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MEMORANDUM TO: All Chiefs of Police and

Commissioner Thomas Carrique Chairs, Police Service Boards

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SUBJECT: Basic Constable Training Program – 2024 Allocations

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I am writing to advise all police services that allocations for the remaining 2024 Basic Constable Training (BCT) program intakes have been released by the Ontario Police College (OPC), including:

- Summer 2024: June 5 September 11, 2024
- Fall 2024: September 9 December 13, 2024

Seats on the BCT program have been allocated utilizing a proportional model based on the approved sworn complement of police services. Allocations can be viewed by training bureaus or other appropriate police service contacts on the Ontario Police College Virtual Academy (OPCVA).

To request additional seats or to release assigned seats, training bureaus or other appropriate police service contacts are asked to update their seat request on the OPCVA as soon as the information is known. Please note that releasing seats in one intake does not guarantee additional seats in the subsequent intake.

Final seat requests for Summer 2024 must be requested no later than <u>May 16, 2024</u>, and for the Fall 2024 intake, no later than <u>July 19, 2024</u>. Applications are due <u>May 22, 2024</u>, and **August 16, 2024**, respectively.

The OPC will continue to work with police services to meet your training needs. If you have any questions, please contact OPC Registration by email at OPC.BCT.Registration@ontario.ca.

If you require any assistance accessing the OPCVA, please contact the OPC's Distance Learning Unit by email at <a href="https://opcdl.google.com/opcdl.google.c

Sincerely,

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