



KINGSTON POLICE SERVICE BOARD AGENDA – Public Meeting Number 26-08

Public Meeting Agenda – Thursday, September 24, 2026, at 12:00 noon at
Kingston Police Headquarters, William Hackett Boardroom

Join the Meeting

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	ITEM	LEAD	TIME
1.	Call the Meeting to Order and Land Acknowledgment The Kingston Police Service Board acknowledges that it is on the traditional homeland of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, and Huron-Wendat peoples, and thanks them for their stewardship of the land and it is in that spirit of stewardship that we are committed to providing for the safety and security of all its citizens.	Chair	1 Min
2.	Presentation/Briefing - None		
3.	Disclosure of Conflict of Interest	Chair	1 Min
4.	Approval of the Agenda	Chair	1 Min
5.	Adoption of the Minutes from the Meeting of July 23, 2026	Chair	1 Min
6.	Communications	Chair	2 Min
	a. Invitation to the 34 th Annual Association of Black Law Enforcers (A.B.L.E.) Scholarship and Awards Gala, taking place on October 24, 2026, at RBC Place, London, Ontario. b. Request for sponsorship of the 34 th Annual Association of Black Law Enforcers (A.B.L.E.) 34 th Annual Scholarship and Awards Gala. c. Certified resolution passed by Kingston City Council on August 11, 2026, with respect to Advocacy for Westray Law Enforcement and Training requesting the Kingston Police Service Board ensure that all police officers have training on how to apply the Westray Amendment and the resources necessary to investigate workplace fatalities and injuries. d. Email from Diane Smithson, Secretary-Treasurer, PGO Zone 2 forwarding the Agenda for the PGO Zone 2 Meeting being hosted by the Cornwall Police Service Board on September 25, 2026, at the		

	Best Western, Cornwall. e. PGO Governance Briefing Number 3: When Compliance Isn't Enough – Moving from Legislative Compliance to Governance Effectiveness, received July 29, 2026. f. PGO Governance Briefing Number 4: Learning from Inspector General Decisions – How Oversight Decisions Can Strengthen Police Governance, received July 29, 2026. g. PGO Governance Briefing Number 5: Evidence-Informed Governance – Using Information to Strengthen Police Governance, received August 24, 2026. h. PGO Governance Briefing Number 6: Governance Readiness – Building Governance Systems that Support Accountability, Transparency and Continuous Improvement, received August 31, 2026. i. PGO Governance Insights – Becoming a Better Board Member: Five Practices of Effective Board Members. j. Resolution Number 2026-267 approved, as amended, by Kingston City Council at its September 1, 2026, meeting with respect to Responsible Pet Ownership.				
7.	Delegations - None				
8.	Report Number	Consent Agenda (Information Reports)	Chair	2 Min	
	26-68	Mental Health Calls (July)			
	26-74	Human Resources Report (July)			
	26-75	Human Resources Report (August)			
	26-78	Mental Health Calls (August)			
9.	Report Number	Approval Agenda (Recommendation Reports)			
	26-72	Approval of Multiple Policies under the Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019 (CSPA) That the Kingston Police Service Board approve the policies listed in Report Number 26-72, as presented, in accordance with the <i>Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019</i>, and applicable regulations.	Chair	1 Min	
	26-69	Appointment of New Police Officers (New Recruits) That the Kingston Police Service Board appoint, contingent upon each candidate obtaining an Ontario Police College Basic Constable Training Certificate, on the date of swearing-in, Austin Gill and Luke Murray, as Kingston Police officers pursuant to Section 37(1)(c) of the <i>Community Safety and Policing Act (CSPA)</i>.			

10.	Motions		
	a. Kingston Police Response to Dog Attacks and Dangerous Dog Incidents Moved by: Wendy Stephen Seconded by: Gregory Ridge That the Kingston Police Service Board receive the resolution adopted by Kingston City Council on September 1, 2026, respecting responsible pet ownership, dogs at large, off-leash activity and dangerous dogs; and That the Chief of Police provide a report to the Board outlining: 1. the role and legal authority of the Kingston Police in responding to dog attacks and other dog-related incidents that present an immediate risk to public safety; 2. the current procedures and communication protocols between Kingston Police, City By-law Enforcement, Animal Services and other relevant agencies; 3. the processes for referring incidents, preserving and sharing relevant information, and communicating with and supporting victims of dog attacks; 4. any identified gaps in procedures, coordination, training or public information; and 5. any recommendations within the Board's jurisdiction that would improve public safety and the coordinated response to serious dog-related incidents; and That the Board Chair forward the Chief's report, once received by the Board, to Kingston City Council and City staff for consideration as part of the City's review.	W. Stephen Chair	2 Mins
11.	Ratification of Motions		
	a. <u>Report Number 26-66 – Approval of Multiple Policies under the CSPA</u> That the Kingston Police Service Board ratify a motion passed by a poll of a quorum of Board Members on August 27, 2026, pending the next scheduled public board meeting, as follows: That the Kingston Police Service Board approve the policies listed in Report Number 26-66, as presented, in accordance with the <i>Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019</i>, and applicable regulations.	Chair	1 Min
	b. <u>Report Number 26-70 – Appointment of Experienced Police Officers</u> That the Kingston Police Service Board ratify a motion passed by a poll of a quorum of Board Members on September 3, 2026, pending the next scheduled public board meeting, as follows: That the Kingston Police Service Board appoint Ryan Dempster, Scott Newby, and Jacob Veenstra, as Kingston Police Officers,	Chair	1 Min

	pursuant to Section 37(1)(c) of the <i>Community Safety and Policing Act</i> (CSPA).		
	c. <u>Report Number 26-71 – Approval of Multiple Policies under the CSPA</u> That the Kingston Police Service Board ratify a motion passed by a poll of a quorum of Board Members on September 4, 2026, pending the next scheduled public board meeting, as follows: That the Kingston Police Service Board approve the policies listed in Report Number 26-71, as presented, in accordance with the <i>Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019</i>, and applicable regulations.	Chair	1 Min
12.	Unfinished Business - None		
13.	Chief's Verbal Update	Chief	3 Min
14.	Chair's Verbal Update	Chair	3 Min
15.	Discussion / New Business		
	a. Canadian Association of Police Governance Annual Conference – Highlights by Board Member attendees, Jimmy Hassan and Christian Leuprecht	J. Hassan C. Leuprecht	2 Min 2 Min
	b. Budget Committee – update	Chair	1 Min
	c. Strategic Planning Committee – update	Chair	1 Min
	d. Policy & By-Law Committee – update	Chair	1 Min
16.	IN CAMERA – Motion to Meet In Camera		
	<i>Motion to move in camera in accordance with Section 44 of the Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019, to discuss the following items: Section 44(2)(a) the security of property of the board, (b) personal matters about an identifiable individual, including members of the police service or any other employees of the board, (d) labour relations or employee negotiations, (e) litigation or potential litigation affecting the board, including matters before administrative tribunals.</i>		
17.	Meeting Closing		
	Next Board Meeting – Regular Meeting – October 22, 2026		