




# HAMILTON POLICE SERVICE

## INFORMATION REPORT

<b>TO:</b>	Chair and Members Hamilton Police Service Board
<b>BOARD MEETING DATE:</b>	June 27, 2024
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	2023 Year End Report – Use of Force
<b>REPORT NUMBER:</b>	24-052
<b>SUBMITTED BY:</b>	Frank Bergen, Chief of Police
<b>SIGNATURE:</b>	

### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Attached you will find the annual Use of Force Report for 2023. This report is completed to capture information forwarded to the Service Armourer/Use of Force Training Sergeant by members who have completed a Use of Force Report.

### INFORMATION

As per the Police Services Act Regulation 926 Sec. 14.5(1) Reports on Use of Force: A member shall submit a report to the Chief of Police or Commissioner whenever the member,

- (a) draws a handgun in the presence of a member of the public, excluding a member of the police force while on duty, or points a firearm, or discharges a firearm;
- (b) uses a weapon other than a firearm on another person; or
- (c) uses physical force on another person that results in an injury requiring medical attention.

P&P 1.02 Use of Force addresses the member requirements for submitting Use of Force Reports at the Hamilton Police Service

### APPENDICES AND SCHEDULES ATTACHED

Appendix “A” - 2023 Use of Force Interactions Report

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**Vision:** To be a trusted partner in delivering public safety.

**Mission:** To serve and protect in partnership with our communities.

**Our Values:** Compassionate, Dedicated, Inclusive, Integrity, Innovative, Professional, Teamwork

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