SOUTH OTTAWA VALLEY OPP DETACHMENT BOARD
CONSEIL DU DÉTACHEMENT DE SOUTH OTTAWA VALLEY
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South Ottawa Valley OPP Board
Minutes of the Meeting – Wednesday, September 9, 2026

Location: OPP Detachment Board Room, 410 O'Brien Rd, Renfrew

Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 4:03 p.m.

ATTENDANCE:

Present: Chair John Proctor, Detachment Commander Mary Ann MacNeil, Glen Campbell, Lisa McGee, Steve Parker, Jill Campbell, Connie White, Jason Legris, Angela Field, Rob Tripp, Administrator Dana Doughty and delegate Tammy-Lyn Ferguson.

DISCLOSURE OF PECUNIARY INTEREST AND GENERAL NATURE THEREOF

None being heard or seen.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Chair Proctor presented the agenda. Hearing no amendments or objections, the agenda was approved as distributed by consensus

APPROVAL OF MINUTES – JUNE 10, 2026

Chair Proctor presented the agenda. Hearing no amendments or objections, the agenda was approved as distributed by consensus.

FINANCE UPDATE:

Jason Legris stated that he is working with the Town of Renfrew regarding onboarding Dana Doughty, the new Board Administrator. Dana left the meeting so that a discussion about Dana's onboarding process and to set up a meeting to discuss.

Jason also outlined that the mileage and honorariums that are paid twice per year have been paid and will be looked after by the Board Administrator moving forward.

CHAIRS UPDATE:

Chair Proctor introduced the new Board Administrator, Dana Doughty.

With the upcoming election on Oct 26, Chair Proctor will be sending out guidance for new board members. Chair Proctor outlined the process for Board members who are not seeking re-election and confirmed that they will remain a Board member until a new member is designated from the municipality.

Chair Proctor stated the Detachment Commander's annual review is the Board's responsibility for January and the goal is to have it completed in December.

Chair Proctor encourage Board members to look at the PGO survey results that are on the Police Governance Ontario (PGO) website.

DETACHENT COMMANDERS UPDATE:

Detachment Commander MacNeil introduced the new Operations Manager Mandy Ormsby and how pleased the detachment is to have her onboard.

A presentation was given on the Youth in Policing Initiative that ran for 8 weeks for students under 18. The initiative was a success this summer with the group of students that participated.

Report summary. Detachment MacNeil went through the Report Summary with the Board.

The importance of mental health was reiterated for the officers that have been involved in recent investigations of highway deaths in the area.

CORRESPONENCE: Chair Proctor introduced Tammy-Lyn Ferguson and summarized the South Ottawa Valley Police Detachment Board's role in governance and stated that the Board is not involved in the operations of the detachment but the concerns of the delegate will be heard.

Tammy-Lyn summarized as a representative of her neighbourhood on Garden of Eden Road and their concerns over speeding and increased traffic during detours.

Detachment Commander MacNeil provided a summary of the information the detachment was able to collect and suggested that further data could be collected using a speed monitor that could be borrowed from one of the municipalities.

IN CAMERA:

ADJOURNMENT: 5:30