.kalinowski@sum-c.com)*



## Summary

A slow July was followed by an even slower August. The inactivity prompted a pilot of Tuesday only meetings for that month of August. This decline in situations can be attributed to over-all workloads and a subtle decline in our pro-active approach. Situation numbers are down over 30% from last year, and this as well is concerning. A common issue for our sector specialists is not having the time to reach out to agency colleagues or research their own systems for referrals. As we head into September, our upcoming Summit will be an opportunity to reflect and re-engage commitment to the collaborative.

## Gateway Hub Table

### Statistics as of August 31/2015

Discussions to date: 308  
 Discussions to date (2015): 108  
 New Discussions for August: 4  
 Rejected: 4  
 Originating Agency: North Bay Police (3), DNSSAB-OW (1)

The Gateway Hub table is still absent of representation from Adult and Youth probation. CAS, however, has agreed to return to the table September 15. This is good news for both the Gateway Hub as well as CAS.

The summer month of August saw a further reduction in situations. The 4 discussions presented in August as noted above were all rejected for various reasons, leaving the pending situations at zero for the majority of the month. It is interesting to note that at the same time last year, the Gateway Hub had 145 discussions to date, compared to 2015's 108 in a similar time frame.

Near North School Division has replaced the retired Ron Witmer with Alison Herst-Jackson . Alison comes with much experience and has worked with many of our table practitioners over the years. Alison is a welcome addition.

Success stories continue to develop at the table. A very early Hub situation in 2013, that involved Alcohol abuse, health issues, criminality, and others returned to the table in 2014 and the individual involved did not follow through once again. Recently, the individual showed up at one of our agency stakeholders and re-engaged and has now accepted the services available, demonstrating the need for face to face connections and follow up. Another dated situation that involved Health issues, housing, mental health, and others had initially refused any and all assistance, but has now connected and accepted, and has since reported back to one of our stakeholders that they are doing very well after the intervention. We have had several of these situations in the last few months, and one in particular was even more rewarding.

A situation presented itself that involved domestic violence, emotional and physical violence, mental health, criminality and others, was assigned to a number of agencies and an intervention was planned and executed by all involved. So well, in fact, that the perpetrator was removed, a safety plan was created along with a back up plan for the client, and the other needs were met and risks were mitigated. This individual has progressed very well and has since reported to external parties, that the Gateway Hub had saved their life.

## Community Mobilization North Bay Stakeholders

Adult Probation, Youth Probation, North Bay Regional Health Centre, Nipissing Parry Sound Catholic School Division, North Bay Police, OPP, Near North School Division, HANDS- The family help network, District Nipissing Social Services Administration Board-Ontario Works, Children's Aid Society, North Bay Parry Sound District Health Unit, Crisis Center, Nipissing Mental Health Housing and Support Services, Canadian Mental Health Association, North Bay Indian Friendship Centre, Community Counseling Centre, Conseil Scolaire Catholique Franco Nord, Conseil Scolaire public du Nord-Est de l'Ontario

Interventions and follow-up by the Gateway Hub is at times with the assistances of Community based organizations or another external agency. Many of our CBO's in North Bay have been involved at a tertiary level and continue to be engaged with our work. (18) Tertiary agencies to the Gateway Hub are:

*Low Income People Involvement of Nipissing (LIPI), District of Nipissing Administration Board- ODSP, Transition House, YES Employment, Amelia Rising, City of North Bay, Community Living, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Elder Abuse Committee, Mattawa Women's Resource Centre, Metis Nation, Nipissing District Housing Corporation, North Bay Fire Services, Ojibwa Family Resource Centre, One Kids Place, West Nipissing Police Service, Victims of Crime Assistance and Referrals (VCAR), The Gathering Place.*

## Ontario Working Group (OWG2)

### **Provincial Hub Report**

<b>Active</b>	<b>In Progress</b>	<b>Interest</b>
North Bay	Belleville	Port Colborne
Waterloo	Napanee	Frontenac
Sudbury	Manitoulin Island	Stratford
Guelph	Simcoe/Norfolk County	York
Toronto	Timmins	Midland
Kitchener	Kenora	London
Milton	Kingston	Temiskaming Shores



Oxford County		
Peel		
Northumberland		
Ottawa		
Barrie		
Brantford		
Durham		
Orillia		

### **Risk Tracking Database (RTD)**

The RTD update and associated training will now take place in North Bay, September 17<sup>th</sup>. Both myself and Judy Celentano, DNSSAB admin assistant and data-clerk for the Gateway Hub, will be trained on site by Ministry staff. It is anticipated that after a short pilot by North Bay, additional communities in the province will be trained by the ministry.

## Funding

Trillium funding is being explored on two fronts. A conversation with Trillium helped narrow the fields of opportunity and learned a Grow grant could yield 75-100k a year for the growth and continuance of our initiative. The collective impact grant is a more in depth and extremely competitive opportunity, with only a total of three grants in the Province of Ontario being awarded. (500k year) For that reason, we will be applying for both funding streams and conversations, support with Trillium are ongoing.

Both opportunities would be geared towards CMNB application of a COR type of support system for the work accomplished by the Hub. The grant funding is focused on results driven applications based on evidence. The focus of these initiatives will have to be decided by our Executive group in the coming weeks.

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Exploration and talks also continue with our stakeholders in order to provide sustainable funding from within our own collaborative.

## Notable Meetings and Contacts

### **August 6 – NMHHSS Mary Davis E.D.**

Met with Mary Davis regarding future of CMNB, Hub table activities, NMHHSS staff, Executive Committee membership. Mary pleased with progress thus far, and supports further advancement. Possible funding pockets available at fiscal end as well as training opportunities.

### **August 11 – CAS Gisele Hebert**

Met with Gisele to discuss CAS's return to the table. CAS has agreed to return September 15<sup>th</sup> and Tracy Robinson has been assigned to that position once again.

### **August 20 - Ontario CoP**

The loosely organized Community of Practice had once again gathered via teleconference to discuss advancing the group's abilities and scope. Membership is growing in both Hub/Situation Tables as well as those providing similar ad-hoc services. Face-to-Face meetings are still being discussed and dates are being circulated. The Ministry was present for this event and further explained the RTD roll out and work to date with North Bay. Presently, outside communities are gathering data via an Excel spreadsheet and best practices were shared in that regard. It should be noted, the ministry had provided strict comment on that gathering of data and re-enforced the necessity to be consistent. Some of our communities have been changing risk factors and other data. Only the data supplied in the Excel will be uploaded into the RTD when that time comes.

### **August 27<sup>th</sup> - Sturgeon Falls Nanditta Colbear**

Ongoing discussions with Sturgeon Falls/West Nipissing as they explore possibilities of advancing a response oriented collaborative similar to No Wrong Door. Sturgeon Falls is soliciting local participation for an initiative to address the ongoing emergent needs that crop up. The area is still connected to our Hub table and they do not feel they have the capacity to create their own. That being said, many situations arise that could use consent based ad-hoc response from local stakeholders.

### **August 28<sup>th</sup> – DNSSAB Joe Bradbury CAO**

Met with Joe to discuss future DNSSAB involvement as well as current status and avenues for further advancement. DNSSAB continues to be strongly supportive of the initiative and has provided in kind donations of boardroom and office space as well as administrative assistance at our Hub meetings.



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### Board Report

Date of Report: September 30, 2015

Date of Meeting: October 14, 2015

Mr. D. O'Connor, Chair  
and members of the  
North Bay Police Services Board

**Subject: Town Hall Meetings**

**Recommendation: Information Item**

As the Board is aware we are in the process of drafting our 2016-2021 Strategic Plan.

Our Strategic Planning Committee has worked very hard this year to gather information and feedback to assist us through the planning process. This includes surveys in North Bay and Callander, a customer service survey at police headquarters this summer, an internal survey of our members and most recently 3 Town Hall meetings.

Find attached a brief report prepared by Ms. Lugli providing details of the Town Hall meetings we hosted and the feedback received. Although participation was limited we appreciate the comments and questions from those who did attend. This information will be shared with our Strategic Planning Committee at our next meeting.

I invite any comments or questions from the Board.

Sincerely,

Paul D. Cook, O.O.M.  
Chief of Police

# North Bay Police Service

## Town Hall Meeting

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### Public Feedback Form [OPEN-ENDED]

When planning for the next five years, I believe the North Bay Police Service's 2016-2021 Strategic Planning Committee should focus on the following priorities and/or consider the following:

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#### **Monday 28 September 2015**

North Bay attendance: 3

##### Points of discussion:

- Comment re: mental health issues and a person's personal experience was touched on; police treatment was positive
- Addictions issues, would we consider a needle exchange programs similar to Vancouver? (Dep. Devine mentioned our partnership with AIDS Committee)
- Public attendance at Board meetings; seen as more of a "press conference." (Chief Cook mentioned all are welcome to attend and listen to open sessions. He also advised that citizens must contact the Board Chair in advance in writing to make a deputation or presentation to the Board.)

##### Comments from feedback forms:

One person submitted her email address to request a copy of the PowerPoint presentation, which she'd like to share with her students at Nipissing U.

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#### **Monday 28 September 2015**

Callander attendance: 8

##### Points of discussion:

- Speeding concerns (especially in areas where there are children on bicycles, water park area)
- Ideas re: installation of "radar speed display signs" and speed bumps (Dep. Devine – in discussion with municipal officials; some drivers like the challenge of seeing how fast they can go to set off the display; speed bumps cause problems for snowplows, and emergency vehicles)

- Chief Cook encouraged public to report activity to our non-emergency number so that we can dedicate patrol officers to areas of concern
- Mayor Hector Lavigne expressed how grateful he is of our service and how much he appreciates it when officers get out of cruisers to meet and greet public face to face. Also appreciates seeing bike patrol officers in summer.
- Question re: funding. Chief Cook discussed grant money available and how focus of policing is shifting to crime prevention and community safety and wellness partnerships with other services; that NPBS is ahead of the game with programs like The Gateway Hub.

Comments from feedback form:

Comment 1: The aggressive driving on Main Street downtown seems to be between the hours of 06:30 and 08:00 and 17:00 and 20:00.

Comment 2: Enjoyed the presentation. I have no specific concerns at this time.

Comment 3:

- More preventative programs
- Attempt to secure long-term funding stream to deal with ongoing downloading (of services)
- Internal sustainability training program to reduce operating costs (electricity, fuels, paper, ink, lighting, etc.)

Email submitted after the fact:

**From:** Linda Rose Woods [mailto:lrwoods@sympatico.ca]

**Sent:** Monday, September 28, 2015 11:05 PM

**To:** Marie Lugli

**Subject:** 2016-2021 Strategic Planning Presentation in Callander

First of all nice to meet you and thank you for being part of the team that delivered the findings, both historical and recent, from focus group telephone calls. As requested, please find below the issues that I suggest should be part of the priorities for Callander:

1. Enforcement of 40 km an hour speed limit, especially during commuter times 7-8:30 am and 4:30-6:00 pm.
2. Consider reducing speed limit in front of parks and high density parking areas (e.g. dentist office, post office).

Respectfully submitted,

Linda Woods

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**Tuesday 29 September 2015, Second Town Hall Meeting in North Bay**  
Attendance: 0



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### Board Report

Date of Report: September 29, 2015

Date of Meeting: October 14, 2015

Mr. D. O'Connor, Chair  
and members of the  
North Bay Police Services Board

**Subject: Contingency Account – 2016 National Special Olympics Winter Games**

**Recommendation: That the Board hereby resolves, "to donate \$300.00 from the contingency line in the 2015 Operating Budget towards sponsoring the 3 North Bay athletes participating in the 2016 National Special Olympics Winter Games."**

As the Board is aware we partnered with Special Olympics Ontario to host a very successful Provincial Winter Games in North Bay earlier this year. Three of our local Special Olympics athletes, Carley Tucker, Ben Chain and John Touw have qualified for and will be attending the 2016 National Winter Games. These Games are scheduled to take place in Corner Brook Newfoundland. The total cost per athlete is \$1,600.00 and Special Olympics Ontario is assisting them through a fundraising campaign.

One of the four sponsorship levels is Fan at a cost of \$100.00 and I am recommending a donation of \$100.00 per athlete from the contingency account to support these incredible local athletes.

The current balance in the contingency account is \$1,748.15.

If the Board is in agreement I would request the above noted resolution be passed.

I invite any comments or questions from the Board.

Sincerely,

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