Timmins Police Service Board
POLICY

POLICY NUMBER: BP-LE-0026

Policy Name:	Missing Persons
Legislative Reference/Authority:	*Community Safety and Policing Act, Regulation(s) and Missing Persons Act 2018*
Replaces:	Policy – BP – LE - 0026 (Formerly associated to the Police Services Act)
Last Revised:	April 22, 2026
Approved By:	Board Chair

BOARD POLICY

1. As prescribed in the *Community Safety and Policing Act* and through Regulation(s) the Timmins Police Service Board shall establish policy(ies) consistent with the *Act,* Regulation(s) and any other applicable legislation.

2. It is the policy of the Timmins Police Service Board with respect to missing persons that the Chief of Police shall develop and maintain procedures that:

    a. Set out the steps to be followed for undertaking investigations into reports of missing persons, including situations involving children, teenagers, elder or vulnerable adults;
    b. Ensure investigative follow-up on outstanding cases;
    c. Where circumstances indicate a strong possibility of foul play, require officers to comply with the procedures set out in the Ministry's designated *Ontario Major Case Management Manual;*
    d. Ensure an AMBER Alert activation is considered in all missing children investigations, and Major Case Management is implemented in all cases involving AMBER Alert activation.

Dated this 29th day of October, 2026.

Signed electronically by the
Board Chair
Timmins Police Service Board