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Sent: Friday, February 2, 2024 5:15 PM

To: Stevenson, Kirsten <Kirsten.Stevenson@hamilton.ca>

Subject: Police budget Increase

Hello Kirsten,

I hope you are doing well! My name is Haider Nadeem, and I have been a resident of Hamilton since I first immigrated here in 2005, and am proud to call Hamilton my home for 19 years.

I believe that our city police department should get a proposed hike, provided that there is increased transparency as to what the budget is used for. I do believe the police is vital to our city's well-being but accountability has to be provided to the public. The Board has continuously voted against body cameras citing budget restrictions as one of them.

With this increased budget I believe that they will be able to procure the cameras, and help bolster their staff.

Thank you,

Haider Nadeem.