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OPP Detachment Board Regional Discussions

The Ministry of the Solicitor General has announced the dates and times of regional roundtable discussion regarding the re-composition of OPP Detachment Boards. Those details are below:

DATE AND TIME LOCATION RSVP DATE
February 10, 2020 Thunder Bay February 3, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Valhalla Inn

1 Valhalla Inn Road Scandia Room

February 12, 2020 Kenora February 5, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Kenora Recreation Centre

18 Mike Richards Way Rotary Room, 1st Fl.

February 19, 2020 London February 12, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Goodwill Centre 255 Horton Street Community Hall, 3rd Fl.

February 20, 2020 Brockville February 13, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Brockville Memorial Civic Centre

100 Magedoma Blvd.

The Hall

February 24, 2020 Sudbury February 17, 2020

9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Northbury Hotel & Conference Centre

50 Brady Street Aspen Hall

February 25, 2020 Ti

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February 18, 2020

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

McIntyre Community Centre 85 McIntyre Road

Hall Facility – Auditorium

February 28, 2020

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February 21, 2020

9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Best Western Plus

Mariposa Inn & Conference Centre

400 Memorial Avenue Hermitage Ballroom

Please email your RSVP to: <u>SOLGENinput@ontario.ca</u>. AMO encourages the participation of all elected officials in these discussions.

Please note that the Ministry is seeking input to inform the regulations which will determine the future of democratic oversight and governance of policing. The Ministry has not made any decisions regarding the size and composition of detachment boards. Ideas which can be successfully implemented at a regional or local level are being sought.

Local elected officials with thoughts on the regional composition of OPP detachment boards should put those forward at the roundtable sessions and in the weeks that follow. AMO has impressed upon the Ministry the need for all municipal councils to be represented.

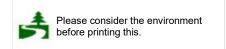
In addition, at the roundtable meetings the Ministry is seeking municipal thoughts related to the composition of a new OPP Governance Advisory Council. This Council's purpose is to provide advice to the Solicitor General with respect to the use of the Solicitor General's powers related to the OPP.

The AMO Board has recently adopted a position regarding the Council's composition. With over 300 municipalities using the services of the OPP, AMO seeks the authority to recommend municipal appointees to the Council. AMO's position is that half of Council's composition should be designated municipal appointees. In addition, given the purpose of the Council, no member should be a former or current member of an Ontario police service or police association.

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