HAMILTON POLICE SERVICE BOARD GOVERNANCE COMMITTEE RECOMMENDATION REPORT



| то: | Members of the Hamilton Police Service Board Governance Committee |
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| COMMITTEE MEETING DATE: | April 23, 2025 |
| SUBJECT: | Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Managing Correspondence with Expiry Dates Set Prior to the Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting of the Board |
| REPORT NUMBER: | PSB 25-013 |
| PRESENTATION: | No |
| OUTSTANDING BUSINESS ITEM: | Public Outstanding Business Item #8 |
| SUBMITTED BY: | Kirsten Stevenson, Executive Director |
| SIGNATURE: | |

RECOMMENDATION

That the Governance Committee recommend the adoption of Standard Operating Procedure SOP 25-001 for the management of correspondence received by the Board with expiry dates set prior to an upcoming regular meeting of the Board, attached to Report PSB 25-013 as Appendix 'A'.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

 This SOP ensures Board members do not miss important expiry dates related to correspondence being presented to the Board at upcoming meetings

FINANCIAL - STAFFING - LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Financial: N/A

Staffing: N/A

Legal: N/A

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ALTERNATIVES FOR CONSIDERATION

The Board may wish to revise the wording of the proposed SOP.

APPENDICES ATTACHED

Appendix A - SOP 25-001



Hamilton Police Service Board Standard Operating Procedure

Managing Board Correspondence with Expiry Dates Set Prior to the Next Regularly Scheduled Meeting of the Board (SOP 25-001)

Purpose

To ensure Board members are advised of information for their consideration prior to an expiry date occurring.

Owner

Executive Director (E.D.)

Procedure

- 1. The E.D. receives information to be placed on an upcoming Board agenda that contains an expiry date occurring before the next meeting is set to take place.
- 2. The E.D. forwards this information to all Board members noting the upcoming expiry date.
- 3. If the information requires Board action, the E.D. will inform the members and also coordinate responses if required.
- 4. The E.D. places the item on the next regularly scheduled meeting of the Board for information, with a note that this item has already been circulated to members, including the date it was circulated.

Approved at the Board's May 29, 2025 meeting.