



Pat Mandy
Chair
Hamilton Police Service
155 King William Street, Hamilton, ON, L8N 4C1

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Dear Pat Mandy,

The Muslim Association of Canada (MAC) is a faith-based, non-profit organization dedicated to providing spiritual education and personal development for Canadian Muslims, particularly the youth. We offer services in Hamilton and surrounding areas to foster mentorship, leadership, and identity building. Please see the MAC Introduction letter attached for more details.

We appreciate our past collaborations with Hamilton Police Service and thanks to your generous support, we hosted our most successful camp, the MAC Winter Retreat, building on the experiences of previous programs like Camp Awakening and Horizon. Your contributions have been instrumental in creating safe and engaging spaces for Muslim youth, promoting mentorship and spiritual education. Funds went directly into sponsoring youth in financial need, who otherwise would not be able to benefit from the programs they so very much need. Funds were also used to offset some of the expenses arising from facilitating an all-inclusive and immersive experience for the attendees. More details about our camps are in the introduction letter attached.

As we plan this year's summer retreat from May 20-22, 2023, we hope for your continued support. The camp will accommodate over 102 attendees and there are significant costs expected which is why we are humbly requesting a \$10,000 donation. Your sponsorship ensures that those requiring financial aid would get an opportunity to connect with and experience an enlightening camp. This allows for a camp experience to be accessible to all young adults in the community. We are grateful for your generosity, which plays a vital role in building community and providing ongoing guidance and mentorship for the youth.

We are looking forward to hearing from you.

Warmest Regards,
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