

# 2013



## Annual Report



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# Message

from the

# Chief of Police

The 2013 annual report provides a wide variety of information about the Timmins Police Service's activities over the past year. In 2013, the Timmins Police Service continued its commitment to the safety and security of all residents.

For the Timmins Police Service, 2013 had many highlights. Our officers participated in many great community initiatives. Our honour guard participated in the National Police Memorial in Ottawa. Our platoon officers laid over 3300 provincial offence charges and over 2800 federal offence charges. DARE and anti-bullying initiatives continued to have an effect on local students, with much positive feedback from parents and teachers

In 2013, many important cases were solved by our Criminal Investigation Unit, including significant fraud and theft cases, assaults, an armed robbery and a rash

of break and enters. A significant amount of drugs was seized by our Drug Enforcement Unit, ensuring these dangerous substances are taken off the streets of our city.

Looking back on 2013, I am extremely proud of all of our officers and civilian members who continue to devote themselves to the well-being of our citizens.

This year, as in years past, public safety remains the top priority for the Timmins Police Service and its members.

We look forward to another great year of serving our community.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "John Gauthier".

John Gauthier  
Chief of Police

## MISSION STATEMENT

Guided by public trust and the principles of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedoms, the Timmins Police Service, in partnership with the community, commits to the continuous pursuit of excellence in the delivery of policing services.



## VISION

"Partnership with our diverse community to ensure a safe and secure Timmins."



## SUPPORTING VALUES

**PROFESSIONALISM** – We are committed to upholding high standards of public accountability and professional integrity.

**SERVICE** – We are committed to achieving the highest standards of police service delivery.

**INNOVATION** – We are committed to innovation and continuous learning.

**EMPOWERMENT** – We value our police service members as our most important resource. We encourage the contributions of all in a climate of openness, trust, and mutual respect.

**PARTNERSHIP** – We pursue our mission through strategic interaction with the community we serve.



# Aboriginal Advisory *Committee*

## Constable Nick Moland-Osborne

The Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee was established to improve and enhance communication between representatives of the Aboriginal community, including local and regional Aboriginal organizations and the Timmins Police Service.

The Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee assists the Timmins Police Service in developing strategies to bring together the Aboriginal community and the Timmins Police Service while enhancing partnerships to ensure a safe and secure community. These partnerships will assist in the Timmins Police Service's commitment to achieving the highest standards of police service delivery.



The members of the Timmins Police Service Aboriginal Advisory Committee are volunteers from various Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal agencies within the city. The Timmins Police Service Aboriginal Advisory Committee is comprised the following representatives:

- Darlene Lafontaine – Chair (Wabun Tribal Council)
- Chief John Gauthier – Co-Chair (TPS)
- Inspector Cheechoo (NAPS)
- Cheryl Macumber – Elder (TNFC)
- Constable Nick Osborne (TPS)
- Vicky Chilton (Misiway Milopemahtesewin Health Center)
- Sinclair Williams (TNFC)
- Marlene Lamarche (Northern College)
- Kim Naveau (Mamo-Nuskomitowin)
- Stella Okimaw (Kunuwanimano)
- Leahann Parrott (Nishnawbe Aski Legal Services)
- Jamie Davey (DSBONE)
- Ryan Plante (Métis Nation of Ontario)
- Michelle Leigh (DSBONE)
- Antoine Vezina (Timmins Economic Development Corporation)
- Jessie Sutherland (NCDSB)

The goal of the Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee is to foster a healthy and positive relationship between Aboriginal people and the Timmins Police Service in the delivery of law enforcement and effective crime prevention.

The strategies of the Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee are to:

- Liaise with community members and organizations to determine existing problems and assess the needs as perceived by the Aboriginal community in the delivery of law enforcement and crime prevention.
- Consult with the Timmins Police Service through its representatives on the problems and needs to achieve solutions.
- Educate community members and police representatives to bridge the cultural gap.
- Provide a forum for ongoing discussion of existing and emerging issues.

## **2013 Activities**

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### **TNFC's New Facility**

On June 21st the Timmins Native Friendship Center opened its doors to the new facility located on Kirby Avenue. The Timmins Police Service Aboriginal Advisory Committee provided a ceremonial Eagle Feather to the staff to be used at the facility. This Eagle feather represents our continued support and partnership to the organization.

### **National Aboriginal Day**

Every year, the TPS AAC plays a large role in the organization and planning of National Aboriginal Day hosted at the Hollinger Park. This year drew an unprecedented crowd. Several local businesses contributed to the event by means of in-kind donations. The TPS AAC attended the entire day to ensure the smooth production of the event.

### **TPS AAC/TNFC Youth Gym Night**

The TPS AAC sought partnership with Canadian Tire's Jump Start Program which is dedicated to removing barriers that may prevent youth from participating in locally organized physical activities. The Aboriginal Liaison Officer conducted an extensive needs analysis and costing review which was submitted for approval by the program and was awarded over \$5,000 of new sports equipment for use at the TNFC.

Last year's challenges with a lack of insurable space and use of safe and operable equipment were no longer an issue in 2013. Weekly, members of the Timmins Police would attend the TNFC on a voluntary basis and participate in sports with the youth of the community. This activity proved to enhance the relationship between the officers and the youth and encouraged an open dialogue of communication.

Due to unforeseen administrative concerns the participation of the officers was yielded, but is expected to resume.

## **Ontario Provincial Police Native Awareness Training**

As a result of an intensive exploration of the OPP's operational impact during the Ipperwash conflict, the Ontario Provincial Police implemented a Native Awareness course to make their officers more aware of inter-provincial issues with relation to their policing methods. The Timmins Police Service has been graciously invited to participate in the workshops facilitated by Sergeant George Coochie of the O.P.P. The week long workshops appropriately take place at the historically rich Samuel de Champlain Provincial Park west of Mattawa, Ontario at the Ecology Center.

In 2013, two Timmins Police Officers were afforded the opportunity to attend the Ecology Center to participate in the workshop. Sgt. George Coochie of the O.P.P. was very welcoming to the staff of TPS and encourages future attendance.

The participating officers learned several aspects of the culture of the First Nations groups not only from a Northern Ontario perspective, but from an inter-tribal perspective including the several treaties with the country. Participants were afforded the opportunity to learn about several areas of concern that would not otherwise be available, such as Aboriginal women's issues including sexual abuse and parenting abstentions and obstacles, Native gangs, and effective communication and working in a First Nations community.

The workshop continues to be invaluable. As the officers returned from their experience they came with a renewed outlook on our diverse community and committed themselves to helping their colleagues deal with culturally diverse situations more appropriately.

The Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee remains committed to assigning 2 to 4 officers per year to participate in this program.

## **Drum Making Workshop**

In 2012, the Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee presented the Timmins Native Friendship Center with a \$2000 donation to help contribute to a Ceremonial Drum Making Workshop.

On October 18, 2013, the Timmins Native Friendship Center hosted the sponsored Drum Making Workshop which gave participants the opportunity to make their own drum. The participants learned the importance of the drum and what it represents in their culture as well as how one should care for the drum and protect it.

This workshop proved to be a valuable part of the participant's journey to self identification and the donation that supported it from TPS AAC reinforced the police partnership with its community.

### TPS AAC Aboriginal and Cultural Awareness Training

The Timmins Police Service Aboriginal Advisory Committee partnered with the Timmins Economic Development Corporation in hiring Dudem Incorporated to establish a living document that will act as a direction for the TPS AAC to deliver a unified and consistent Aboriginal Awareness Training Workshop to local organizations.

In September 2013, some members of the TPS AAC were trained by Dudem to deliver the training; however with a change in membership of the committee, the group was unable to roll out the project to corporate organizations in the community.

It is expected that in early 2014 a large group of TPS AAC members will be trained to facilitate the training and will deliver it to local organizations.

### Walking the Path

The Aboriginal Liaison Officer has been working directly with the District School Board Ontario Northeast in implementing a consistent cluster of Walking the Path sessions with students. On a weekly basis, Cst. Osborne attended Ross Beattie with Committee member, Jamie Davey and delivered the Walking the Path program in its entirety to 13 students. The students learned several aspects of their culture including the four sacred medicines, four directions, seven grandfathers, smudging, feasts, self awareness and respect among others.

In graduation, the students participated in an opening smudge and offering as well as a closing and feast. The program was successful in teaching the children something that the mainstream education system otherwise does not incorporate.

The program will run into early 2014 where the youth will once again participate in a graduation and feast.



## *Anticipated* Challenges

With recent changes in budgetary availability, several aspects of training suffered, including in-house varied officer training. As an indicator of the success of the TPS AAC and the milestones the committee is exceeding, officers often ask when the next Cultural Awareness Training will take place and how they can help with local events. As interest is mustered among officers, awareness is secured within their daily methods.

Municipal budgetary constraints are at the center of any annual report. The TPS member collective agreement will limit the availability of training for officers as well as event participation.

## Looking *forward*

The TPS AAC will create a sub-committee to establish delivery package of the Aboriginal Awareness Training to organizations for a nominal fee, to help subsidize costs and continue our partnerships with local agencies.

The TPS AAC will be working toward making the Walking the Path Program a main element of the curriculum of the elementary school board within the city. With the assistance of the committee members, this is attainable.

Several objectives remain on the task list of the Committee including establishing a regular schedule to the Youth Gym Nights, securing a community partner to help fund the equipment for the youth to play the sports with, fully implementing the Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee Aboriginal Awareness training, engaging the school systems in promoting the Walking the Path program, and finally, but not the least important, encouraging the Aboriginal youth in the city of Timmins to take interest in the career of law enforcement.

The Timmins Police Service's Aboriginal Advisory Committee and the Timmins Police Service are dedicated to working in partnership with the community to meet the needs as issues arise on an individual basis.

# Ceremonial *Honour Guard*

## Sergeant Alan Richardson

The Timmins Police Service Ceremonial Honour Guard was established in 2007. It is comprised of eight volunteer officers, outfitted with significant ceremonial uniforms. The Honour Guard provides a traditional, formal presence at events such as celebrations, memorials, funerals, and other community-oriented public venues. Sergeant Alan Richardson is the current Honour Guard Commander. In 2013 the Timmins Police Honour Guard attended the National Police Memorial in Ottawa, the Provincial Police Memorial in Toronto, local Remembrance Day

Ceremonies and stood guard at three funerals.

The current Honour Guard volunteer members are: Sgt. A. Richardson, Cst. B. Field, Cst. T. Chilton, Cst. M. Beerman, Cst. N. Osborne, Cst. M. Black, Cst. M. Demers and Sp/Cst. R. Ferri. In March of 2013, the Unit was also honoured to represent our community, Province and Country as they provided the traditional Colour Party for the Timmins Police Pipes and Drums in the annual St. Patrick's Day parade in New York City. The trip was paid for by the members and sponsors.



# Communications

## *Section*

**Selena Pearce-Gauthier**  
**Communications Manager**

It is the mandate of the Timmins Police Service CERB (Central Emergency Reporting Bureau) to provide a continual pursuit of excellence in the delivery of services and strive for the utmost of professionalism when dealing with all of our citizens throughout the North East and Coastal areas.

When citizens call the emergency 9-1-1 number, the first person they speak to is a Communications Operator. Members occupying these positions provide the vital link to police officers, fire fighters and paramedics in the field and are often required to make quick, accurate and critical decisions under stressful conditions.


The Section utilizes advanced technology within the Service's infrastructure to ensure exceptional service for our community. The purchase, training and implementation (including ongoing software updates), has provided us with the most current, state of the art equipment.


Provincial Adequacy Standards require extensive training to all new Communicators. All Call-takers and Dispatchers within the unit must have successfully completed the required training. It is vital that we achieve excellence through our recruitment, and training efforts as our members are the backbone to supporting frontline personnel.


## 911 *by the numbers*

9-1-1 Communicators answer upwards of 600 calls on a daily basis.

CALLS FOR SERVICE\* - 2013 total: 53,762

 = 26,271

 = 1,868

 = 25,623

*\*Note: calls for service indicate instances where emergency personnel are dispatched and do not include general inquiries*

# 911 *hang-ups*

In 2013, Communications Operators answered

# 660

9-1-1 hang-up calls.



When a 9-1-1 hang-up call is received, officers will be dispatched to ensure it was, in fact, a misdial.

If you accidentally dial 9-1-1, always stay on the line and explain to the operator that it was a misdial. Expect a visit from our officers to make sure you are ok!

## Staffing

2013 saw several changes in the staffing model. Several part time staff were promoted to full time status and it is anticipated that 2014 will see another increase.

## *Anatomy* of a 9-1-1 call

- 11:28 p.m. Dispatchers receive a call from a concerned citizen who suspects an impaired driver
- 11:28 p.m. An officer is dispatched to the area
- 11:30 p.m. After speaking with the complainant and gathering more details the dispatcher passes the new information along to the officer
- 11:38 p.m. The officer locates the suspect vehicle and effects a traffic stop
- 12:05 a.m. After a roadside breath test, the driver registers a 'FAIL' and is transported to the Timmins Police station, where he is charged with impaired driving.

# Community Oriented *Foot Patrol*

## Sergeant Alan Richardson

The primary responsibility of the Community Oriented Foot Patrol (COFP) officers is to provide a visible presence for the Timmins Police Service throughout the community and to interact with the citizens on a more personal level.

Community Oriented Foot Patrol officers spend the majority of their time walking the beat throughout the City. COFP officers concentrate their patrols around the areas of the city where citizens are found in greater numbers, such as the downtown core and shopping malls. The officers also take into consideration current problem areas as well as special events that may be happening when selecting the day's beat patrol area.

The COFP officers have kept abreast of areas within the City where crimes such as graffiti are taking place. In addition, the COFP officers have to be aware of the areas within the city that citizens have identified as "trouble spots" which make them feel unsafe. These "trouble spots" include areas where large groups of youth congregate and areas where intoxicated people tend to be found.

While out on patrol the COFP officers have to be ready to respond to calls for service in their patrol area. The officers also enforce the various Municipal, Provincial, and Federal Acts that they may witness while walking the beat.

Members of the COFP Unit also assist the Community Policing section when needed.

### 2013 Activities

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Between January 2013 and December 2013 the COFP Unit laid 20 criminal charges for offences including; theft, break and enter and obstruct police. Further, over 25 arrests were made for persons on outstanding warrants. These persons were located while officers were patrolling our City on foot. COFP officers also served 33 Provincial Offence notices for various infractions of the Highway Traffic Act of, Liquor Licence Act and Trespass to property Act. The unit also made several arrests and issued numerous offence notices for infractions under the Liquor License Act of Ontario and City By-laws.

Members of the Community Oriented Foot Patrol assisted the Community Service Section by manning the information booth at the Timmins Square during Police week.

The feedback that is received from the public with respect to the Foot Patrol Unit is very positive. The unit was able to successfully identify and charge the persons responsible for a great deal of the mischief that was visible on numerous buildings throughout the City.

## Anticipated *challenges*

Due to the ever increasing call volume and the limited number of officers available, the challenge in the future will be to maintain the current practice of leaving the COFP officers to concentrate solely on their beat duties.

## *Looking* forward

In the coming year, the unit will strive to exceed the levels of enforcement and community involvement that was achieved in 2013.



In December 2013, members of the Timmins Police Service and Northeast Harley Owner's Group (HOG) teamed up to deliver toys to families in need. Toys donated were collected at the annual HOG Toy Drive, which sees HOG members, along with TPS members and the public participate in a motorcycle ride during summer months collecting the toys.

This year, toys collected were donated to three local women's shelters – Villa Renouvellement, H.E.R. Place, and Tranquility House. Representatives from the facilities said the toys will have a great impact on Christmas morning for many children.

## Timmins Police Service *Giving back*

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Members of the Timmins Police Service are committed to making a difference in the lives of Timmins residents – both on and off duty.

In 2013, the Timmins Police Service participated in several initiatives including the HOG toy drive (at left,) the NHL All-Stars Alumni hockey game, the 2013 DARE cookie campaign, as well as initiatives dedicated to the Law Enforcement Torch Run. TPS officers also volunteer for various initiatives, such as performing traffic control at the annual Santa Claus Parade.

These events are examples of the contributions made by our members that continue to strengthen their communities.



In October 2013, Timmins Police officers traded in their blue for yellow, taking on the NHL Alumni team for the annual Law Enforcement Torch Run hockey game.

Proceeds raised from the game go toward the Ontario Special Olympics program and local Special Olympians.





The Timmins Police Service's 9-1-1 Communication elves were busy during the Fall months collecting donations for local children in need at Christmas.

The 9-1-1 Communication section then purchased toys and other items of need for local families. The items were delivered through Northeastern Ontario Family and Children's Services.

Pictured are Inspector Richard Blanchette, NEOFACS volunteer coordinator Liane Guenette, and 9-1-1 Communicator Shelly Villars.

# Community Patrol

## *Section*

### Inspector Michael McGinn

The community patrol unit is responsible for the initial response to calls for service on a 24 hour a day, 365 days a year basis. Unit responsibility ranges from first response to emergencies ranging from natural disasters, to motor vehicle collisions, to violent crimes, to assisting at medical emergencies. The unit also serves as the “gateway” to most of the services provided by other units within the Timmins Police Service.

Community patrol is responsible for maintaining high visibility patrols aimed at crime prevention, traffic calming, as well as enforcement.

The community patrol unit is the largest specialized unit within the Timmins Police Service. In order to provide round the clock service, the unit is divided into four platoons consisting of one (1) staff sergeant and one (1) sergeant, and ten constables. The platoons work 12 hour shifts on a rotating four on, four off schedule.

As first responders to almost all incidents reported to the Timmins Police Service, community patrol officers provide initial assessment of the incident, investigate, and initiate

referrals to external agencies, or to other specialized units within the Service.

Although total reported criminal offences dropped 9.7%, the total number of occurrences responded to by the service only dropped by 1.7% with almost 1.3% of that change attributable to the drop in reported criminal offences.

Four new community patrol members were certified as Scenes of Crimes Officers (SOCO) in 2013. This training provides greater expertise in the recognition and collection of physical evidence at crime scenes. These skills are particularly helpful in the collection of DNA samples which has resulted in a number of break and enter cases being solved.

Each community patrol platoon operates independently in order to achieve 24/7/365 deployment.

Each supervisor monitors his or her staff’s work load as well as monitoring any ongoing investigations, and providing guidance as needed.

The platoon supervisors review 100 % of the assignments tasked to their staff – including those instances where no report is required.

Despite the drop in reported crime, the number of criminal charges prepared by Community Patrol officers actually increased by 549 in 2013 over 2012. This is indicative of the training and quality of investigations performed by the Community Patrol staff, requiring fewer cases be transferred to the Criminal Investigation Section for follow-up.

The table at right highlights the work load of officers assigned to Community Patrol.

Platoon	Provincial Offences <sup>1</sup>	Federal Offences <sup>2</sup>	Task Assignments <sup>3</sup>	Reports Submitted <sup>4</sup>
<b>Platoon 1</b>	662	652	6333	3035
<b>Platoon 2</b>	869	665	5774	3212
<b>Platoon 3</b>	889	739	7071	3790
<b>Platoon 4</b>	948	801	6926	2373
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>3,368</b>	<b>2,857</b>	<b>26,104</b>	<b>12,410</b>

Platoon Performance Indicators

**Notes**

- 1 Provincial Offences** include all charges laid under the various provincial statutes such as the *Highway Traffic Act*, *Motorized Snow Vehicles Act*, and *Liquor Licence Act*. It also includes all charges under the City of Timmins By-Laws, such as the Traffic By-Law and the Noise By-Law, but it doesn't include parking tickets issued by the Community Patrol officers.
- 2 Federal Offences** includes all charges laid under the *Criminal Code*, the *Controlled Drugs and Substances Act*, and the *Youth Criminal Justice Act*. The number of charges laid is always higher than the number of persons charged, and the number of incidents cleared by charge. This is because most incidents and most offenders have more than one charge associated to each incident to which they are linked.
- 3 Task Assignments** are an indicator of how much work is assigned. Not all tasks require a report, for example the transferring a prisoner from court to jail will not generally result in a report.
- 4 Reports Submitted** exceeds the number of reportable incidents as many incidents have multiple reports associated to them. All reports have an associated task assignment.



# *Anticipated* Challenges

More data will be required before it can be determined if the 2013 drop in reported crime is a long term trend. Other demands on the police service have not been decreasing, but rather have been showing a slow steady increase. Most requests for police service require timely responses, even when it does not involve an emergency. Even when no laws are being violated, the police are called to provide assistance, direction, referrals and advice when people find themselves in some type of personal crisis

Non-criminal occurrences have been steadily increasing and placing greater demands on the Community Patrol Section. In terms of total call volume, non-criminal occurrences accounted for 85% of the total calls for service. Persons in mental health crises continue to be a challenge, but in hours devoted to each incident and in the increasing number of incidents where a person in crisis is involved. Our officers have worked closely with other mental health stakeholders to try and reduce the impact on both the police service and those affected by mental health issues.

# Looking *forward*

Training costs have increased significantly, especially for annual, mandated training. More training will be conducted during a patrol officer's shift, which will increase the workload of the remainder of the shift not assigned to training. This can result in longer response times to non-urgent occurrences, as well as reduce the directed patrol and traffic enforcement initiatives.

The objective for 2014 will be to maintain the high training standards, while also maintaining short response times to occurrences, and at least 2013 levels in self-directed enforcement.

# Community service/DARE *Section*

## Constable Rick Lemieux

The Community Service Section provides services and develops new programs for students, from grades one to twelve. The Community Services Section also strives to work with community partners to develop programs that will enhance the delivery of public safety messages within our community.

### 2013 Activities ————— DRUG ABUSE RESISTANCE EDUCATION (D.A.R.E.)

D.A.R.E. is currently targeting grade six students and is designed to help students to deal with social and personal pressure, how to identify good friends and how to seek assistance when faced with negative situations. The program is designed to give students the confidence and courage that they will need to resist and overcome peer pressure from not only drug use, but also criminal activity. The program was delivered to over 700 local students. The most important part of D.A.R.E. that the

students receive is the D.A.R.E. decision making model (Define, Assess, Respond, and Evaluate.) This model will help them understand that there are consequences for their actions, and that it is always important to think before they make decisions.



This year also marked another partnership with the Timmins Police Service and the D.A.R.E. Timmins board of directors. A new Grade 8 program entitled Keepin' It R.E.A.L. (Refuse, Explain, Avoid, and Leave) was offered to our local school boards.

O'Gorman Intermediate was the first to receive this 10 week program, which has proven successful in reducing the amount of students that experiment with drugs while in high school. The program gives the students the tools they need to make safe and healthy choices.

### ANTI-BULLYING PROGRAM / BULLYING MEDIATION

Education, prevention and intervention is the three-pronged approach taken in the effort to eliminate bullying in our schools. Through education, we equip our children with the tools needed to identify bullying, which is essential in prevention. In some cases, intervention or mediation between victims, bullies and their families is needed to resolve the conflict. These programs run from September to June. This year, the Timmins Police Service also took part in the "Pink Shirt" day to stand against bullying.



### **HALLOWEEN SAFETY**

This program educates children about safety during Halloween. Topics include: appropriate and safe costumes, face masks, stranger awareness, road safety, and safe treats.

### **BIKE ROAD-E-O**

Students learn the rules of the road, bicycle maintenance, safety, accident prevention and helmet safety in partnership with the Porcupine Health Unit. This program runs for two weeks at the end of May or early June.

This program is a partnership between the Timmins Police Service, the Porcupine Health Unit and the Seizure and Brain Injury Center.

### **HELMETS ON CAMPAIGN**

When officers are on patrol they look for the youth of our

City who are both in compliance and also non-compliance with the bicycle helmet laws. The youth who are abiding by the law will be given ballots to win prizes as well as a treat for each child. This initiative would not be possible without partnerships with the Porcupine Health Unit, Seizure and Brain Injury Centre, Neo Laser Tag, Cedar Meadows and Northern Sports.

### **EARN-A-BIKE**

Working hard and helping out pays off. That's how it was for several Timmins youngsters who were recognized in 2013. This was a joint project involving the Timmins Police Service and Tim Hortons. The program rewards children who do exceptionally hard work in school as well as taking part in an organized clean up of walking and cycling trails in the city.



## CYBER-RISKS

The exponential growth of electronic and computer based communication and information sharing during the last decade changed individuals' social interactions, learning strategies and choice of entertainment. More particularly, the internet has created a whole new world of risks for young people. The Timmins Police Service was proud to introduce a new program that empowers our youth while surfing the web.



The D.A.R.E. Graduation was well attended by parents and family, which means that the message is being brought from the classroom to home. In 2013, over 700 students graduated from all school boards in Timmins.

“ You have, once again, done a fantabulous job!!!!  
Keep on doing what you're doing. You are getting  
the message out there!!!! ”

Sybil Diana Dunbabin  
Bertha Shaw Public School

## *Looking* forward

The Community Services Section implemented a middle school (Grade 8) D.A.R.E. Keepin' It REAL program in 2013 for two of four school boards in Timmins. Our goal for 2014 is to start teaching this evidence based program for all of our students in Eighth grade.

The objective for Community Services is to continue to educate our youth, to better prepare them for high school and beyond. Working with community partners is a priority in establishing programs to benefit the Timmins community.

# Court Security

## *Section*

### Inspector Richard Blanchette

The Court Security section is comprised of one civilian administrator, three full-time, and seven part-time Special Constables who perform the bulk of the section's tasks.

The section's primary responsibility is to provide security at all three court facilities in Timmins. The Court Security Section also provides transportation for persons in custody, as well as duties such as DNA sampling and fingerprinting of charged persons.

Another large duty performed by the Special Constables is the service of documents, such as Summons', Subpoenas, Notices to Parent, Notices of Evidence, among others. Not all documents can always be served in time for the respective court dates for a number of reasons including inability to locate the individual or time constraints.

#### 2013 Activities

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There are three court facilities within the City of Timmins. The Provincial Offences Court is held in the city council chambers at City Hall on every Thursday. Special Constables are assigned to work at this court.

Traffic violations are the primary type of case heard at Provincial Offences Court. This court rarely involves persons being sentenced to custodial terms. This court falls under the mandate of the Timmins Police Service for court security purposes, and a Special Constable is present in the courtroom when it is in session. The Special Constable also ensures the safety of the Justice of the Peace by escorting him or her to and from court.

The Ontario Superior Court of Justice is located at 48 Spruce St. N. This court conducts more serious criminal trials, family court matters and civil cases. Special Constables are assigned to this facility only when criminal trials or contentious family court matters are being heard.

The Ontario Court of Justice facility is located on the upper level at the 101 Mall. There are three courtrooms in this facility, which operate each weekday except statutory holidays. On a rotating basis of approximately four to five times per year on weekends, this court is used as the North East Regional WASH (Weekends and Statutory Holiday) Court. A Special Constable is typically assigned to provide court security and on rare occasions if not available, a police officer will perform that duty.



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Most Criminal trials are held at the Ontario Court of Justice as well as Child and Family Services cases. Due to the more contentious nature of many of these cases, each courtroom is generally staffed by one Special Constable while court is in session. First Appearance Court for Young Offenders is generally scheduled on Mondays and First Appearance Court for Adults is generally scheduled on Tuesday at the Ontario Provincial Court.

Bail Hearings are held most weekdays in one of the Ontario Court of Justice court rooms. Bail court is held to determine if a person should remain in custody pending his or her court hearing, or if that person can be released. The Special Constables provide monitoring and handling for all prisoners who are in attendance for bail hearings.

The second major activity of the court security unit is the transport of prisoners either to court or to their custodial facility (see Table 1). Such transfers are recorded as escort incidents within the Timmins Police Service records management system (RMS). On occasion, Timmins Police Service Special Constables will transport prisoners for other police services along with our own prisoners. This type of inter-agency assistance occurred **61 times in 2013** and usually involved the transportation of a prisoner to or from the Monteith Correctional Facility.

Escort Type	Totals
Adult Local	460
Adult Out of town	507
Youth Local	53
Youth Out of Town	100
Escorts for Other Police Services	61
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>1181</b>

Table 1 – Prisoner escorts

Notes

- 1 **Local** escorts refer to any transport of prisoners where both the starting and ending point of the escort is within the boundaries of the City of Timmins. Most local escorts are the transferring of prisoners between the Timmins Police Service lockup and the Ontario Court of Justice facility at the 101 Mall.
- 2 **Adult-Out of Town** escorts refer to out of town escorts between the Timmins Police building or the Ontario Court of Justice facility and the Monteith Correctional Facility. Total time involved in each round trip to Monteith is approximately two and a half hours and involves two Special Constables.
- 3 **Youth-Out of Town** escorts involves the transfer of young person's to various facilities within the north east. Youths may be housed at MeeQuam Youth Residence in Cochrane, Pinegar Youth Centre in Kirkland Lake, the Near North Centre in North Bay, Northern Youth Services in Greater Sudbury, or Cecil Facer also in Greater Sudbury.

# Anticipated *Challenges*

In the later part of 2013, the current Court Administrator announced her resignation. A recruitment effort will take place in early 2014.

There have been vacancies for full-time Special Constable as well as part-time Special Constables. We are dedicated to filling these vacancies and will continue to maintain a healthy compliment.

The provincial funding of court security services commenced in 2012. This has relieved some of the cost burden to the Timmins Police Service related to court security. The design of the 101 Mall court facility creates challenges to providing appropriate security levels. As a police service we continue to voice our concerns over the inadequacy of the court facility and its effect on our ability to provide appropriate security for all persons using the facility.



# *Looking* forward

Members of the Court Security Committee will be working together to formalize a Court Security Plan to enhance service delivery and work towards improving facility challenges.

The unit will continue to perform court security duties in an efficient and professional manner under the current inadequate condition of the Provincial Court facility.

# Criminal Investigation

## *Section*

### Sergeant Lorne Yee

The mandate of the Criminal Investigations Section is the investigation of homicides, attempted murders, serious assaults, frauds and other serious criminal offences within the jurisdiction of the City of Timmins.

The Criminal Investigation Section consists of an Investigative unit, Identification unit, Domestic Violence/Bail Safety officer and a Bail officer. The Investigative unit consists of one Sergeant and nine Constables. The unit is under the supervision of Sergeant Lorne Yee who reports to the Staff Sergeant of Special Services. Of the nine investigators, two are assigned specifically to sexual offence investigations, one officer is identified as an Electronic Crime officer and one officer seconded to an ongoing joint investigation with the Ontario Provincial Police for most of the year.

#### **2013 Activities**

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In January, police investigated a sudden death involving a 48 year old male who passed away at the hospital. Police learned that the male had been previously assaulted by unknown person(s) days before. Using the Major Case Management protocols, several witnesses

were interviewed. After a lengthy investigation which included consultation with the Coroner's Office and Crown Attorney's office, two accused were charged with assault causing bodily harm. Both received lengthy sentences for the assault. Unfortunately police were unable to link the death to the specific assault.

After a very thorough investigation that began in 2012, officers completed the investigation of a theft of a skidder from a local forestry business. Several warrants were written to obtain the grounds and evidence to charge three Quebec residents. The investigation included cell phone records, the use of social media sites and the newly installed Closed Circuit Television cameras (CCTV). Working in conjunction with the Quebec Provincial Police, Timmins Police officers attended Mont Laurier, Quebec in April and arrested two people for theft over \$5000. A third person was eventually arrested for his involvement as well. At the time of the arrest a tractor trailer was seized as part of the offence. The main person in this theft was convicted in Timmins court. The accused was incarcerated for a period of time and ordered to pay restitution. The accused was ordered to forfeit his \$85,000 trailer to the courts.

As a result of information from a Joint Major Case Investigation which included officers from the Timmins Police and the Ontario Provincial Police (OPP), an additional 55 criminal charges were laid by Criminal Investigations officers in relation to several high profile unsolved incidents at the time. They included the Acklands break and enter, Casey's break and enter, Bargain Shop break and enter, Kidd Creek metal theft, Feldman Timber theft, G and N Storage theft and several serious assault incidents. A 42 year old person was convicted of many of the charges. He was subsequently incarcerated for a lengthy period of time to be followed by a lengthy probation term.

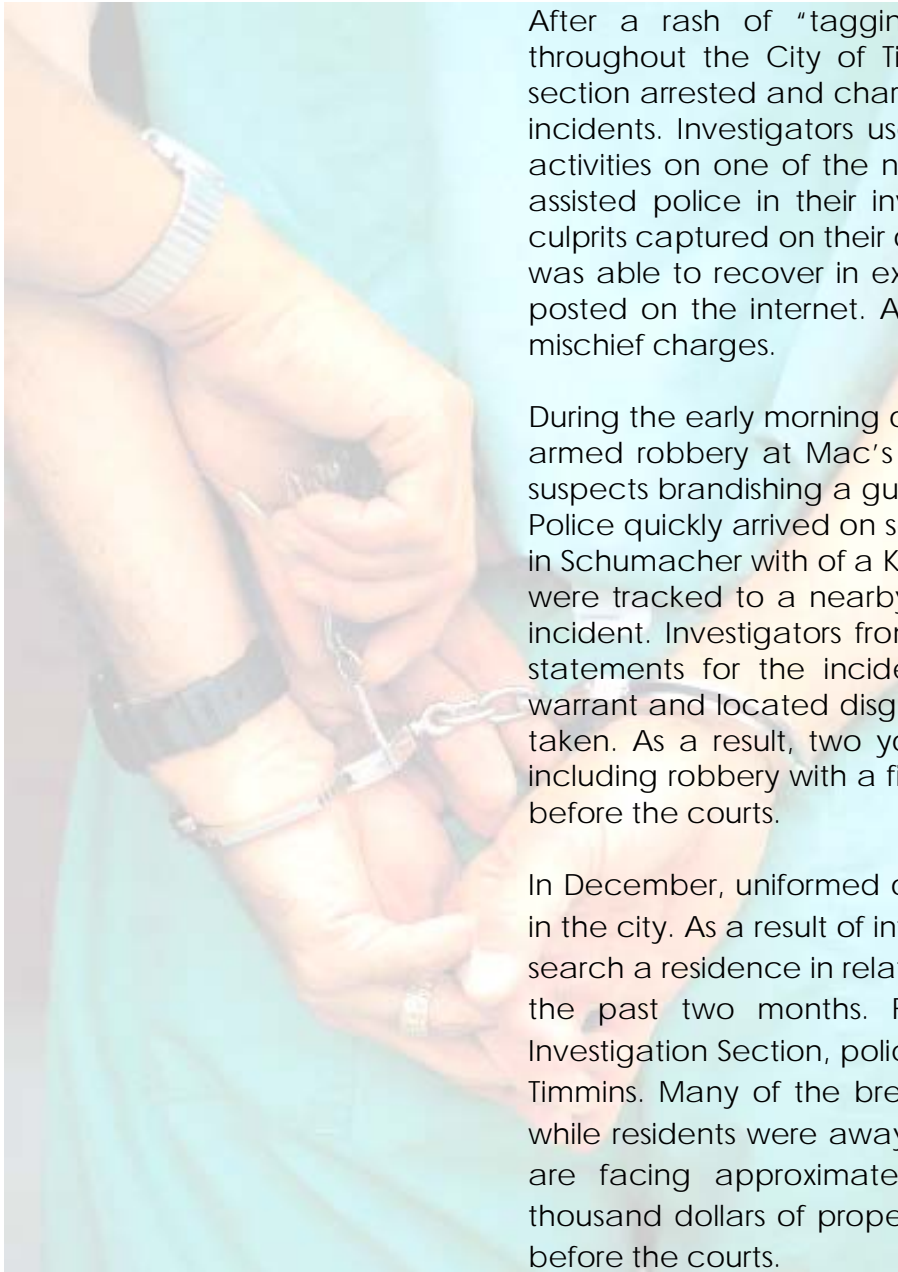
In May, investigators arrested and charged a 42 year-old Timmins woman for fraud and falsifying books and documents. The accused had been elected treasurer of a local union. The union president contacted police after noticing irregularities and missing information from the union's financial records. Investigators determined that approximately \$35,000 had been stolen from the union accounts and as a result the accused was charged accordingly. The matter is still before the courts at this time.

A large retail business in Timmins contacted the police in May after discovering suspicious transactions in their financial records. After a lengthy investigation which included reviewing financial documents over a two year period, officers in the Criminal Investigations Unit determined approximately \$90,000 had been stolen from the business. In June, a 37 year old Timmins resident, who

was the bookkeeper, was charged with one count of fraud over \$5000 and one count of theft over \$5000. This matter is still before the courts.

Investigators were very active in September in the search for a missing 45 year old boater on the Mattagami River. The Timmins Police Emergency Response Team and members of the Criminal Investigations Unit were involved in the search. Ground and air searches were conducted. Investigators utilized the use of helicopters from the Ontario Provincial Police and Ministry of Natural Resources, the OPP Marine Unit and divers from OPP Underwater Search and Recovery Unit. Investigators have been able to track the missing person movements on the day in question but unfortunately have yet to locate the boater.

In October, police officers responded to a call at a Birch St. S residence regarding a male who had been stabbed in the chest. Criminal investigators attended on scene and continued the investigation. Police discovered the accused and the victim were known to each other. Both were involved in a physical altercation which resulted with the victim being stabbed in the chest area with scissors. The victim was transported to the hospital with life threatening injuries. After a thorough investigation, a 44 year old female was charged with aggravated assault and possession of a weapon. Fortunately, the victim recovered from his injuries. The accused was recently convicted in Timmins courts and received a lengthy sentence.



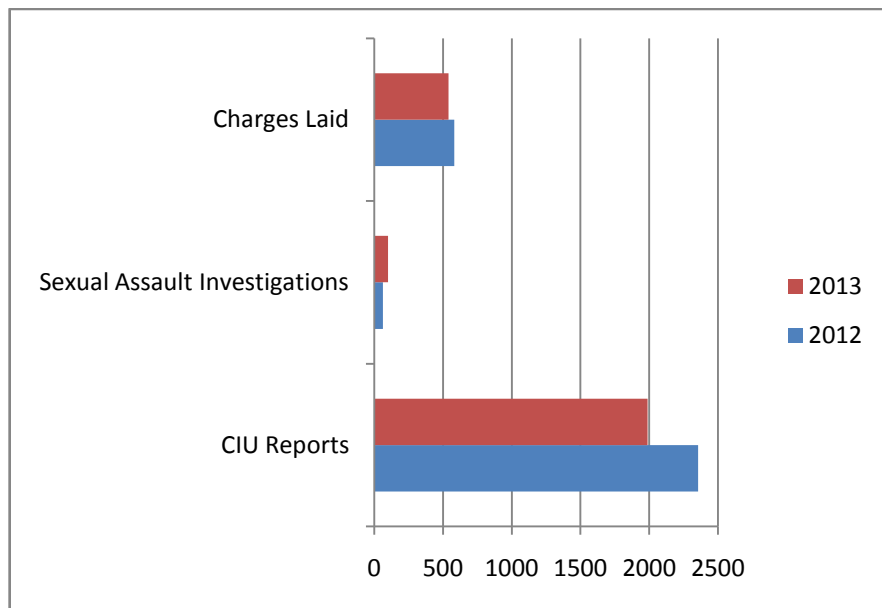
After a rash of “tagging” incidents on several buildings and properties throughout the City of Timmins, investigators from the Criminal Investigation section arrested and charged two young persons in November for many of the incidents. Investigators used the newly installed CCTV cameras to track their activities on one of the nights in question. Several local downtown businesses assisted police in their investigation by providing pictures and videos of the culprits captured on their own surveillance systems. The Electronic Crimes officer was able to recover in excess of 100 photos of “tags” that the offenders had posted on the internet. After a lengthy investigation, police laid a total of 58 mischief charges.

During the early morning of December 30<sup>th</sup>, uniformed officers responded to an armed robbery at Mac’s convenience store located Schumacher. Two male suspects brandishing a gun and a knife took an undisclosed amount of money. Police quickly arrived on scene and contained the area. After a ground search in Schumacher with of a K-9 unit from the Ontario Provincial Police, the suspects were tracked to a nearby residence where two suspects surrendered without incident. Investigators from the unit interviewed both accused who provided statements for the incident. Investigators then searched the house with a warrant and located disguises that had been used and money that had been taken. As a result, two young offenders were charged with various offences including robbery with a firearm and disguise with intent. These charges are still before the courts.

In December, uniformed officers arrested two individuals for a break and enter in the city. As a result of information received officers wrote a search warrant to search a residence in relation to a rash of break and enter across the city within the past two months. Following a lengthy investigation by the Criminal Investigation Section, police solved several break and enters which occurred in Timmins. Many of the break and enters were occurring during daylight hours while residents were away from their homes. A man and woman from Timmins are facing approximately 41 break and enter related charges. Several thousand dollars of property were recovered. Both individual’s matters are still before the courts.

## Criminal Investigations

### *by the numbers*



Officers in the Criminal Investigations Unit completed 1,988 reports in 2013. In 2012 the unit completed 2355 reports. This is a decrease of 15%.

Officers investigated 101 sexual assaults in 2013. This is a 4% increase from 2012. Of the 2013 reported incidents, investigators charged offenders for 28 incident reports.

Officers in the unit laid 540 charges in 2013 compared to 581 in the year 2012. This is a 7% decrease in charges.

## Anticipated *challenges*

Major Case Investigations follow Provincial Major Case Management (MCM). This protocol is used throughout police services in Ontario. MCM is an approach to solving crimes and dealing with complex incidents. MCM must be used in part of the investigation in certain types of serious crimes such as homicides, sexual assaults, and abductions. By using MCM, the Investigation Unit is meeting the necessary standards but at times, MCM can be labor intensive. These types of investigations can involve several officers which can result in the need for a records staff member specific for this investigation. All of the investigators of the Criminal Investigations Unit have received MCM training.

Electronic crime is a growing concern for all Police Services. The Internet has led to a large increase in e-crimes such as frauds, threats and harassment. The Internet has exposed the accessibility to sexual offences such as "sexting", the fabrication and distribution of child pornography, and luring offences. The government has proposed new laws which would prohibit the sharing of sexually explicit pictures unless there is expressed consent from the person in the picture. Investigators have been involved in presentations concerning "sexting" and related offences to students to educate them of the laws. With the use of the internet, investigators are obtaining warrants on a regular basis for computer "ip addresses"

# *Looking* forward

and information from social media sites such as Facebook. Obtaining information with warrants is time consuming and labour intensive. Cell phone providers have decided to no longer store text messages. This had been a great tool for investigators to use. The use of stored text messages had been used to solve many criminal offences. This decision by the cell phone company will require police to use other available tools.

In 2012 the Street Crime unit was dismantled. This unit had been responsible for break and enters and property crime investigations, which are now the responsibility of the Criminal Investigation Unit. The Drug Unit has been very involved in providing intelligence for several of the break and enters which has assisted in solving many of the offences. It is expected that this success will continue next year.

As a result of a promotion and a lateral move, two very capable and experienced officers left the Criminal Investigations section at the end of 2013. Their skills and knowledge will definitely be an asset to the officers in their new roles. Two uniformed officers were identified for lateral transfers into the unit. One officer has already made the transition while the second officer is on standby. This has left the unit with one less investigator than the previous year until the position is filled.

All members of the unit require specialized training to ensure that investigations meet the high standards. Investigators in the section require specific training. The Service has recognized the need for specific training in certain areas and has therefore continued to send officers for training to ensure that they have the necessary skills.

The Timmins Police Service recognized a need for a specialized Electronic Crimes officer, and in late 2012 this position was created. In 2013 the E-Crime officer has examined in excess of 85 electronic devices, the majority of which included cell phones. Other recording devices and computers have been examined as well. The Celebrite equipment and software was chosen by the Service to examine cell phones. The equipment, software and training came with a sustainable cost estimated to be approximately \$50,000. The officer will be continuing his education and training in 2014.

In 2013 officers responded to 54 sudden death incidents. One sudden death is believed to be a result of illegal drugs. Fifteen death investigations required further investigation by the coroner's office. All sudden deaths require investigation by uniform officers or investigators from the unit. Police are aware that several drug overdoses are not reported to police because the victim was revived. It is expected that death investigations involving drugs will increase.

The Service had previously recognized the need for an additional Identification Officer. In 2013, the selected officer attended the Ontario Police College for an intensive nine week course. The officer successfully completed his course and assumed his new duties in January 2014.

# Domestic violence/Bail safety

## *Section*



### Constable Tara-Lee Laroche

The primary responsibility of the Bail Safety/Domestic Violence unit is to ensure the victim's safety and the safety of the public. The unit is a shared partnership between the Victim Witness Assistance Program, the Ministry of the Attorney General and the Timmins Police Service.

When the police have completed a domestic violence investigation involving criminal charges, a referral is made to the Bail Safety Office. The victim is provided a domestic violence pamphlet asking her/him to attend the Bail Safety Office the following morning for a pre-bail interview. In cases where a victim is unable to attend the BSP office, the victim can complete the interview via teleconference. The pre-bail interview is conducted by the Timmins Police Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator and VWAP worker. During the interview, the victim is asked to describe the relationship, discuss any prior domestic violence incidents, address safety concerns, ensure appropriate bail conditions are imposed and provide a list of victim services available for him/her and family.

After the interview, the Bail Safety team reviews and compiles results and then provides the Bail Crown with a copy of the

interview checklist, a background check of the accused and all proposed sureties. Once the Bail Hearing is concluded, the Bail Court Officer or the Bail Safety Officer contacts the victim to notify her/him if the accused has been released, the conditions that were imposed on his/her bail recognizance or if the case was remanded to another date.

The Domestic Violence Coordinator is responsible for reviewing all domestic violence reports, providing mandated domestic violence training to all sworn officers, making the appropriate referrals to justice partners and community agencies in the Timmins area and complying with the Service's Standard Operating Procedures (SOP).

The unit consists of one sworn officer who has been working with the program for a period of 3.5 years.

The Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator continues to develop appropriate knowledge, skills and abilities associated to the mandate of the unit. To attain these goals, the Coordinator attends domestic violence conferences, training courses, seminars and committee



meetings on a monthly basis. The training allows for learning, developing strong partnerships with local community partners and an overall understanding of victim issues and needs.

### **2013 Activities** \_\_\_\_\_

In October 2013 an intoxicated female stabbed an intoxicated male. The victim (male) suffered a punctured lung and life threatening injuries. The victim (male) survived and the female accused received a penalty of 365 days in jail, 2 years probation and a 10 year firearm prohibition.

In December 2012, a female victim reported to TPS that she had been assaulted and forcibly confined for a period of 1 day by the male in a remote location near Matheson, Ontario.

While the accused was in custody and awaiting his trial on those said charges, he breached his non-communication order by sending the victim a Valentine's Day card on Feb 15<sup>th</sup> 2013.

The accused received a penalty of 172 days pre-plea custody and 2 years probation.

On August 27<sup>th</sup> 2013, a female and a male were consuming alcohol in their residence while their young child was present.

At approximately 23:00hrs, the male left the residence and attended a local tavern in the downtown core of Timmins where he continued consuming alcohol to the point of intoxication.

Meanwhile at the residence, the female also continued drinking alcohol to the point of intoxication while the child remained present.

When the male returned to the residence he was confronted by the female who was infuriated that he had left her. The argument escalated and the female grabbed a steak knife and charged towards the male who was standing in the living room and swung the knife at him. As a result, the male received cuts to his hand and neck.

The female accused received 21 days pre-plea custody, 30 days in jail and 12 months of probation.

On December 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, a male and female were arguing over his infidelities and a cell phone.

The victim (female) and the accused (male) were in a "on and off" common-law relationship for a period of one year and share an infant daughter together.

While the victim was holding her three-week old infant in one arm and packing her belongings with the other arm, the accused became enraged at the victim, pulled her hair and punched her on the right side of her head, forcing her to crouch near the ground to protect the infant and herself. The accused continued to punch the victim several more times while she was shielding the infant on the ground.

During the interview with police, the victim disclosed that the accused had put a firearm in her mouth to force her to have intercourse after she had given birth to their infant daughter.

On December 22<sup>nd</sup> 2013, the accused was arrested by police and was held for a bail hearing.

The case is currently before the courts.

# *Domestic violence* partnerships

**The Domestic Violence Coordinators Advisory Committee (DVCAC)** is a committee that was developed by the Ministry of Community Safety and Correctional Services and Policing Services Division. The committee was established to provide advice and feedback to the Ministry regarding professional practices specific to domestic violence in Ontario and to act as a forum where potential areas of concern can be discussed and recommendations for action are suggested.

The committee was developed to promote a coordinated, effective police response on a provincial level, to domestic violence cases by facilitating information sharing among domestic violence coordinators on best practices and initiatives.

**The Domestic Violence Court Advisory Committee** is co-lead by a delegate of the Victim Witness Assistance Program and the Crown Attorney's Office. During the monthly meetings, the committee provides a forum of information sharing, process review, problem solving with specific emphasis on the DVC program, monitor processes, identify gaps and problems, and evaluates policies, procedures and protocols as required. In addition, the committee effectively communicates among other participating agencies, work with other sectors and identifies vulnerable areas.

**The Elder Abuse Committee** is comprised of members from the Alzheimer's Society, the Timmins Family Health Team and the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator. The committee members share information about challenging cases without providing names, what community programs and services are available to the elderly and up-coming conferences and training. In addition, the police, members of the Alzheimer's Society and Timmins Family Health Team take part in the "Safely Home Program" and the "First Link Program". The "Safely Home Program" assists police in finding a person who is lost and returns them safely to their home. It is a nationwide program developed by the Alzheimer Society of Canada in partnership with the Royal Canadian Mounted Police. The First Link Program connects the individual and family to opportunities for learning, to support and advice, and to community services as needed throughout the course of the disease.

**The High Risk Management Team** is co-lead by a delegate of the Victim Witness Assistance Program and the Crown Attorney's Office. The team is comprised of police, probation, a member of the PAR program, a delegate of VWAP and Crown Attorney's Office, and meets on a monthly basis. The team is committed to the management of high-risk domestic violence cases or other cases deemed high risk. The team has a flexible and collaborative approach to enhancing public safety and the safety of victims of domestic violence and their children through active case management, offender managing appropriate information, sharing and the coordination of services for victims. The team freely exchanges pertinent information to other community agencies and non justice participants in order to increase the access of relevant information to allow for a more coordinated and effective approach to victim safety and offender management. The Domestic Violence Coordinator ensures that all high risk files are available for review at the meeting. The HRMT reviews a high-risk case when charges are still outstanding before the courts, the case has recently been heard by the court, a sentence is currently being served or prior to an offender's release.

# Domestic violence *training*

The Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator assists in the training of officers along with the Victim Witness Assistance Program coordinator and Crown Attorney regarding referrals to victim services. The importance of completing a Domestic Violence Supplementary Report and bail process in domestic violence investigations are highlighted in the training.

On February 5<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator attended a “Lunch and Learn conference” at the Missiway Complex on Wilson Avenue in Timmins. The purpose of the “Lunch and Learn” was to group all service providers together and to gain knowledge of all services available to victims in the Northeast Region.

On March 25<sup>th</sup>, March 26<sup>th</sup> & March 27<sup>th</sup> 2013 the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator attended the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Domestic Violence Coordinator’s Training Conference held at the Ontario Police College in Aylmer. The training focused on “Honour Living” and the use of the new Domestic Violence Risk Management Report (DVRM) and ODARA. The new DVRM report is a document that will eventually replace the current DVSR report. The DVRM will serve as an investigative checklist/tool and will identify factors that need to be considered by officers, supervisors and Crowns regarding possible bail opposition in domestic violence cases.

On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator attended a Human Trafficking

Seminar held at the Dante Club. Public speaker, Timea Eva Nagy (Human Trafficking Survivor and a social advocate on behalf of all Human Trafficking victims worldwide) talked about her experience as a “sex slave” and survivor of Human Trafficking.

On Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> 2013, the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator attended a day Seminar held at the Timmins Native Friendship Centre on “The Intergenerational Impact of Residential Schools”.

On November 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> 2013 the Bail Safety Officer/Domestic Violence Coordinator attended the 7<sup>th</sup> annual Abuse Shatters Lives conference held at the Dante Club in Timmins. The conference’s main focus was: Understanding Complex Trauma and Optimal Health.





## Domestic Violence *by the numbers*

2012  
Total:  
1212

2013  
Total:  
1052

2012  
Incidents  
with  
charges: 159

2013  
Incidents  
with  
charges: 180


	2012	2013
 Males charged	<b>132</b>	<b>137</b>
 Females charged	<b>27</b>	<b>43</b>

## Anticipated *challenges*

The Bail Safety / Domestic Violence Coordinator will continue to develop partnerships within the community that will better serve and assist victims of crime. Elder Abuse victims will also be included in the scope of this unit and will be provided with more access to community programs when required.

# Looking forward

Some 2014 goals include:

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- To host the three day Domestic Violence Course for sworn officers and dispatchers in April of 2014.
  - To train officers/supervisors in the new Domestic Violence Risk Management and Ontario Domestic Assault Risk Assessment protocols
  - To provide training on Strangulation to sworn officers and community agencies.
  - To provide training on Elder Abuse to sworn officers and community agencies.
  - To provide training on "Honor Killings" to sworn officers and community agencies.
  - To provide training on "Custody/Family disputes" to sworn officers and community agencies. (NEOFACS, Crown Attorneys and VWAP to assist in the training)
  - To attend four provincial Domestic Violence Training sessions in Toronto with other Domestic Violence Coordinators in the province.
  - To work with Justice Partners within the newly develop High Risk Offender Committee.
  - To review and report ongoing initiatives with outside agencies and community partners.
  - To continue strong partnerships within the community.
  - To maintain support to all victims of domestic violence in the community with a consistent and coherent response to their needs and needs of their family members.
  - To continue to monitor and evaluate the response and follow-up to domestic violence incidents by all sworn officers and community partners.
  - To offer Strangulation training, Elder Abuse training, "Honour Killings", Domestic Violence Risk Management training and teach the three day Domestic Violence course to sworn officers at the Ontario Police College in the spring-summer of 2014.

# Drugs & Asset Forfeiture

## *Section*

### Sergeant Darren Dinel

The mandate of the Drug Enforcement Section is to deliver the highest standard of policing service through strategic investigative planning. Investigators assigned to this section work collaboratively as a team to investigate serious offences involving drugs and the associated criminal activity. These investigations often involve organized groups of people who use violence and other sophisticated tactics to make money through drug sales and distribution. Investigators utilize specialized skills obtained from advanced training in order to gather evidence against these individuals.

Investigators enforce laws in accordance with the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act and Criminal Code of Canada. They obtain information from sources within our community, execute search warrants, apprehend offenders, and prepare Crown Briefs for the prosecution of those offenders. They also provide support to other sections within the Timmins Police Service in the areas of intelligence gathering, search warrant writing, and surveillance. These duties are carried out for the purpose of interfering with individuals and groups who are involved in drugs and other associated criminal activity and to provide a preventative measure for those illegal activities.

The illegal trafficking and abuse of drugs affects us all socially and economically. It is our mission to stem the flow of drugs in our community by investigating and prosecuting those involved in the sale and distribution of illicit drugs. This is a mission that we will pursue with the assistance, trust, and partnership of the community we serve.

### 2013 Activities

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In February 2013 the Asset Forfeiture Investigator completed numerous Production Orders and reviews of information in relation to the seizure of \$130,000.00 during a drug investigation in September 2012.

In February 2013 a group of people responsible for bringing in large quantities of prescription medication from the Hamilton area were arrested and charged in the Timmins area. They were responsible for bringing in multi-million dollars of prescription drugs (Fentanyl and Oxycodone) over the course of the previous 12 months. The drugs they supplied to our community were responsible for at least two overdose deaths. They were convicted of trafficking offences. Police seized money, assets, and drugs from the group.

In March 2013 Investigators conducted an investigation into a local resident who was involved in serious criminal activity (drugs, attempt murder, etc). The male was suspected of being involved in drugs and firearms offences. An operational plan was developed and the accused person was arrested by members of the Emergency Response Team after he left his residence with a loaded 9 mm pistol. The male was likely on his way to complete some type of robbery using the firearm, but the intervention by the Police prevented a violent crime from occurring.

In April 2013 Investigators completed an extensive investigation into a group responsible for bringing in large quantities of Cannabis-Marihuana and Cannabis-Resin to Timmins to supply local drug dealers. Police executed several search warrants, seized four vehicles, approximately 58.5 pounds of Cannabis-Marihuana, over a kilogram of Cannabis-Resin, and \$569,603.00 in Canadian Currency.

In May 2013 Investigators conducted an investigation into a male from Quebec who was transporting large quantities of Methamphetamine into Timmins. Police executed a search warrant and seized 3849 Methamphetamine tablets (approximately 1540.0 grams) and an ounce of Cocaine.

In 2013 the Asset Forfeiture Investigator provided assistance to investigators in the Criminal Investigation Section regarding the seizure of a transport truck and trailer that was used in a large industrial theft. Arrangements were made to seize the transport truck and trailer and have it delivered to Seized Property Management. The transport truck and trailer were seized upon the arrest of the person and he was



charged with Theft Over \$5000. The property was dealt with through the Asset Forfeiture Investigator.

In July 2013 investigators provided assistance during an investigation into a group who were committing commercial Break, Enter, and Thefts at recreational vehicle stores. Investigators assisted with the investigation by conducting surveillance and providing other investigative support. Investigators obtained the necessary evidence to charge two people responsible for Break, Enter, and Theft in Timmins, which also provided the OPP with evidence for numerous Break, Enter, and Thefts throughout southern and central Ontario. A vehicle was seized during this investigation and dealt with by the Asset Forfeiture Investigator.

In July 2013 Investigators conducted an investigation into a Timmins resident who was attending out of town to pick up large quantities of Methamphetamine tablets and transporting them back to Timmins to supply local drug dealers. Police arrested one male and seized 5025 Methamphetamine tablets (approximately 2010.0 grams).

In July 2013 Investigators conducted an investigation into a Timmins resident who was involved in trafficking large amounts of Methamphetamine and prescription medication. Police executed two search warrants, arrested one male, and seized 2540 Methamphetamine tablets (approximately 1016.0 grams).

In October 2013 investigators completed an investigation into a local resident who was involved in high-grading gold and prescription drug sales. A lengthy investigation was conducted as a result of complaints from the community. The resident was arrested and charged with drug and property offences (high-grading gold).

In September 2013 investigators conducted enforcement initiatives on a group of people from southern Ontario who had attended Timmins to specifically supply prescription medication (Fentanyl, Oxycodone, and Hydro-Morphine).

Investigators arrested and charged seven people within seven days. Evidence obtained during the investigation was also used for charges against a high level drug supplier from the Toronto area. This evidence was supplied to other police agencies who were involved in a large investigative project in relation to the supplier of the prescription drugs. The supplier was then arrested in the Toronto area by other agencies and remains in custody. This has made a significant impact on the availability of prescription drugs in the Timmins area.

During the course of the year investigators continued to participate in skills development. They attended advanced training courses to learn new and innovative investigative techniques. They also employed a variety of investigative techniques in order to gain experience and expertise.

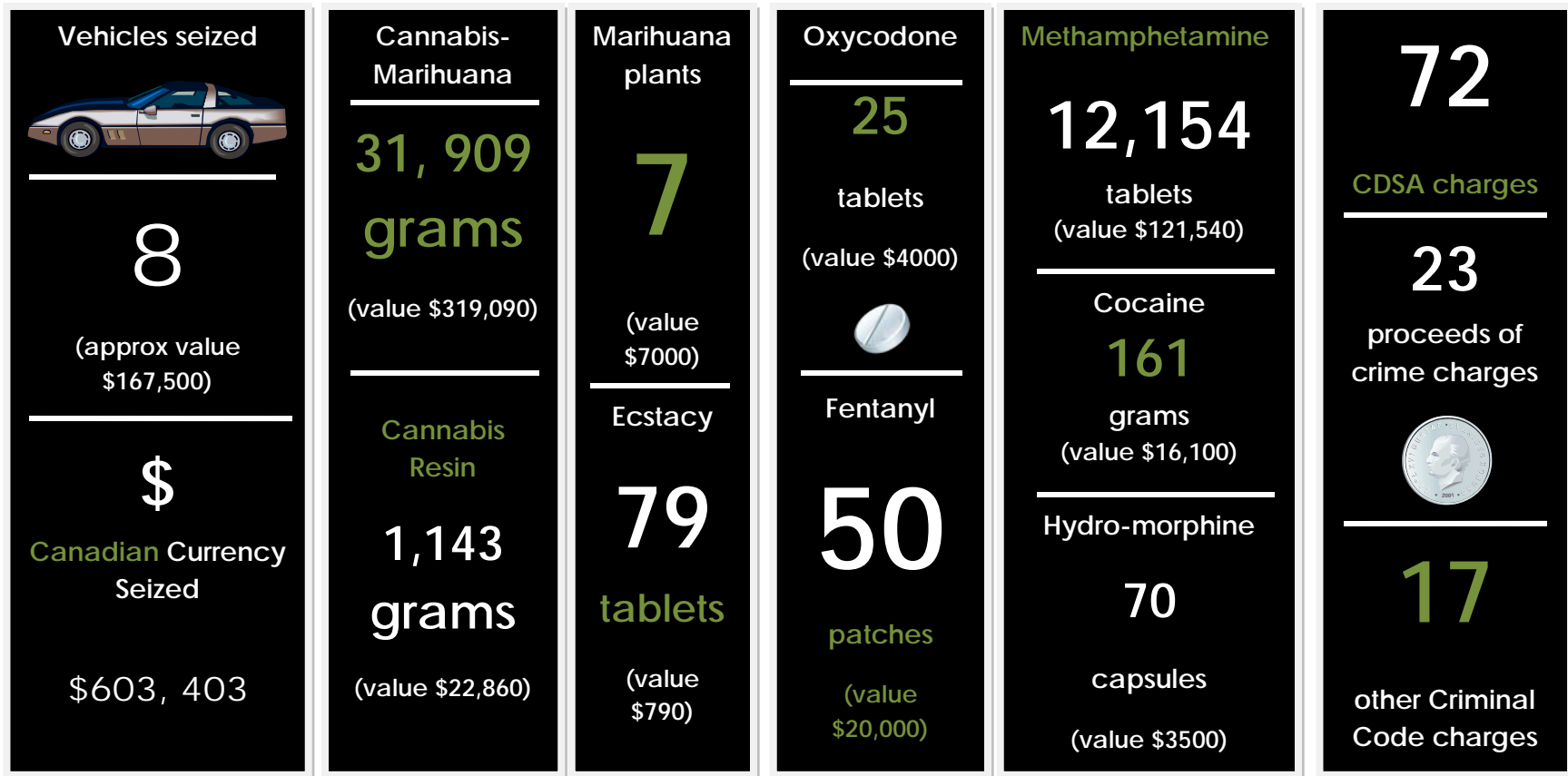




In 2013, various issues were addressed, including increased property and proceeds of crime seizure and enforcement of repeat drug offenders. There were also initiatives to conduct enforcement on people responsible for trafficking prescription medication who have been the subject to investigations in the past.

In 2013 the Drug Enforcement and Asset Forfeiture Sections were restructured. This allowed investigators to focus on specific tasks associated with their specialized training. Specifically, there was a focus on the seizure of money and property associated with criminal acts.

The investigators met their annual objectives by strategically planning targeted enforcement initiatives. They arrested and charged several people who had previous convictions for drug offences, as well as organized groups of people involved in drug sales. This has translated into the seizure of significant amounts of money, assets (vehicles), and drugs. It has also allowed for the successful prosecution of drug offences that have resulted in significant jail sentences.



## Anticipated *Challenges*

Mandatory minimum sentencing legislation is still relatively new for people who are convicted of drug offences. Investigators will have to be aware of the criteria required to invoke the legislation. This means investigators will have to ensure their investigations include evidence that prove facts related to minimum sentencing. Investigators will try to deter these crimes by ensuring those who are convicted of drug offences are subjected to lengthy jail sentences.

## *Looking* forward

In the future, a greater effort and emphasis will be placed on seizing assets that are either used in the commission of offences or the proceeds of crime. Drug offences are generally profit motivated. Investigators will try to deter these crimes by taking away their profitability. This involves the seizure and forfeiture of property. An investigator has been assigned specifically to these duties in an attempt to have a greater impact during future investigations.

In 2014 investigators will attempt to stem the flow of illicit drugs into the City of Timmins. Enforcement strategies will be developed to limit the availability of drugs in the community, so street level dealers and consumers have a much more difficult time obtaining illicit drugs.

Investigators will evaluate information and determine high value targets involved in the distribution of illicit drugs in the City of Timmins. Investigators will focus on people who are responsible for organizing groups of subordinate drug traffickers at the street level, people who are transporting large quantities of illicit drugs into Timmins, and those who are distributing large quantities of illicit drugs.

# Emergency Response *Team*



## Sergeant Marty Delich

The Timmins Police Service Emergency Response Team is comprised of twelve members. The mandate of the Emergency Response Team is to augment the patrol force for critical incidents that require the deployment of specialized resources to ensure the safe resolution of these incidents.

In 2013, the Emergency Response Team was deployed to thirteen critical incidents. The incidents involved occurrences such as the search for missing or lost persons, high risk incidents and high risk warrants. Response to these critical incidents was supported by our partnered agencies; Timmins Porcupine Search and Rescue and Cochrane District EMS Special Operations Medics.

### 2013 Activities \_\_\_\_\_

The high-risk nature and urgency of ERT deployments require that the Team maintain a constant state of operational readiness. The Timmins Police ERT conducted one hundred and twenty hours of maintenance training in 2013. The training included qualification in firearms, less lethal measures, Conducted Energy Weapon and team tactics.



The training also involved Negotiator and Search Manager training.

Critical Incident responses included the following:

<b>Missing or Lost Persons</b>	<b>6</b>
<b>High Risk Warrants or Incidents</b>	<b>7</b>

Ongoing training was conducted in ground search and rescue with Timmins Porcupine Search and Rescue. Timmins Porcupine Search and Rescue continues to be a valuable partner and resource for the Timmins Police Service.

# *Teamwork* in action

The Emergency Response Team continues to meet its mandate to provide a team response by integrating the essential elements of training, personnel selection, and equipment, in an effort to assist in bringing about a safe resolution to any critical Incident.

In 2013, the Timmins Police Service, ERT obtained Ministry accreditation for its Perimeter Control and Containment program. This accreditation affirms that the training of ERT members meets or exceeds Ministry standards.



# Anticipated *challenges*

In 2014, the Emergency Response Team will enhance the response capability of the critical incident response team. Selective training will be provided to maintain the capabilities of Negotiators, Incident Commanders and Search Managers. The ERT will continue to evaluate new technologies to enhance its response capabilities.

# *Looking* forward

With the continued support of Administration and ongoing training, the ERT shall continue to improve its response capabilities for critical incidents.





# Forensic Identification *Section*

**Constable Guy Bouffard**

The mandate of the Forensic Identification Section is to provide forensic identification support to all sections of the Timmins Police Service.

The section also works co-operatively with other agencies that assist the Timmins Police Service with investigations including but not limited to the Ontario Office of the Chief Coroner, the Ontario Office of the Fire Marshal, the Center of Forensic Sciences, the National DNA Data Bank, the R.C.M.P. Latent Fingerprint Section (A.F.I.S.) and the North Eastern Ontario Family and Children's Services of Timmins and District.

This section is committed to continuing to progress with on-going technical training and improved equipment to maintain a constant and superior level of forensic expertise, in accordance with provincial standards and the Timmins Police Service's Mission, Supporting Values and Vision.

The Forensic Identification Section uses advanced techniques and equipment in order to process and analyze scenes, as well as collect and preserve evidence to support the investigators of the Timmins Police Service.

For the bulk of 2013, the section was comprised of two full-time Forensic Identification Officers with the addition of a third officer in September. During the year, the officers continued their training at the Ontario Police College by taking part in the Advanced Tire Analysis course and the Advanced Footwear Analysis course while the new Forensic Identification Officer attended the 10-week Basic Forensic Identification Officer course.

The section is also supported by trained Scenes of Crime patrol officers (SOCO) assigned to platoons. In 2013, four more patrol officers were trained as Scenes of Crimes Officers bringing the total of Scenes of Crimes Officers to nine by the end of 2013.

In 2013, there was no significant change in the types of occurrences responded to by the Forensic Identification Section. The training of more Scenes of Crimes Officers assisted greatly in managing the workload and improving the day to day operations of the section.

### **2013 Activities** \_\_\_\_\_

In 2013, the Forensic Identification Section continued to be responsible for the fingerprinting of accused persons as well as all non-criminal fingerprint requests. They were also responsible for ensuring that any DNA orders be lawfully taken and processed. They supported investigators by assisting with the preparation of photo line-ups and other photo requests.

During 2013, Forensic Identification Officers received a large variety of calls for service and attended several crime scenes.

The Forensic Identification Section attended and processed several property crime scenes, such as break and enters. Along with attending scenes, Forensic Identification Officers are responsible for the examination of all exhibits seized by all officers. From the examinations of the exhibits and the scenes, several fingerprints and potential DNA sources were collected and submitted for comparison and analysis. The identification of multiple suspects was made as a result of these fingerprints and multiple DNA samples submitted to the data bank were later used to identify suspects.

Since 2011, there have also been several unsolved break and enter cases that have been linked by DNA collected and submitted by the section.

The section remains responsible for the large number of submissions to the Centre of Forensic Sciences as well as submissions to the R.C.M.P. Latent Fingerprint Section (A.F.I.S.).

The Forensic Identification Section also attended and processed several scenes where crimes against persons had been committed. These ranged from a simple assault, where their involvement might be limited to taking photographs of injuries, to more serious crimes against persons, such as aggravated assaults, assaults with weapons and robberies.

The Forensic Identification Section officers are trained in death investigations and for found human remains.

Forensic Identification Officers possess the expertise and experience that it takes to make certain that the loss of life is thoroughly investigated. In 2013, of 39 sudden death scenes, the Forensic Identification Section attended 20 scenes and 15 Post Mortem examinations.

### 2013 investigations

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In mid-March, a male was reported missing to the police. The complainant had indicated that the missing male did not appear to be wearing footwear and had left his cell phone behind. An officer located a jacket in the lobby of the building that was identified as belonging to the missing male. Several searches of the area were conducted by officers over the following weeks with negative results. On March 31, a resident of Clifford Street observed what appeared to be a human body in the melting snow. The Forensic Identification Section played a very important role by thoroughly processing the scene. The male was positively identified by fingerprints.

In August, a female contacted the police and reported that her male common-law spouse had been stabbed. Police officers and Emergency Medical Personnel arrived on scene and located the male with an apparent wound that caused severe blood loss. The female caller indicated that she knew the assailant. The male was transported by Emergency Personnel to the Timmins and District Hospital where he was treated for his non-life threatening injuries. Police quickly located and arrested the assailant. The Forensic Identification Unit played a very important role during this investigation by thoroughly processing the scene, the accused, the victim and providing investigators with evidence and crucial information to move the investigation forward.

As a result of the investigation, the accused was charged with several serious offences. The case remains before the courts at this time.

On September 11, an employee of the Ministry of Natural Resources was loading his boat at the Mattagami River boat launch and he observed a male launching a blue aluminum boat. He noted that the male in the boat appeared to be 35-40 years of age and was not wearing a life jacket.

On September 12, he returned to the same boat launch and observed a black pickup truck with an empty boat trailer. He proceeded on with his day and headed up river. At approximately 500 meters down river from the Waferboard Road Mattagami River crossing he observed the same blue aluminum boat he had observed the previous day adrift and lodged against a deadfall near the north bank of the river. Several searches of the area were conducted by officers over the following weeks with negative results.



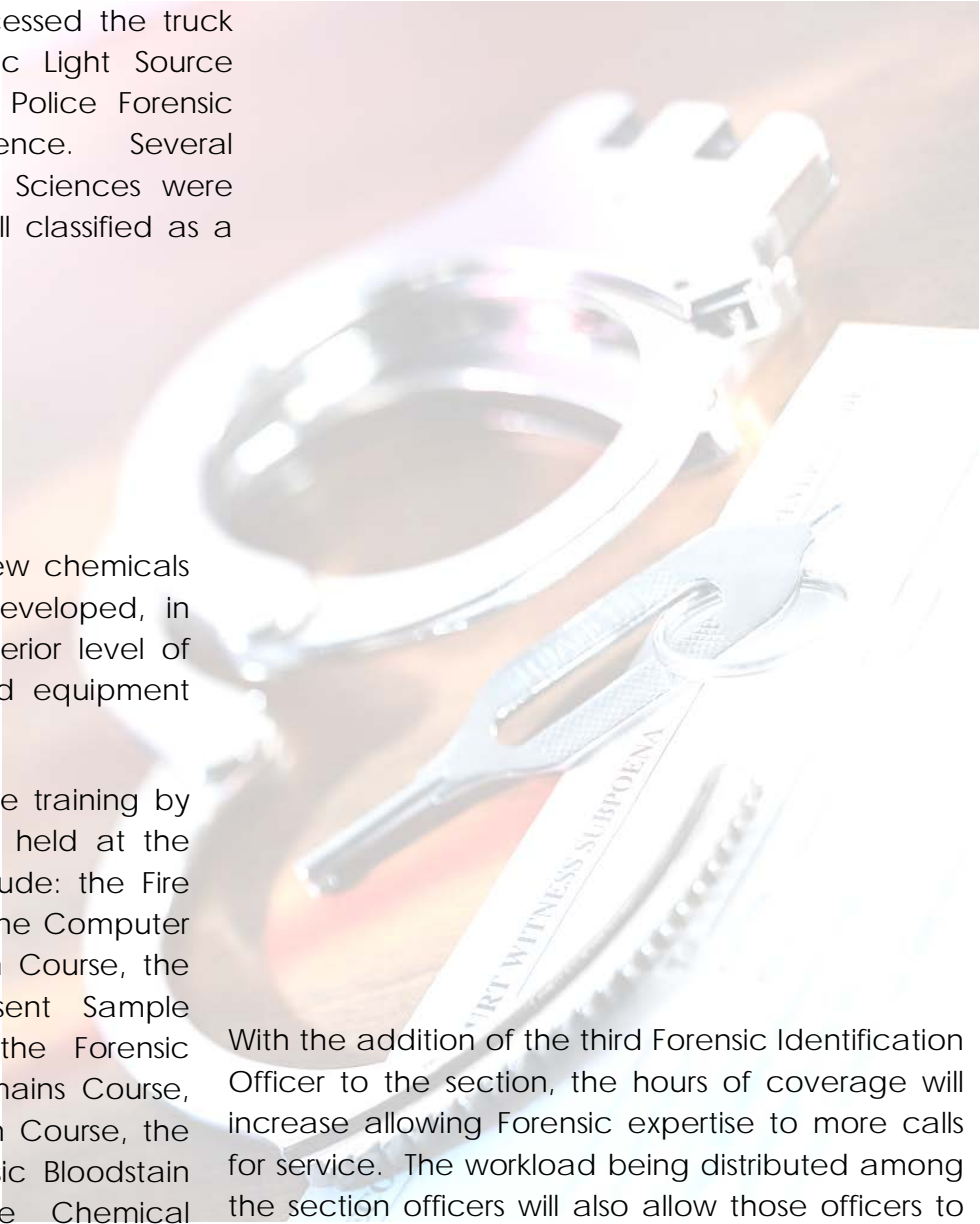


The Forensic Identification Section processed the truck and boat thoroughly using a Forensic Light Source borrowed from the Ontario Provincial Police Forensic Identification Section for trace evidence. Several submissions to the Centre of Forensic Sciences were completed. At this time, the man is still classified as a missing person.

## Looking *forward*

The Forensic field is always evolving. New chemicals are discovered, new techniques are developed, in order to remain at a constant and superior level of forensic expertise, training and improved equipment are necessary.

It is the goal of the section to further the training by officers taking part some courses being held at the Ontario Police College, the courses include: the Fire Scene Examination Course, the Crime Zone Computer Drawing Course, the Death Investigation Course, the DNA Data Bank Warrant and Consent Sample Collection: Train the Trainer Course, the Forensic Collection and Recovery of Human Remains Course, the Forensic Shooting Scene Examination Course, the Photoshop for Forensics Course, the Basic Bloodstain Pattern Recognition Course and the Chemical Treatment and Fluorescent Techniques Course.



With the addition of the third Forensic Identification Officer to the section, the hours of coverage will increase allowing Forensic expertise to more calls for service. The workload being distributed among the section officers will also allow those officers to hone in on their expertise.

# Professional Standards *Branch*

## Sergeant Alan Richardson

The Professional Standards Branch is responsible for investigating all public complaints made with respect to the conduct of police officers and the policies and/or services delivered by the organization. In addition, PSB conducts all internal investigations authorized by the Chief of Police. As of October 19, 2009, the PSB works closely with the Office of the Police Review Director (OIPRD) to make sure complaints against police are dealt with in a manner that is transparent, fair, efficient and effective.

***The Timmins Police Service is committed to upholding high standards of public accountability and professional integrity.***

The Police Services Act governs complaints about the conduct of an officer, policies or services provided by a police service. Initially, most complaints will be investigated by the police service affected; in some cases the OIPRD may request that another police agency conduct an investigation or choose to assign their own investigators.

The OIPRD is an arms-length agency of the Ontario Ministry of the Attorney General staffed entirely by civilians. This insures that decisions are independent and separate from the government, police and the community. The OIPRD provides an objective, impartial office to accept process and oversee the investigation of public complaints against Ontario's police officers. In some cases the OIPRD will also investigate a complaint.

The OIPRD sets standards and procedures for the way public complaints are handled. Both the Timmins Police Service and the OIPRD follow the same standards and procedures to make sure there is a consistent public complaints system throughout Ontario.

The Professional Standards Branch also conducts Investigative Reviews of incidents of Suspect Apprehension Pursuits, Escape Custody and In-Custody Deaths as required by Timmins Police Service policies; 2.45.20 and 2.16.18.5.

In 2013, the Professional Standards Branch conducted no Suspect Apprehension Pursuits or Escape Custody Investigative Reviews.

Public Complaints  
(OIPRD) 2013

<i>Unsubstantiated</i>	4
<i>Substantiated</i>	1
<i>Not to Proceed – S. 59 P.S.A. (more than six months)</i>	0
<i>Not in Public Interest to Proceed by OIPRD</i>	6
<i>Frivolous</i>	0
<i>Withdrawn</i>	0
<i>Local Resolutions</i>	1
<i>Total</i>	12

Chief's Complaints  
(Internal) 2013

<i>Substantiated</i>	5
<i>Unsubstantiated</i>	3
<i>Continuing</i>	2
<i>Total</i>	10

# Records *Section*

**Ginette Levis**

**Administrative coordinator**

The Records Section's key focus is to ensure the accurate and timely entry of police information onto a number of data management systems. This section strives to ensure the data we provide to the operational and administrative sections of the service are of highest standard.

The Records Section is staffed by one supervisor and 12 civilian members. The Section is involved as a support service for almost every function of the police service. Records personnel staff the main entrance reception desk, answer non-emergency telephone calls, perform most of the data entry of reports, manage all of the property seized or turned in, run the annual police auction, prepare the Crown Briefs for all cases going to court, and ensure all of the Timmins Police Service records are up to date and easily accessible for the investigating police officers.

During 2013, the Records section processed 2,310 court briefs, consisting of 1,892 criminal court briefs and 418 traffic court briefs. There were 610 bail files and 96 WASH (Weekend and Statutory Holidays) court files prepared.

Employment and volunteer background checks were performed on 3,326 individuals.

There were 18 requests made under the Municipal Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

Aside from criminal files, the data entry of all motor vehicle collision reports, Liquor Licence infractions, provincial offences, and the laying of informations for Part III summons are also performed. In addition, staff members respond to requests from insurance companies and members of the public for copies of police incident reports.



# Recruitment *Section*

## Sergeant Alan Richardson

The Timmins Police Service endeavours to hire the finest members for every position. Candidates must be well qualified, enthusiastic, interested and committed to a career in law enforcement. The Timmins Police Service continually strives to ensure that it represents the diverse community it serves.

We believe that our employees are our most valuable resource. Our empowering work environment encourages innovation, participation, open communication and respect for the opinion of each staff member. We focus on developing our skills, processes and programs to meet the changing needs of the communities we serve. We lead by personal example and provide our people with the appropriate resources and training.

The Recruitment Branch is responsible for actively recruiting interested and qualified persons for all positions of our team. This includes police officers, special constables, dispatchers, clerical staff and volunteer auxiliary officers who proudly contribute to the safety and well-being of our community each and every day.

In 2013, the Recruitment Branch did not interview any candidates for the positions of Constable or Special Constable.



# Traffic Services

## *Section*

### **Sergeant Alan Richardson**

The Timmins Police Service is responsible for making sure the roadways are safe for the motoring public as well as pedestrian traffic. The Traffic section, through various federal, provincial, and municipal acts, strives to meet this responsibility through education and enforcement.

The Timmins Police Traffic section is responsible for:

- Administration and oversight of the R.I.D.E program
- RADAR training
- ATV and snowmobile training
- All follow up investigations arising from the Collision Reporting Centre reports
- Administration and oversight of the Aggressive Driver Hotline
- Traffic related in-service training
- Technical collision investigation
- Approval of all collision reports
- Entry and oversight of all POA (Provincial Offences Act) charges

The Timmins Police Service Traffic section is a four person unit (one sergeant, two constables and a clerk) dedicated to traffic enforcement and the investigation / prosecution of the more serious collisions and offences.



The unit is also responsible for providing in-service training relating to the use of stationary and mobile RADAR to new recruits and refresher training to veteran officers. The members of the Traffic Section also train new officers on the proper operation of the service snowmobiles and all terrain vehicles. Training to platoon officers with respect to some of the less frequently used sections of the Highway Traffic Act and other Provincial Statutes related to traffic is also part of their mandate.

The Traffic section is often the first line of response to the various traffic related complaints that are relayed to the Service through our website and aggressive driver hotline. The complaints are often centered on; aggressive drivers, speeding, distracted drivers, school bus stop-arm violations and commercial motor vehicles.

The Traffic section was involved in several traffic related initiatives that included Operation Impact, the RIDE program, directed accessible parking enforcement, as well as commercial motor vehicle enforcement.

### 2013 Activities

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In March of 2013 members the Traffic section took part in an accessible parking initiative that was spearheaded by the Municipal Accessibility Advisory Committee (MAAC). To start off the initiative, members of the traffic section attended the parking lots of most of the larger stores to ensure that the proper signage for accessible parking and fire route designations had been posted. Advice was given to those stores whose signage was inadequate. The initiative resulted in several tickets for parking in an

accessible parking spot without a permit and numerous tickets for parking in a designated fire route.

In May, members of the traffic section took part in Canada Road Safety Week. The annual initiative targets aggressive / distracted drivers, impaired driving and improper use of seat belts, concentrating on children and car seats.

Throughout the summer months the traffic section was kept busy responding to various traffic related complaints brought forth by concerned citizens. The majority of the complaints were related to speeding in outlying areas of the city.

Traffic Services spent a great deal of their time conducting directed enforcement in areas such as Kamiscotia Highway and Dalton Road as well as areas to the far east of the Timmins Police jurisdiction.

Traffic Officers were busy during the winter months patrolling trails, frozen lakes and rivers on police snow machines.

Traffic Section Technical Traffic Collision Investigators were called upon to conduct investigations into one collision. Thankfully there were no traffic fatalities in 2013, down from four in 2012.

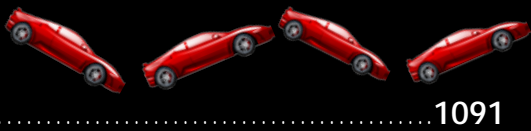


## Traffic Stats

Total motor vehicle collisions – 2012



Total motor vehicle collisions – 2013



↑ 17.4 %

Fatal injury collisions

2012.....4

2013.....0

Non-fatal injury collisions

2012.....130

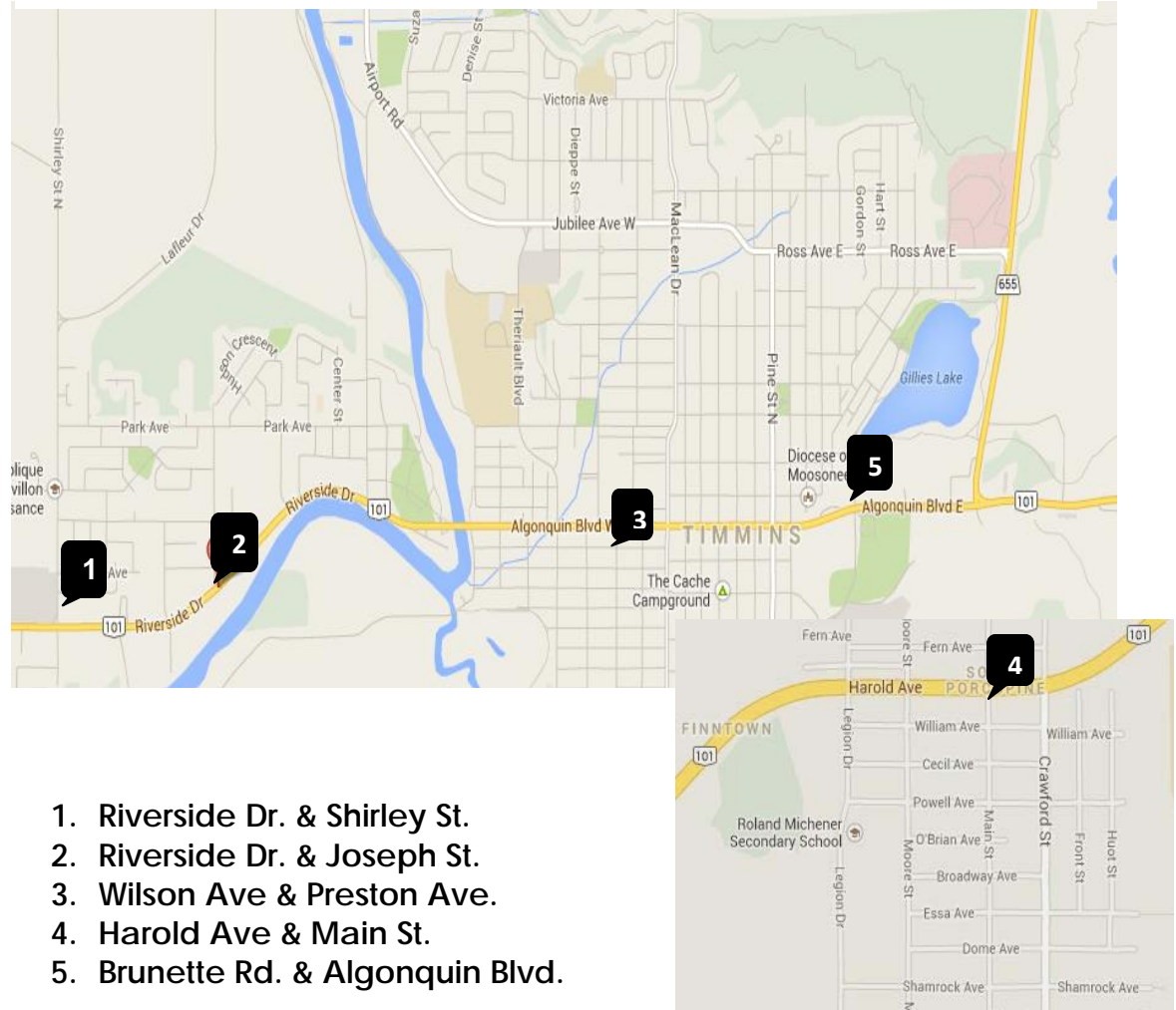
2013.....131

Property damage only

2012.....162

2013.....205

## Top 5 collision intersections



1. Riverside Dr. & Shirley St.
2. Riverside Dr. & Joseph St.
3. Wilson Ave & Preston Ave.
4. Harold Ave & Main St.
5. Brunette Rd. & Algonquin Blvd.





*The highest number of collisions in 2013 occurred in February (248)*

*That number was followed closely by 242 collisions in January and 224 collisions in December*

*The lowest number of collisions (98) in 2013 occurred in July*

*In 2013, the most common time for collisions was 3 p.m. (204 collisions), followed by 4 p.m. (183 collisions), then 1 p.m. (170 collisions)*

# Training *Unit*

## Sergeant Marty Delich

The Timmins Police Service Training Branch is committed to the professional development of its members by providing ongoing, relevant and professional training. The Training Branch is also committed to working with community partners to develop current and relevant training programs.

The Training Branch is staffed by two training officers. Constable Bruce Turner and Sergeant Marty Delich facilitate the in service training programs. The section is also responsible for the Quartermaster stores, as well as the care and maintenance of police service firearms. In 2013, the Training Branch was responsible for facilitating 4950 staff hours of professional development and training.

In 2013, the Timmins Police Service continued its training partnership with the Ontario Police College and the Canadian Police College. Officers attended a variety of senior, advanced police courses at these training institutions. In service training was also conducted within the Timmins Police Service, consisting of the following:

Recruitment training

Radar training

Scenes of Crime training

Human source development

Safe school protocols

General Investigative techniques

Witness protection program

CEW instructor certification

Special/Aux constable orientation

Use of Force/Officer safety

Emergency Response Team training

Alzheimers and dementia awareness

Domestic Violence Investigation

Rapid response homicide in progress

Firearms requalification/transition



The Training Branch is committed to insuring that Timmins Police Officers are provided with the mandated training required under the Police Services Act. The training syllabuses are developed to include updated and current training materials.

## *Anticipated* Challenges

The Training Branch continues to meet the challenges faced by many police agencies. Strategies are continually being evaluated to provide cost effective, relevant training for the benefit and professional development the members.

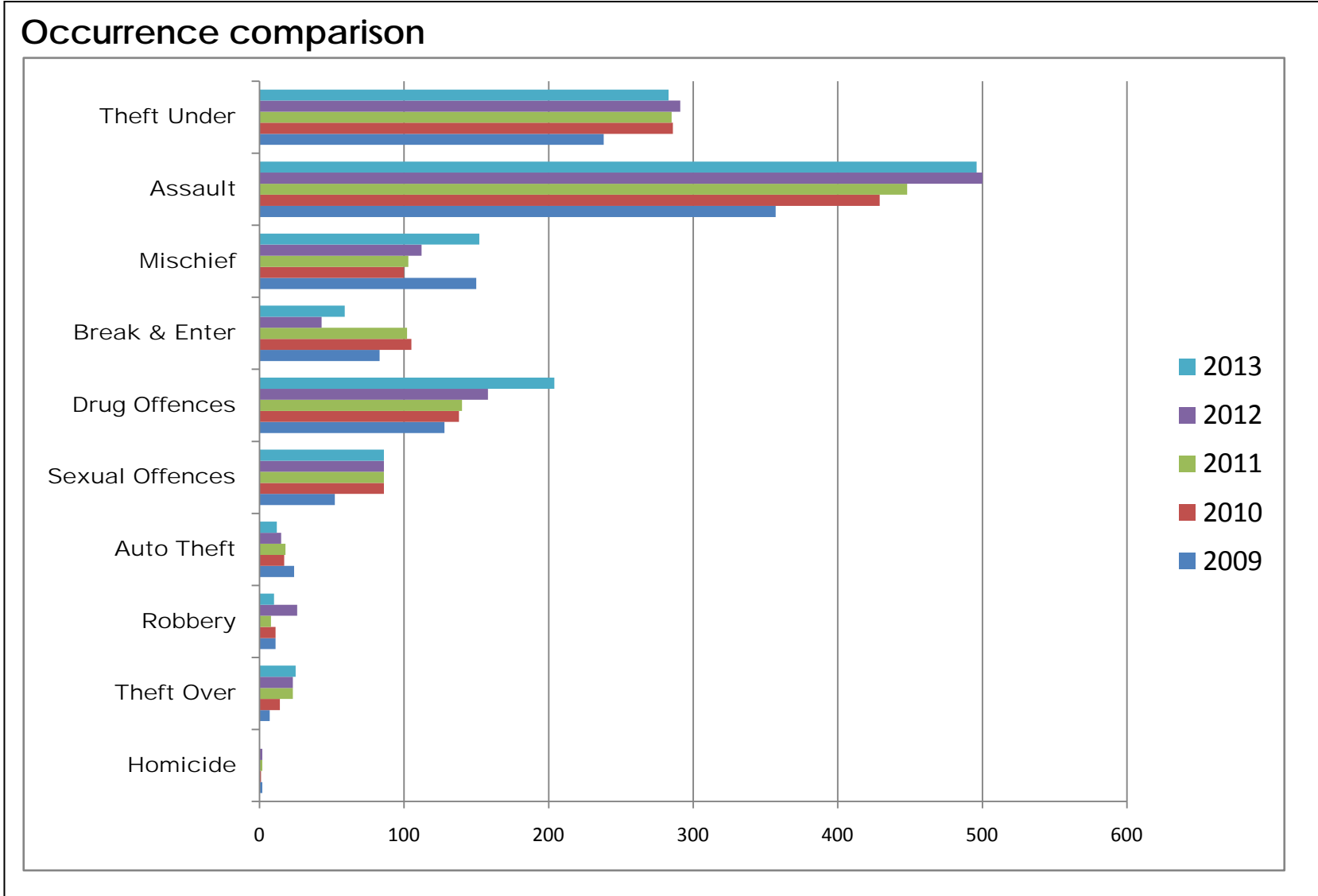


Course	Members	Training Hours
Emergency Response Team	12	1008
Use of Force Requalification	91	728
General Investigative Techniques	16	640
Firearms Requalification	73	584
RRHIP Training	72	576
In Service Training – March	61	488
Scenes of Crimes Officer	4	288
ERT/Negotiator Training	17	204
Domestic Violence Investigator	5	112
Investigating SIDS	11	88
Special/Aux Orientation	3	72
Radar Recertification	6	48
CEW Recertification	10	40
Witness Protection	13	26
CEW Instructor Training	1	24
Recruit Orientation	1	24
Does Not Include Off Site Courses		

## Looking *forward*

In 2014, the Training Branch will strive to provide relevant training to the members of the Police Service. With the challenges faced by fiscal restraint, the section will once again strive to meet the ministry training requirements. Our responsibility will be to ensure that courses are secured and facilitated to meet the operational requirements of members, in their specific roles.

# 2013 *by the numbers*



## 2013 occurrences

Violation	Violation type	Reported	Unfounded	Actual	Cleared By Charge	Cleared Otherwise
Aggravated Sexual Assault	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Sexual Assault With a Weapon	Violent	2	0	2	2	0
Sexual Assault	Violent	84	33	51	34	6
Sexual Interference	Violent	17	0	17	16	1
Invitation to Sexual Touching	Violent	6	1	5	5	1
Sexual Exploitation	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Sexual exploitation of a person with a disability	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Sexually explicit material to child with intent	Violent	1	1	0	0	0
Luring a child via a computer	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Voyeurism	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Aggravated Assault - Level 3	Violent	48	0	48	40	2
Assault With Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm - Level 2	Violent	133	8	125	105	8
Assault - Level 1	Violent	470	94	376	280	52
Assault Peace Officer	Violent	40	0	40	38	2
Assault Peace Officer with weapon OR cause bodily harm	Violent	9	0	9	9	0
Other Assaults / Admin Noxious thing	Violent	11	1	10	9	0
Forcible confinement	Violent	21	1	20	19	0
Abduction Under 14	Violent	2	1	1	0	0
Robbery-Master code	Violent	1	0	1	1	0
Robbery - Threat of Violence	Violent	9	4	5	3	0
Robbery - Pursesnatch With Violence	Violent	6	0	6	2	0
Robbery - Other	Violent	5	0	5	2	2
Extortion	Violent	4	2	2	2	0
Intimidation of a justice system participant or a journalist	Violent	3	0	3	2	1
Criminal Harassment	Violent	94	28	66	30	28
Threatening / Indecent Phone Calls	Violent	7	0	7	5	1
Utter Threats-Master code	Violent	1	1	0	0	0
Utter Threats to Person	Violent	200	17	183	133	39

Utter Threats to Person - Police Officer	Violent	8	0	8	7	1
MISCHIEF - CAUSE DANGER TO LIFE	Violent	1	0	1	0	0
		1188	192	996	749	144
Arson - Auto	Property	2	0	2	1	0
Arson - Building	Property	2	1	1	0	0
Arson - Others	Property	3	0	3	2	0
Break & Enter	Property	269	35	234	50	5
Unlawful in a dwelling house	Property	4	0	4	4	0
Break & Enter - Firearms	Property	3	0	3	1	0
Theft Over - Master Code	Property	2	2	0	0	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Bicycles	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Building	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Persons	Property	16	4	12	2	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Trailers	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Other Theft	Property	6	2	4	4	0
Theft Over \$5,000 - Mine Equipment/Property	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft FROM Motor Vehicles Over \$5,000	Property	3	0	3	0	0
Theft Over \$5,000 SHOPLIFTING	Property	1	0	1	0	1
Theft of Motor Vehicle	Property	3	1	2	1	0
Theft of - Automobile	Property	20	3	17	7	0
Theft of - Trucks	Property	16	1	15	2	0
Theft of - Motorcycles	Property	2	0	2	0	0
Theft of - Mopeds	Property	1	0	1	0	1
Theft of - Snow Vehicles	Property	5	0	5	0	0
Theft of - All Terrain Vehicles	Property	4	0	4	0	0
Theft of - Construction Vehicles	Property	1	0	1	1	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Master Code	Property	10	4	6	6	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Farm Equipment	Property	1	1	0	0	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Construction Site	Property	2	0	2	0	1
Theft Under \$5,000 - Bicycles	Property	45	0	45	0	2
Theft Under \$5,000 - Building	Property	18	4	14	2	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Persons	Property	237	41	196	42	15
Theft Under \$5,000 - Trailers	Property	3	2	1	0	0

Theft Under \$5,000 - Other Theft	Property	26	4	22	8	1
Theft Under \$5,000 - Boat (Vessel)	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Boat Motor	Property	5	0	5	1	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Mining Product	Property	1	0	1	1	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Gasoline Drive-off	Property	42	22	20	1	1
Theft Under \$5,000 - Mine Equipment/Property	Property	2	0	2	0	1
Theft Under \$5,000 - Truck Load	Property	1	0	1	0	0
Theft Under \$5,000 - Mail	Property	3	0	3	0	0
Theft FROM Motor Vehicles Under \$5,000	Property	227	3	224	12	4
Theft Under \$5,000 SHOPLIFTING	Property	216	8	208	121	64
Possession of Stolen Goods over \$5,000	Property	7	0	7	5	0
Trafficking in Stolen Goods under \$5,000 (incl. possession with intent to traffic)	Property	3	0	3	1	0
Possession of Stolen Goods under \$5,000	Property	223	4	219	203	4
Fraud - Master Code	Property	1	1	0	0	0
Fraud - Steal/Forge/Poss./Use Credit Card	Property	57	12	45	14	4
Fraud - False Pretence Under \$5,000	Property	16	0	16	5	0
Fraud - Forgery & Uttering	Property	29	5	24	18	3
Fraud - Fraud through mails	Property	3	1	2	0	0
Fraud - Money/property/security Over \$5,000	Property	2	1	1	1	0
Fraud - Money/property/security Under \$5,000	Property	14	5	9	6	0
Fraud - Other	Property	54	16	38	8	11
Personation with Intent (fraud)	Property	37	7	30	22	0
Breach of Trust (fraud-corruption)	Property	1	1	0	0	0
Fraud - False Pretence Over \$5,000	Property	3	0	3	1	0
Identity Theft	Property	0	0	0	1	0
Identity Fraud	Property	9	0	9	5	2
Mischief	Property	338	12	326	109	32
Mischief Graffiti - Non-Gang Related	Property	29	0	29	3	1
Mischief with Data	Property	2	0	2	2	0
Willful act/omission likely to cause mischief	Property	4	1	3	0	2
Interfere with lawful use, enjoyment of property	Property	3	0	3	2	1
		2042	204	1838	675	156
Offensive Weapons - Explosives	Other	1	0	1	1	0

<b>Offensive Weapons - Weapons Trafficking</b>	Other	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Possess Firearm while prohibited</b>	Other	9	0	9	9	0
<b>Offensive Weapons - Possession of Weapons</b>	Other	35	4	31	20	5
<b>Offensive Weapons - Carry concealed</b>	Other	9	0	9	9	0
<b>Offensive Weapons - In Vehicle</b>	Other	2	1	1	1	0
<b>Offensive Weapons - Prohibited</b>	Other	2	0	2	1	1
<b>Offensive Weapons-Other Offensive Weapons</b>	Other	0	0	0	0	1
<b>Other Criminal Code * Sec 105 - Sec. 108</b>	Other	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Offensive Weapons - Other Weapons Offences</b>	Other	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Breach of Firearms regulation - Unsafe Storage</b>	Other	2	0	2	1	0
<b>Bail Violations - Fail To Comply</b>	Other	166	16	150	141	8
<b>Bail Violations - Fail To Appear</b>	Other	40	0	40	38	1
<b>Bail Violations - Promise To Appear</b>	Other	23	0	23	23	0
<b>Bail Violations - Appearance Notice</b>	Other	67	0	67	68	0
<b>Bail Violations - Disobey Summons</b>	Other	5	0	5	5	0
<b>Bail Violations - Recognizance</b>	Other	9	1	8	8	0
<b>Possession Of Counterfeit Money</b>	Other	2	0	2	0	0
<b>Uttering Counterfeit Money</b>	Other	3	0	3	0	0
<b>Disturb the Peace</b>	Other	55	12	43	18	9
<b>Escape Custody</b>	Other	4	0	4	4	0
<b>Indecent acts - Master Code</b>	Other	3	1	2	0	0
<b>Indecent acts - Other</b>	Other	10	4	6	0	2
<b>Indecent acts - exposure to person under 14</b>	Other	2	1	1	0	0
<b>Child Pornography - Print/publish child pornography</b>	Other	2	0	2	1	1
<b>Child Pornography - Possess child pornography</b>	Other	3	1	2	0	0
<b>Public Morals</b>	Other	2	1	1	0	0
<b>Obstruct Public Peace Officer</b>	Other	48	0	48	48	0
<b>Trespass at Night</b>	Other	5	0	5	5	0
<b>Fail to Attend Court</b>	Other	10	0	10	10	0
<b>Breach of Probation</b>	Other	319	11	308	295	2
<b>Breach of Probation - In relation to children</b>	Other	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Utter Threats to Property / Animals</b>	Other	11	0	11	8	3
<b>Offensive Weapons - Careless use of firearms</b>	Other	6	0	6	5	0



<b>Bribery / Perjury - Master code</b>	Other	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Disobey court order/Misconduct executing process</b>	Other	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Obstruct Justice/Fabricate Evidencce</b>	Other	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Public Mischief - mislead peace officer</b>	Other	4	0	4	4	0
<b>Personate Peace Officer</b>	Other	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Other Criminal Code * Sec. 215 - Sec. 319</b>	Other	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Utter Threats to damage property</b>	Other	8	2	6	1	4
<b>Utter Threats to injure animal</b>	Other	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Hate Bias Crime</b>	Other	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Other Criminal Code * Sec. 337 - Sec. 352</b>	Other	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Possession of Burglary Tools</b>	Other	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Animals - Kill or injure</b>	Other	2	0	2	1	0
<b>Animals - Cruelty</b>	Other	5	1	4	0	1
<b>False Fire Alarm (C.C. Charge)</b>	Other	5	0	5	4	1
<b>Other Criminal Code * Sec.462 - Sec.753</b>	Other	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Instruments and literature for illicit drug use</b>	Other	7	0	7	0	4
		908	56	852	746	46
<b>Possession - Heroin</b>	Drugs	2	0	2	1	0
<b>Possession - Cocaine</b>	Drugs	18	1	17	9	1
<b>Possession - Other Controlled Drugs and Substances Act</b>	Drugs	64	12	52	29	8
<b>Possession - Cannabis</b>	Drugs	95	1	94	37	49
<b>Possession - Methamphetamine (Crystal Meth)</b>	Drugs	7	0	7	7	0
<b>Possession - Methylenedioxyamphetamine (Ecstasy)</b>	Drugs	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Trafficking - Cocaine</b>	Drugs	6	0	6	6	0
<b>Trafficking - Other Controlled Drugs and Substances Act</b>	Drugs	29	1	28	30	0
<b>Trafficking - Cannabis</b>	Drugs	22	0	22	20	2
<b>Production - Other Controlled Drugs &amp; Substances</b>	Drugs	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Production - Cannabis (Marihuana) (Cultivation)</b>	Drugs	5	0	5	3	0
		250	15	235	143	61
<b>Excise Act - Other</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	1	0	1	0	0

<b>Youth Criminal Justice Act (YCJA)</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	121	2	119	114	6
<b>Firearms Act - Other</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	1	0	1	0	0
		123	2	121	114	6
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Master Code</b>	Provincial Statutes	5	2	3	0	1
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Selling</b>	Provincial Statutes	2	0	2	2	0
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Minor</b>	Provincial Statutes	20	2	18	11	6
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Having</b>	Provincial Statutes	28	0	28	25	2
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Drunk</b>	Provincial Statutes	422	5	417	335	75
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Motor Vehicle / Vessel</b>	Provincial Statutes	4	0	4	4	0
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Consume non-liquor</b>	Provincial Statutes	2	0	2	2	0
<b>Liquor Licence Act - Other</b>	Provincial Statutes	10	3	7	2	3
<b>Off Roads Vehicle Act</b>	Miscellaneous	12	0	12	4	3
<b>Motorized Snow Vehicle Act</b>	Provincial Statutes	9	0	9	6	3
<b>Trespass To Property Act</b>	Provincial Statutes	88	5	83	58	32
<b>Highway Traffic Act - Master Code</b>	Provincial Statutes	29	0	29	0	26
<b>Traffic Complaint - HTA</b>	Provincial Statutes	349	12	337	8	236
<b>Traffic Complaint - Charged HTA</b>	Provincial Statutes	2368	1	2367	2357	10
<b>Traffic Complaint - Warned HTA</b>	Provincial Statutes	1534	1	1533	10	1542
<b>Traffic Complaint - Other HTA</b>	Provincial Statutes	454	21	433	2	353

<b>Traffic Complaint - Serve DL Suspension Notice</b>	Provincial Statutes	3	0	3	0	3
<b>HTA Racing, all 172(1) offences excluding speed over</b>	Provincial Statutes	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Cell Phone/Distracted Driver Enforcement</b>	Provincial Statutes	9	0	9	9	0
<b>Fail to Stop for Police [PURSUIT] OR Fail to Remain - HTA</b>	Driving Offences	6	0	6	6	0
<b>Careless Driving - HTA</b>	Driving Offences	19	0	19	19	0
<b>Driving while Licence Suspended - HTA</b>	Driving Offences	71	1	70	70	0
<b>Dangerous Operation - Motor Vehicle</b>	Driving Offences	6	1	5	5	0
<b>DANGEROUS OPERATION - EVADE POLICE (PURSUIT)</b>	Driving Offences	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Impaired Operation (Alcohol) - Causing Bodily Harm - Motor Vehicle</b>	Driving Offences	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Impaired Operation (Alcohol) - Master Code</b>	Driving Offences	10	3	7	0	0
<b>Impaired Operation (Alcohol) - Motor Vehicle</b>	Driving Offences	64	14	50	43	0
<b>Over 80 MG - Motor Vehicle - Breath</b>	Driving Offences	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Impaired Operation (Drugs) - Motor Vehicle</b>	Driving Offences	5	0	5	3	2
<b>Fail to Provide Breath Sample (Alcohol) - Motor Vehicle</b>	Driving Offences	8	0	8	7	1
<b>Fail to Stop or Remain</b>	Driving Offences	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Fail to Stop or Remain C.C. - Vehicle / Vessel / Aircraft</b>	Driving Offences	5	0	5	5	0
<b>Drive While Prohibited (Crim. Code)</b>	Driving Offences	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Other Criminal Code * Sec.249 - Sec.251 (Driving)</b>	Driving Offences	0	0	0	1	0
<b>Other Criminal Code - Other</b>	Driving Offences	5	2	3	3	0

<b>Dangerous operation MV - street racing</b>	Driving Offences	1	0	1	1	0
<b>Other Provincial Acts</b>	Provincial Statutes	6	0	6	6	0
		5564	73	5491	3014	2298
<b>Animal - Master Code</b>	Miscellaneous	3	0	3	0	4
<b>Animal - Bear Complaint</b>	Miscellaneous	104	2	102	0	99
<b>Animal Bite</b>	Miscellaneous	9	0	9	1	8
<b>Animal Stray</b>	Miscellaneous	30	1	29	0	27
<b>Animal Injured</b>	Miscellaneous	7	0	7	0	6
<b>Animal - Other</b>	Miscellaneous	40	5	35	0	31
<b>Animal - Dog Owners Liability Act</b>	Miscellaneous	6	1	5	1	3
<b>Bear - Bear Wise Notification</b>	Miscellaneous	12	0	12	0	12
<b>Bear - Nuisance - Stray or Dangerous</b>	Miscellaneous	22	0	22	0	21
<b>Bear - Dispatched</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Alarm - Master Code</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	4	0	4	0	2
<b>Alarm - Holdup</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Alarm - Others</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	54	1	53	0	51
<b>False Alarm - Accidental Trip</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	274	0	274	0	270
<b>False Alarm - Malfunction</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	374	0	374	0	375
<b>False Holdup Alarm - Accidental Trip</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	15	0	15	0	14
<b>False Holdup Alarm - Malfunction</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	8	0	8	0	8
<b>False Alarm - Others</b>	Alarms,	48	0	48	0	48

	Accidents & Deaths					
<b>False Alarm - Cancelled</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	331	0	331	0	328
<b>Landlord / Tenant</b>	Property & Vehicles	146	0	146	0	143
<b>Community Service - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	4	0	4	0	3
<b>Community Service - Display</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Community Service - Parade</b>	Property & Vehicles	4	0	4	0	4
<b>Community Service - Presentation</b>	Property & Vehicles	18	0	18	0	18
<b>Community Service - Other</b>	Property & Vehicles	69	0	69	0	31
<b>Community Service #1</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Danger. Cond. - Building</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Danger. Cond. - Others</b>	Property & Vehicles	12	0	12	0	12
<b>Strikes</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Domestic Disturbance</b>	Miscellaneous	1062	18	1044	177	904
<b>Suspicious Person</b>	Miscellaneous	1303	85	1218	4	932
<b>Phone - Nuisance - No Charges Laid</b>	Miscellaneous	119	0	119	1	111
<b>Phone - Obscene - No Charges Laid</b>	Miscellaneous	7	0	7	0	4
<b>Phone - Threatening - No Charges Laid</b>	Miscellaneous	35	2	33	0	23
<b>Phone - Other - No Charges Laid</b>	Miscellaneous	33	0	33	0	31
<b>Prisoner Escort - Master Code</b>	Persons and Escorts	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Prisoner Escort, Adult (Local)</b>	Persons and Escorts	466	0	466	0	463
<b>Prisoner Escort, Adult (Out Of Town)</b>	Persons and Escorts	510	0	510	0	514
<b>Prisoner Escort, Youth (Local)</b>	Persons and	54	0	54	0	52

	Escorts					
<b>Prisoner Escort, Youth (Out Of Town)</b>	Persons and Escorts	100	0	100	0	99
<b>Traffic - Master Code</b>	Persons and Escorts	124	2	122	0	117
<b>Traffic Escort - Funeral</b>	Persons and Escorts	3	0	3	0	3
<b>Traffic Escort - Parade</b>	Persons and Escorts	2	0	2	0	2
<b>Traffic Escort - Others</b>	Persons and Escorts	9	0	9	0	10
<b>Fire Alarm - Master Code</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	4	0	4	0	4
<b>False Fire Alarm - Building</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	3	0	3	0	5
<b>Fire - Building</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Fire - Vehicle</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	2	0	2	0	2
<b>Fire - Other</b>	Alarms, Accidents & Deaths	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Insecure Condition - Building</b>	Property & Vehicles	40	1	39	0	36
<b>Insecure Condition - Others</b>	Property & Vehicles	3	0	3	0	3
<b>Missing Person-Master code</b>	Persons and Escorts	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Missing Person under 12</b>	Persons and Escorts	20	0	20	0	20
<b>Missing Person 12 &amp; older</b>	Persons and Escorts	199	2	197	0	204
<b>Missing Person Located 12 &amp; older</b>	Persons and Escorts	10	0	10	0	9

<b>MVC (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION) - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	17	3	14	0	13
<b>MVC - PERSONAL INJURY (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION]</b>	Property & Vehicles	95	0	95	55	39
<b>MVC - PROP. DAM. NON REPORTABLE (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION]</b>	Property & Vehicles	159	0	159	4	138
<b>MVC - PROP. DAM. REPORTABLE (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION]</b>	Property & Vehicles	799	0	799	311	451
<b>MVC - PROP. DAM. FAILED TO REM (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION)</b>	Property & Vehicles	136	0	136	3	95
<b>MVC - PERS. INJ. FAILED TO REMAIN (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION)</b>	Property & Vehicles	5	0	5	0	2
<b>MVC - OTHERS (MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION)</b>	Property & Vehicles	112	0	112	9	114
<b>Licence - Municipal - Master Code</b>	Municipal Licenses	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Taxi Licence - Municipal</b>	Municipal Licenses	177	0	177	0	179
<b>Secondhand Shop Licence - Municipal</b>	Municipal Licenses	7	0	7	0	7
<b>Salvage Shop Licence - Municipal</b>	Municipal Licenses	5	0	5	0	5
<b>Municipal Licences - Others</b>	Municipal Licenses	22	0	22	0	23
<b>Noise Complaint - Master Code</b>	Municipal Licenses	15	0	15	0	14
<b>Noise Complaint - Vehicle</b>	Municipal Licenses	25	2	23	0	18
<b>Noise Complaint - Residence</b>	Municipal Licenses	18	3	15	1	13
<b>Noise Complaint - Business</b>	Municipal Licenses	5	2	3	0	3
<b>Noise Complaint - Animal</b>	Municipal Licenses	119	10	109	2	96
<b>Noise Complaint - Others</b>	Municipal Licenses	19	2	17	0	6
<b>Noise Complaint - People, Music, Parties</b>	Municipal Licenses	626	62	564	28	519

<b>Police Assistance - Master Code</b>	Miscellaneous	1418	18	1400	0	1352
<b>Police Assistance #1</b>	Miscellaneous	16	0	16	0	43
<b>Police Information - Master Code</b>	Miscellaneous	750	2	748	0	702
<b>Police Information #1</b>	Miscellaneous	46	0	46	0	47
<b>Found Property - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	35	0	35	0	27
<b>Found - License Plate</b>	Property & Vehicles	3	0	3	0	3
<b>Found - Disabled Parking Permit</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Found - Domestic Appliances</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Found - Personal Accessories</b>	Property & Vehicles	54	0	54	0	46
<b>Found - Sci., Optical, Measuring Devices</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Found - Household Property</b>	Property & Vehicles	10	0	10	0	6
<b>Found - Jewellery</b>	Property & Vehicles	4	0	4	0	0
<b>Found - Photographic Equipment</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Found - Radio, TV, Sound-Reprod. Equip.</b>	Property & Vehicles	7	0	7	0	2
<b>Found - Sporting Goods, Hobby Equip.</b>	Property & Vehicles	3	0	3	0	1
<b>Found - Machinery &amp; Tools</b>	Property & Vehicles	7	0	7	0	2
<b>Found - Bicycles</b>	Property & Vehicles	80	27	53	0	5
<b>Found - Gun</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Found - Others</b>	Property & Vehicles	55	0	55	0	33
<b>Lost Property - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	15	0	15	0	6
<b>Lost - License Plate</b>	Property & Vehicles	238	0	238	0	46



<b>Lost - Disabled Parking Permit</b>	Property & Vehicles	18	0	18	0	4
<b>Lost - Personal Accessories</b>	Property & Vehicles	50	1	49	0	11
<b>Lost - Household Property</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	0
<b>Lost - Jewellery</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	0
<b>Lost - Radio, TV, Sound-Reprod. Equip.</b>	Property & Vehicles	10	0	10	0	1
<b>Lost - Machinery &amp; Tools</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Lost - Gun</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Lost - Others</b>	Property & Vehicles	17	0	17	0	3
<b>Mental Health Act</b>	Persons and Escorts	168	5	163	0	169
<b>Mental Health Act - Attempt Suicide</b>	Persons and Escorts	61	3	58	0	66
<b>Mental Health Act - Threat of Suicide</b>	Persons and Escorts	191	8	183	1	182
<b>Sudden Death - Accidental</b>	Persons and Escorts	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Sudden Death - Suicide</b>	Persons and Escorts	7	0	7	0	7
<b>Sudden Death - Natural Causes</b>	Persons and Escorts	30	0	30	0	29
<b>Sudden Death - Others</b>	Persons and Escorts	5	0	5	2	4
<b>Towed vehicle - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	7	0	7	0	7
<b>Towed Veh. - Private Property</b>	Property & Vehicles	37	0	37	0	36
<b>Towed Veh. - Public Property</b>	Property & Vehicles	33	0	33	0	34
<b>Towed Veh. - Snow Removal</b>	Property & Vehicles	29	0	29	0	30

<b>Towed Veh. - Unsafe For Road</b>	Property & Vehicles	5	0	5	0	5
<b>Towed Veh. - Other</b>	Property & Vehicles	13	0	13	0	13
<b>Towed Veh - Racing HTA</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	2
<b>Suspicious vehicle</b>		560	40	520	0	445
<b>Firearms - Property Found</b>		2	0	2	0	2
<b>Firearms - Property Seized/turned in</b>		14	0	14	0	15
<b>Criminal Record Search</b>		6	0	6	0	6
<b>Trouble with Youth</b>		231	22	209	1	151
<b>Safe Streets Act</b>		1	0	1	1	0
<b>Medical Assistance - Other</b>		3	0	3	0	3
<b>Warrant-Master code</b>	Persons and Escorts	9	0	9	0	7
<b>Warrant - Bench</b>	Persons and Escorts	18	0	18	0	18
<b>Warrant - Committal</b>	Persons and Escorts	12	0	12	0	13
<b>Warrant - In First Instance</b>	Persons and Escorts	14	0	14	0	14
<b>Warrant - Others</b>	Persons and Escorts	25	0	25	0	23
<b>Property Damage</b>	Persons and Escorts	31	4	27	0	17
<b>Person Check-In</b>	Persons and Escorts	22	0	22	0	25
<b>Executed Warrant (Historical use)</b>		69	0	69	0	78
<b>Executed Warrant - Committal</b>		20	0	20	0	20
<b>Executed Warrant - In First Instance (Person)</b>		11	0	11	0	10
<b>Executed Warrant - Others</b>		22	1	21	0	22
<b>Search Warrant Executed - Residence</b>		1	0	1	0	1
<b>Vehicle Recovered - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Vehicle Recovered - Automobile</b>	Property & Vehicles	3	0	3	0	2

<b>Vehicle Recovered - Trucks</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Vehicle Recovered - All Terrain Veh</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Unwanted Persons</b>	Persons and Escorts	529	13	516	0	485
<b>Home Invasion</b>	Persons and Escorts	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Neighbour Dispute</b>	Persons and Escorts	155	2	153	0	152
<b>Keep the Peace</b>	Persons and Escorts	318	29	289	1	269
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Master Code</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Abandoned Vehicle</b>	Property & Vehicles	2	0	2	0	2
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Automobile</b>	Property & Vehicles	4	0	4	0	3
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Trucks</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Motorcycles</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Snow Vehicles</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - All Terrain Veh</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	0	1	0	0
<b>Abandoned Vehicle - Other Vehicles</b>	Property & Vehicles	1	1	0	0	0
<b>Bomb Threat</b>	Miscellaneous	3	1	2	0	2
<b>Noise By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	100	3	97	32	63
<b>Dogs By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	3	0	3	0	4
<b>Firearms (Discharge) By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	1	0	1	0	0

<b>Smoking By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	4	0	4	1	3
<b>Other Municipal By-Laws</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	12	1	11	2	9
<b>Traffic By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	110	2	108	67	35
<b>Traffic - Parking</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	374	16	358	0	356
<b>Taxi By-Law</b>	Fed/Prov Statutes & Bylaws	2	0	2	1	1
<b>Complaint Investigation - Internal</b>	Miscellaneous	2	0	2	0	0
<b>Registry - Alzheimer</b>		1	0	1	0	1
<b>DRUG Operation - Rural Grow</b>		1	0	1	0	0
<b>DRUG related occurrence</b>		37	14	23	0	11
<b>Compulsory Automobile Insurance Act - No Insurance</b>	Provincial Statutes	39	0	39	38	1
<b>Compulsory Automobile Insurance Act - Not provide ins. Card</b>	Provincial Statutes	190	0	190	180	10
<b>Compulsory Automobile Insurance Act - Other</b>	Provincial Statutes	2	0	2	1	1
<b>Smoke-Free Ontario Act</b>	Provincial Statutes	3	0	3	3	0
<b>Community Policing Liaison</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Road Rage</b>	Miscellaneous	2	0	2	0	1
<b>Crime Stoppers</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Intelligence Information</b>	Miscellaneous	19	0	19	0	18
<b>Court Orders</b>	Miscellaneous	4	0	4	0	4
<b>Assist Other Police Agency</b>	Miscellaneous	177	0	177	0	181
<b>Assist Ambulance</b>	Miscellaneous	232	0	232	0	236
<b>Assist Fire Department</b>	Miscellaneous	23	0	23	0	23
<b>Assist Govt. Agency - Provincial</b>	Miscellaneous	49	0	49	0	51

<b>Assist Govt. Agency - Federal</b>	Miscellaneous	3	0	3	0	3
<b>Assist Govt. Agency - Municipal</b>	Miscellaneous	4	0	4	0	4
<b>Assist Public</b>	Miscellaneous	972	22	950	0	917
<b>Assist - Other</b>	Miscellaneous	23	0	23	0	24
<b>Compassionate Message</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>Request Patrols / Property Checks</b>	Miscellaneous	31	0	31	0	31
<b>Bar Check</b>	Miscellaneous	36	0	36	0	39
<b>Child Abuse</b>	Miscellaneous	11	3	8	7	0
<b>R.I.D.E. (RIDE)</b>	Miscellaneous	30	0	30	1	30
<b>Traffic Control - Master Code</b>	Miscellaneous	4	0	4	0	4
<b>Traffic Control - Intersection</b>	Miscellaneous	16	0	16	0	16
<b>Traffic Control - Road Closed</b>	Miscellaneous	6	0	6	0	6
<b>Traffic Control - Other</b>	Miscellaneous	26	0	26	0	28
<b>Proceeds of Crime</b>	Persons and Escorts	16	0	16	17	0
<b>Traffic - 3 day Suspension ( warn range )</b>	Provincial Statutes	4	0	4	1	3
<b>Traffic - 24 hr Suspension Novice Driver HTA (BAC Above Zero)</b>	Provincial Statutes	1	0	1	1	0
<b>THREATS TO GOV'T OFFICIALS</b>	Miscellaneous	1	0	1	0	1
<b>SECURITY CLEARANCES (SECURITY BACKGROUND CHECKS)</b>	Miscellaneous	6	0	6	0	6
<b>DNA - Primary Designated Offence - Charge Laid</b>		1	0	1	0	1
<b>DNA - Warrant Executed</b>		2	0	2	0	3
<b>SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY (SOR)</b>		18	0	18	0	19
<b>FAMILY LAW ACT - RESTRAINING ORDER</b>		1	0	1	0	1
<b>FAMILY DISPUTE</b>		341	1	340	1	351
<b>SUSPICIOUS PACKAGE</b>		1	0	1	0	1
<b>911 call / 911 hang up</b>		643	19	624	0	551
<b>Traffic Hazard - Vehicle/Debris/Animal/Pedestrian</b>		196	21	175	0	170
<b>Hydro wires down</b>		6	0	6	0	6
<b>DUPLICATE OCCURRENCE</b>		435	3	432	0	446
<b>Compliance Check - Court Order</b>		2	0	2	0	2
<b>Compliance Check - Other</b>		1	0	1	0	1

<b>Conditional Sentence Order (CSO)</b>		5	0	5	0	7
<b>Bullying (School)</b>		15	1	14	0	12
<b>Bullying (Cyber)</b>		3	0	3	0	4
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