



2021 ANNUAL REPORT

BRANTFORD POLICE SERVICE

MISSION

The Brantford Police Service is committed to enhancing safety for all, by engaging and supporting a unified community.

VISION

A safe and harmonious community.

VALUES

INTEGRITY

Maintaining a strong moral compass based upon trust, dignity and respect.

COMMITMENT

Dedicated to professional service for our community, partners and police members. Participating together enhancing wellbeing and safety.

INNOVATION

Innovative and adaptable in the delivery of police services. Taking opportunities to learn from experiences and making appropriate changes.



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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIR

Throughout 2021, the Brantford Police Services Board addressed a variety of issues, including the approval of the operating and capital budgets, and the appointment of 17 full-time members (sworn) and 11 part time/full time civilians to the Brantford Police Service to replace members who either retired or resigned. As well, the Board approved numerous promotions of sworn officers through the ranks.



The 2021 Board membership included Mark Littell, Councillor Greg Martin, Mayor Kevin Davis (until November 2021), Councillor Dan McCreary (effective December 2021), Karen George and Tammy Bonner.

The Board faced a challenging year due to the continuation of COVID-19 pandemic and restrictions involved with a global pandemic, including Stay-At-Home orders and the need to continue Police/ Board business whether it was virtually or in-person, dependent on current health restrictions.

Through the proceeds of police auctions, the Board continued to provide financial support to many worthwhile community events and programs, including the BPS Youth Hockey Program, Ontario Law Enforcement Torch Run for Special Olympics ABLE School Scholarship Program and Thank-A-Vet Luncheon.

The members of our Board understand how critical it is to maintain the confidence and trust of our citizens to ensure Brantford remains a safe and vibrant community. It is important that we recognize the professionalism and dedication of the men and women of the Brantford Police Service and ensure they continue to be provided with the training and equipment necessary to do their difficult jobs. Our appreciation is also extended to the many volunteer members of our Auxiliary and Citizens on Patrol Programs for their invaluable assistance.

The Board looks forward to continuing to work together to ensure the Brantford Police Service continues to provide high quality policing in accordance with international and provincial standards.

Mark Littell, Chair
Brantford Police Services Board – 2021



MESSAGE FROM CHIEF ROBERT A. DAVIS

As Chief of the Brantford Police Service, it is my privilege to present the 2021 Annual Report.

While the COVID-19 pandemic continued to create challenges throughout 2021, the sworn and civilian members of the Brantford Police Service demonstrated unwavering dedication to the safety and well-being of the citizens of Brantford.

Many changes were implemented in 2021 to ensure the most effective use of resources as BPS remains focused on providing innovative and adaptable delivery of police services to the community. An increased effort to pursue shared learning opportunities between neighbouring services is proving to be immensely beneficial. Along with the Ontario Provincial Police, our partnership with the Six Nations Police on the Mohawk Institute Investigation is a prime example of how close collaboration between services can be of immense benefit to our respective communities.

Gun violence, drug distribution, and organized criminal activity is present in our community. The restructuring of our Criminal Intelligence Unit and the development of our capacity to flow information from citizens through front line officers and into investigations has been very effective. We have been successful in working with our law enforcement partners to address these crimes at the local, regional, Provincial and Federal level. In December of this year, one of our investigations resulted in the seizure of \$12 million of cocaine – one of the largest seizures in Ontario history. The success of our investigations has taken guns and drugs off the street. Perhaps as important, is it has set the stage for an exciting 2022 and the launch of the Tactical Intelligence Generated Response & Enforcement Unit (TIGER) to combat gun and gang related violence, drug production and distribution, improving the safety of our community and surrounding areas.

The Brantford Police Service remains committed to working collaboratively to develop a stratified approach to public safety in order to efficiently and effectively address community concerns.

Take care & be safe,
Chief Robert A. Davis
Brantford Police Service

2021 ORGANIZATIONAL CHART



SERVICE AWARDS

CITY OF BRANTFORD SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENTS



HONOURED RETIREES

Elana Emmons Jeffrey Emmons Robert Gillespie



30 YEARS

Elizabeth Cooper



25 YEARS

James Sawkins



20 YEARS

Dominic Oliveira
Damian Muchowski
David Minutillo
Michael Zomer
Jeffrey Spencer
Matthew MacMillan
Brad Creighton
David Bauer



15 YEARS

Kyle Barnes
Chad Crawford



10 YEARS

Adam Fisher
Jason Barber
Amber Baxter
Geoffrey Johnston
Jeremy Morton
Jay Fenton
Aaron Thomas
Dana Sims
Michael Potter
Melvin Monteblanca
Richard D'Souza



5 YEARS

Tabatha Fronchak
David Porebeski
Holly Crawford
Daniel Jemiola
Quinton Nagy
Ryan Groen
Alan Snively
Christopher Fleming
Nicole Ensell
Rebecca Shelby
Paul Wiacek
Braeden Hager
Megan Coulter
Angela Kerby
Mathew Van Acker
Simon O'Tooole


OPERATIONS
BRANCH

The Operations Branch consists of three primary units:

 **UNIFORM PATROL**

 **EMERGENCY
RESPONSE TEAM**

 **TRAFFIC UNIT**
Oversees the following:

 Adult School Crossing
Guard Program

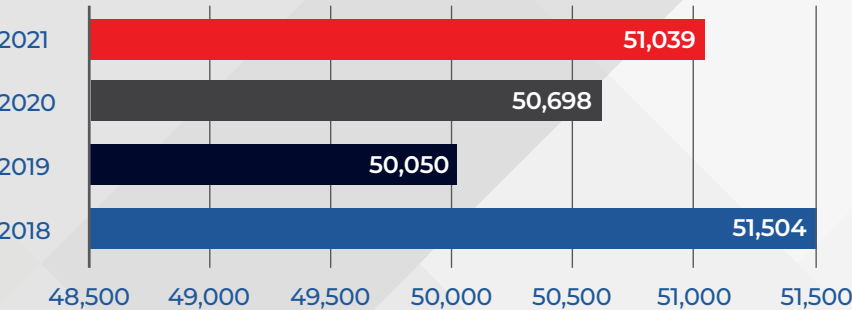
 Park Patroller
Program



UNIFORM PATROL

The Front-Line Community Patrol Officer complement is divided into five (5) platoons assigned to various shifts to provide a continuous policing response for our community. In addition to the emergency response, they are also responsible for providing a proactive, preventative response involving community-based policing initiatives.

CALLS FOR SERVICE

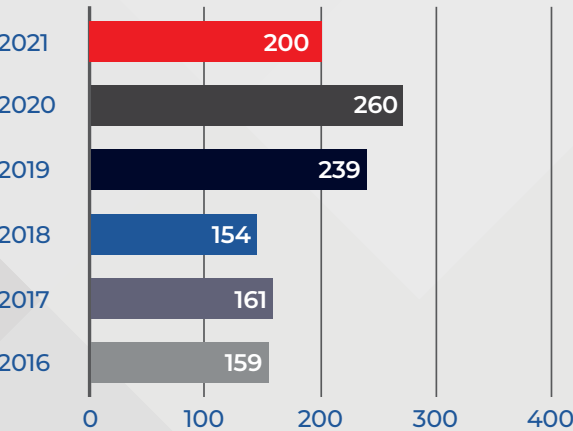


In 2021, our Community Patrol Officers responded to 51,039 calls for service, slightly higher than that of 2020. From those calls for service 6,631 Criminal charges, 4,131 Provincial charges, 114 Municipal charges were laid, and 76 parking violations were issued.

ERT (Emergency Response Team)

The Emergency Response Team is a group of specially and highly trained officers that respond to serious calls for service, such as weapon calls, barricaded person, hostage situations, and are responsible for the execution of high-risk warrants.

ERT INCIDENTS



In 2021, the City of Brantford experienced an increase in serious weapon related violence calls for service however, ERT responded to a total of 200 partial or full team callouts as a result of the aforementioned incident types. This decreased substantially over that of previous years.



TRAFFIC UNIT > ROAD SAFETY

This section is comprised of officers that are specially trained to investigate serious and fatal motor vehicle collisions. The technical components of these investigations require significant resources.

ACCIDENT TYPE	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Personal Injury	333	287	251	193	178
Fatalities	1	3	3	5	4
Total Accidents	2,385	2,540	2,425	1827	1894

In addition to motor vehicle collisions, the Traffic Section is dedicated to road safety and enforcement. These officers dedicate their time towards educating the public and fellow officers on changes to legislation as they arise. The Traffic Section is also visible at special public events, including parades, and festivals, conducting traffic control.



Initiatives and safety messages are regularly posted on the BPS Twitter account, @BrantfordPolice, the BPS Facebook account, @BrantfordPoliceService, and on our website, www.brantfordpolice.ca



ADULT SCHOOL CROSSING GUARDS

The Brantford Police Service remains one of the last few municipalities to continue to operate the Adult School Crossing Guard program. These individuals are responsible for ensuring that our primary and secondary school students are able to safely cross the street at 60 locations throughout the city. In 2021, the program operated with 61 full – time guards, 4 casual guards, one supervisor, and one assistant supervisor.

PARK PATROLLERS

The summer Park Patroller program has successfully contributed to ensuring the safety of our parks and trails for over 30 years. In 2021, the Brantford Police Service employed 7 Park Patrollers, who operate dirt bikes with on and off-road capabilities. These members laid a total of 58 charges and participated in numerous community events such as the Canada Day Celebration, the Rotary Brantford Charity show, and events within Harmony Square.

BRANCH REPORTS > OPERATIONAL SUPPORT



CRISIS OUTREACH AND SUPPORT TEAM (COAST)

The COAST program was initiated in March of 2019. This program is provided to the community in partnership with St. Leonard's Community Services and works in conjunction with the MCRRT.

COAST consists of two separate teams. The first being a sworn member paired with a mental health professional while the other consists of two mental health professionals exclusively. While MCRRT focuses their efforts on those in crisis, COAST seeks to identify those in pre-crisis who are exhibiting characteristics of elevation. They in turn are provided access to supportive resources for the purpose of maintaining stability in their state of mental health. The COAST

program provides for a secondary response to MCRRT's primary one.

A total of 191 individuals were provided services through the COAST program throughout 2021.

MOBILE CRISIS AND RAPID RESPONSE TEAM (MCRRT)

The MCRRT unit is currently comprised of two teams, each consisting of an officer and a mental health specialist from St. Leonard's Community Services. They are responsible for providing the primary response to individuals in crisis. MCRRT responded to 365 calls for service involving those in mental health crisis.

BEAT (BETTER ENFORCEMENT ACTION TEAM)

The BEAT unit consisted of two Sergeants and three Constables in 2021. Through bike and foot patrol these officers are responsible for providing a police presence in our downtown core. This area is home to a unique and diverse community and includes government offices, social programs, retail businesses, private residences, and various post-secondary institutions. The BEAT officers are involved in numerous community groups that collectively serve and contribute to the downtown core.



CANINE UNIT

In 2021, our Canine Unit continued to be comprised of Constable Adam Fischer, along with his partner Finn and Constable Paul Wiacek, along with his partner Mack. These partnerships have been very successful in their tracking and searching capabilities and their continued dedication has been instrumental in moving the Unit forward, ensuring the Canine program is successful and well respected.

The Canine teams responded to 120 calls in 2021. This does not include those calls for service in which they assisted front line officers with other investigations. In addition to the calls for service within our own jurisdiction the Canine teams are called upon to assist other Services on a regular basis.

BRANT COMMUNITY RESPONSE TEAM (BCRT)

The Situation Table currently involves over 20 agencies from multiple sectors across Brant/Brantford, including education, primary health, public health, mental health, addictions, law enforcement, justice, harm reduction, victim services, employment support, housing and homelessness, Aboriginal services, and youth support.

In 2021, 24 situations were brought to the table by various member agencies involving individuals or families of 'Acutely Elevated Risk'. Through the presentations, 66% of persons/families had been deemed to have experienced a reduction in risk.

The highest risk factors attributed to the situations were Mental Health and Cognitive Functioning, Antisocial/ Problematic Behaviour (non-criminal) and Substance Abuse.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RESOURCE COORDINATOR

Led by a civilian person from the Brantford Police Service, a community partnership for the delivery of K.I.D.S. programming (Knowledge Issues Decisions and Supports) involves representatives from the following organizations: Brantford Police Service, Brantford Fire Department, Brant County Health Unit, Children's Safety Village and the T.I.C.K. Board (Teaching Intelligent Choices in Kids).

The K.I.D.S. program was delivered to full capacity in 2021, and as a result, 79 individual classes had been taught totalling 597 students.

HIGH SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

The HRSO program was required to temporarily be suspended due to COVID related restrictions. When the program is operational, officers provide a resource for school staff and students, building positive relationships and educating students on safety related issues. These officers also engage in extracurricular activities (coaching swimming, rugby and football) to build trust with students creating positive impact for years to come.

CITIZENS ON PATROL (COP)

Designed to augment and enhance our Service's crime prevention initiatives, the Citizen's on Patrol program provides a visible presence helping to deter crime in the community. Members conduct foot/ bicycle/vehicle patrol and attend various community events.

Through such efforts, the COP's program endeavours to reduce the threat of crime and enhance the sense of safety and security in our community. In 2020, the membership of the Citizens on Patrol lost some members to the Brantford Police Auxiliary program as well as full time employment with our Service. Therefore, the membership decreased to 57 persons. During this same time, a significant increase in participation has been observed. COP members conducted 38 Patrols and attended no community events, these numbers were drastically affected by COVID restrictions. Members of the Citizens on Patrol contributed 820 hours of volunteerism during the rating period.



COMMUNITY SAFETY AND CRIME PREVENTION (CSCP)

This section is comprised of numerous officers and community partners that collectively and collaboratively seek to improve the safety and well-being of the community as a whole. This is accomplished through preventative measures, the Elementary and High School Resource Officer programs, as well as risk intervention and incident response (MCRRT, COAST and BCRT).

BRANCH REPORTS > INVESTIGATIVE SUPPORT

CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION SECTION (CIS)

The Criminal Investigation Section includes the Major Crime Unit, Child Abuse Sexual Assault Unit (CASA), Internet Child Exploitation Unit (ICE), Domestic Violence Unit, Violent Repeat Offender Unit (VRO), Asset Forfeiture, Firearms & Fraud Unit, Auto Theft Unit, and the Street Crime Unit (SCU). Members from these units are responsible for investigating criminal incidents and significant events which include homicides and attempts, sudden deaths, sexual assaults, offences against children, robberies, weapons offences, domestic assaults, major frauds, break & enters, and drug offences.



MAJOR CRIME UNIT



CHILD ABUSE SEXUAL ASSAULT UNIT (CASA)



INTERNET CHILD EXPLOITATION UNIT (ICE)



DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNIT (DVU)



VIOLENT REPEAT OFFENDER UNIT (VRO)



ASSET FORFEITURE, FIREARMS & FRAUD UNIT



AUTO THEFT UNIT



STREET CRIME UNIT (SCU)



CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE UNIT (CIU)



IDENT



COURTS

MAJOR CRIME UNIT

In 2021, the Major Crime Unit investigated 3 manslaughters, 3 homicides, and 1 attempted homicide. Major Crime consisted of 6 Detectives and 1 Sergeant.

CHILD ABUSE SEXUAL ASSAULT UNIT (CASA)

The CASA unit investigated and provided oversight for 198 sexual offences investigated by Brantford Police Service in 2021. CASA is responsible for maintaining and monitoring persons locally registered on the Sex Offender Registry; 161 persons were required to register while an additional 139 offenders had their records suspended due to incarceration. The CASA Unit also investigates Human Trafficking incidents. Enforcement, education, and community engagement were initiated to offer victims of Human Trafficking alternatives and counseling. CASA consisted of 5 Detectives and 1 Sergeant.

INTERNET CHILD EXPLOITATION (ICE) UNIT

The ICE Unit is one of 29 municipal police services that participate in the Provincial Strategy to protect children from sexual abuse and exploitation on the internet. The Unit is comprised of two investigators and three forensic technicians. During the 2021 Strategy reporting year, the ICE Unit investigated 101 child exploitation cases, charging 22 offenders and laying 80 charges. 43 judicial authorizations (production orders) were executed as well as 15 search warrants and 6 victims identified. The forensic examiners analyzed 190 electronic devices. There were 2 ICE Investigators and 3 ICE Forensic Technicians in 2021.

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE UNIT (DVU)

In 2021, the DVU consisted of two detectives who investigate historic domestic occurrences and assist patrol officers with current domestic occurrences. DVU also reviews all domestic occurrences where an arrest has been made, non-intimate partner occurrences, as well as high-risk incidents. DVU officers provide quality control for domestic matters before the courts, offer training to frontline officers (ODARA, DVRM), and participate in community-driven committees:

BRAVE	Brant Response to Violence Everywhere
DVAC	Domestic Violence Court Advisory Committee
Victim Services	ALERT/TRACKER applications & review
BARRT	Brant-Brantford Assessment Risk Reduction Team

VIOLENT REPEAT OFFENDER (VRO) UNIT

This unit provided oversight and compliance for high-risk persons within the community. The officer worked diligently with both Provincial Probation and Federal Parole offices, providing intelligence to BPS frontline officers (which assisted Directed Patrol). In 2021, the VRO Unit monitored approximately 232 offenders at any given time throughout the year, of which 109 were federal offenders, 23 were offenders on bail or release orders, and 100 offenders were on probation. The VRO consisted of 1 Detective.

ASSET FORFEITURE, FIREARMS, AND FRAUD

This unit continues to maintain a very high caseload, often assisting the Major Crime Unit with significant incidents. A total of 108 guns were seized, with 25 being considered crime guns. There was 1 PAFU Detective and 2 Detectives responsible for Firearms and Frauds.

AUTO THEFT UNIT

In 2021, 263 automobiles, including tractor trailers, commercial vehicles, and motorcycles, were reported stolen within Brantford. There was one Detective assigned to Auto Theft.

STREET CRIME UNIT (SCU) & TASK FORCE

SCU investigates drugs, firearms, and gang related offences. They also investigate break and enters and other community safety issues. SCU initiates street-level drug investigations, provides education to community groups, and is responsible for the safe storage of all seized substances. In 2021, Brantford police investigated 498 break and enters of which 315 were residential, 149 involved businesses and 34 were other. There were 8 Detectives and 1 Sergeant assigned to SCU & Task Force in 2021.

CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE UNIT (CIU)

CIU offers technical support, such as surveillance (mobile, video, photographic), to assist CIS with investigations. CIU remains a contributing member of the Criminal Intelligence Services of Ontario, and assists Provincial Intelligence Units that have ties to local crime groups. One Detective was assigned to the Provincial Biker Enforcement Unit. CIU is also responsible for the collection and dissemination of Intelligence Reports. In 2021, 669 Intelligence Reports were received by the CIU for follow-up and appropriate dissemination. CIU consisted of 5 Detectives and 1 Sergeant.

FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION SECTION (FIS)

FIS provided CIS with support at crimes scenes, in addition to their heavy daily workload. In 2020, FIS (and SOCO officers) attended 847 scenes, taking 32,198 images. Physical evidence was collected at 144 of these scenes, which resulted in 129 Lab Reports. In 2021, 1,746 fingerprints were taken (85% for criminal matters, 15% for Vulnerable Sector, employment, and immigration). FIS consisted of 4 Detectives and 1 Civilian Supervisor.

COURT SERVICES AND OFFENDER TRANSPORTATION

Special Constables provide security within Ontario Provincial Courts, Superior Court, and Provincial Offences Court. Commissionaires provides security at the entrance to both Provincial and Superior Courts. Commissionaires operate and oversee magnetometers. In 2021, the Courts were closed for a majority of the year due to the pandemic. Despite this, 2 knives, 4 tools, 9 pointed items, 9 other items (handcuff keys, torch lighters etc) were seized from persons entering Provincial and Superior Courts.



ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT BRANCH

The Administrative Support Branch has a mandate to provide support in the areas of finance, property, facilities and fleet management.



FINANCE



PROPERTY



FACILITIES

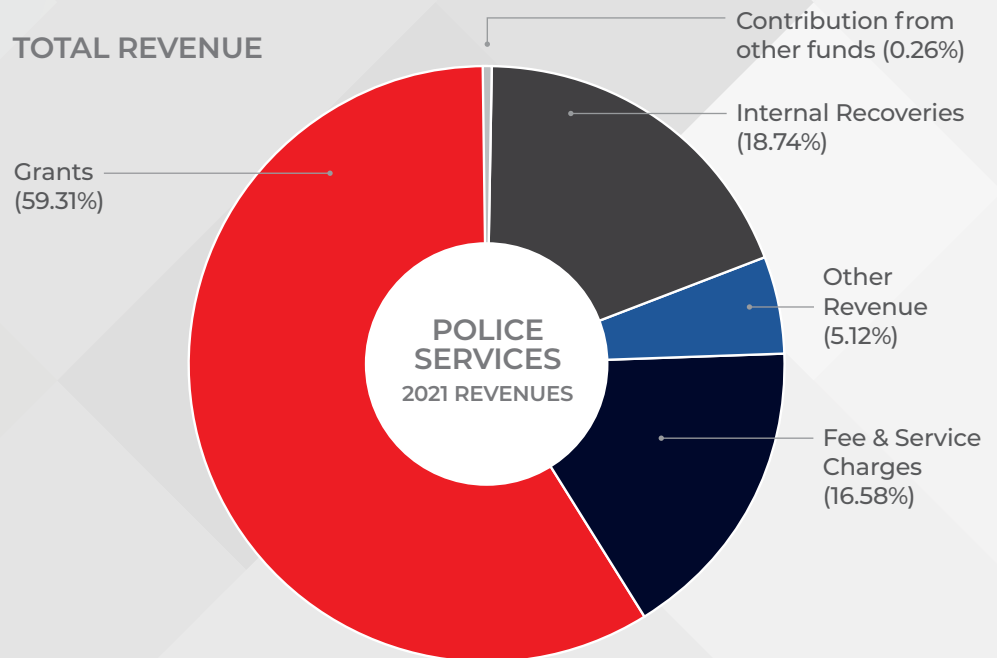


FLEET
MANAGEMENT

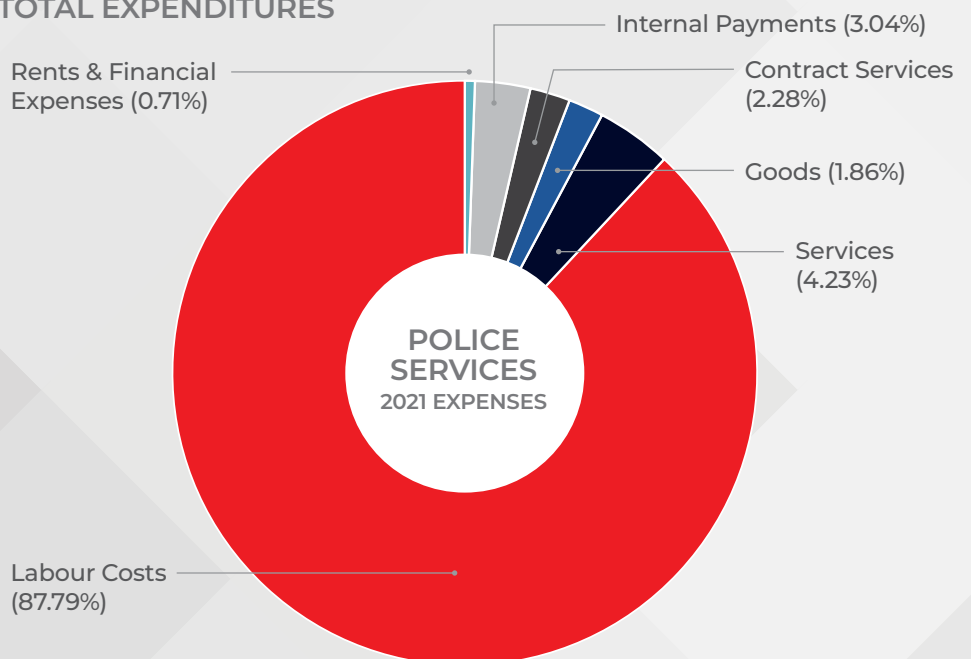
BUDGET AND FINANCE

The 2021 Budget, which was approved by the Police Service Board, represents an 8.87% budget increase over 2020. The Operating budget for 2021 was \$39,054,737.

TOTAL REVENUE



TOTAL EXPENDITURES



BRANCH REPORTS > HUMAN RESOURCES & TECHNOLOGY



HUMAN RESOURCES – MEMBER WELLNESS

EARLY INTERVENTION – utilizing the risk indicator ‘flags’ that exist within the Guardian Tracking system, allows supervisors and managers an opportunity to provide the necessary and timely support to members. There were 38 significant emotion event entries tracked with individualized wellness follow-ups to members as a result of this early intervention system.

PEER SUPPORT – a supportive relationship between members who have a common lived experience; connecting with another member who has lived with similar problems, or is perhaps still doing so, can be a vital link for someone struggling with their own situation. A team of trained sworn and civilian peer supporters, made combined efforts resulting in 163 contact check-ins with fellow members of the service.

SAFEGUARD PROGRAM – provides psychological services to officers within the organization that are assigned to high-risk investigative/support areas. In 2021, this service was provided to 58 members. This program continues to grow in success and acceptance from the officers taking part in the sessions.

EMPLOYEE AND FAMILY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM – enables employees and their family members to access independent assessment, referral and/or counselling support from an external professional service provider. In 2021, this confidential service was accessed by 65 employees/family members.

HUMAN RESOURCES STAFFING COMPLIMENT

CATEGORY	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Population Served	97,496	97,496	104,978	104,978	104,978
Uniform Officers	172	178	186	189	201
Civilian Employees	80	86	89	89	95 FT, 7 PT
Total Staff	252	258	275	278	299
Uniform Officers per 1000	1.76	1.82	1.77	1.80	1.53
Operating Budget	\$31,554,154	\$32,424,516	\$33,225,482	\$35,975,122	\$39,054,737

TECHNOLOGY

The demands and expectations of Information Technology Services continued to increase and below, are a few of the many changes realized within the ever-growing service in 2021:

CLOUD COMPUTING – BPS has migrated to the Microsoft Office365 environment, allowing the service to access files anywhere, improve communications, allow for greater business continuity, automatic upgrades and centralized collaboration.

MOBILE COMPUTING – Members have been provided greater remote connectivity with the deployment of more laptops, allowing for:

- Location Flexibility
- Increased Efficiency
- Reduced Expenses
- Enhanced Productivity
- Streamlining of Business Processes

PUBLIC SAFETY RADIO SYSTEM – An extensive radio engineering study was conducted to ensure all radio communication requirements will continue to be met today and into the future. Mobile and portable radio equipment will be replaced in the immediate future.

PKI TOKENS FOR ALL SWORN OFFICERS – As computing resources and solutions within law enforcement and justice agencies migrate to cloud environments, the need for higher levels of authentication and security has never been greater. BPS continues to be good stewards of data by implementing various multi-factor authentication and authorization methodologies. Enhanced security measures ensure BPS continue to meet and exceed RCMP regulations, as well as various privacy and security legislation.

QUALITY ASSURANCE BRANCH

The Quality Assurance Branch is responsible for the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies (CALEA) accreditation, the Communications Section, the Property Section, the Records Section, Professional Standards, and other areas that concern quality of service.



CALEA



COMMUNICATIONS SECTION



PROPERTY SECTION



RECORDS SECTION



PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

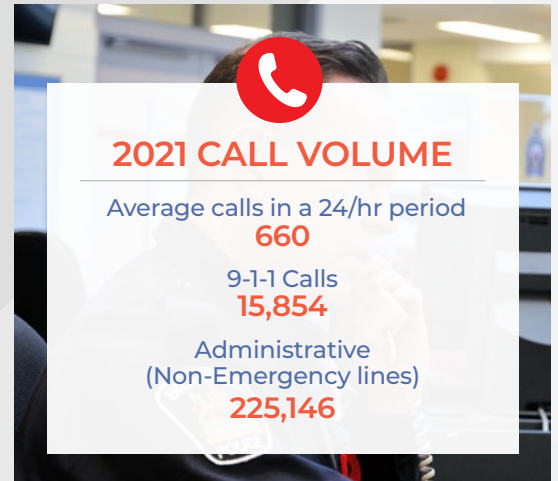
COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES (CALEA)

The CALEA Accreditation program provides public safety agencies with an opportunity to voluntarily meet an established set of professional standards. The Brantford Police Service has been an accredited agency since 2004. In 2019, the Service successfully completed the four-year reaccreditation process.

COMMUNICATIONS

Our Communications centre is comprised of 16 full-time, 1 part-time member and 1 Sergeant for processing all police and non-emergency calls from the public. Our communicators dispatch calls for service with public safety and officer safety as the primary parameters. They are instrumental in ensuring the safety of the officers on patrol through constant monitoring.

In 2021, our Communicators handled, on average, 660 telephone calls in a 24-hour period. Our Communications centre received approximately 225,146 calls on our administrative (non-emergency lines) and received approximately 15,854 9-1-1 calls.



PROPERTY SECTION

Members of the Property Section manage, and control thousands of items seized by, or otherwise coming into the possession of, the police. This section is secure and very well organized. Strict policies on the handling of evidence and property ensure that the integrity of the Service is upheld in dealing with matters before the courts and public.

9,212 – Items processed

RECORDS SECTION

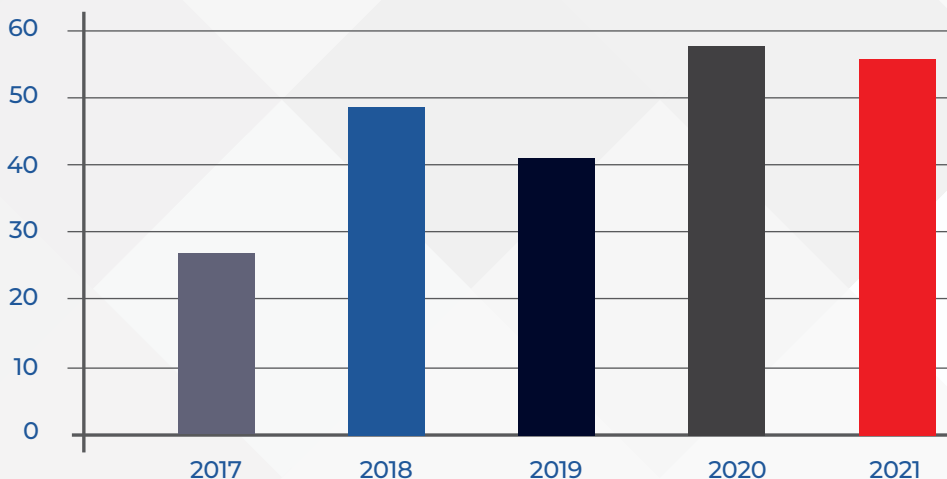
Members of the Records Section are responsible for liaising with the public and community partners to ensure that police records are shared efficiently and according to legislation. Police records prepared for Freedom of Information (FOI) requests and court proceedings play an integral role in maintaining the integrity of the police service.



PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS

The Quality Assurance Branch liaises with the Office of the Independent Police Review Director (OIPRD) as it concerns complaints made by the public about the Service. Complaints are categorized by the OIPRD as Conduct Complaints, Service Complaints or Policy Complaints. Fifty-six complaints about the Brantford Police Service were received by the OIPRD.

TOTAL PUBLIC COMPLAINTS BY YEAR



28 – Complaints screened out by the OIPRD

8 – Complaints about the service provided

12 – Unsubstantiated

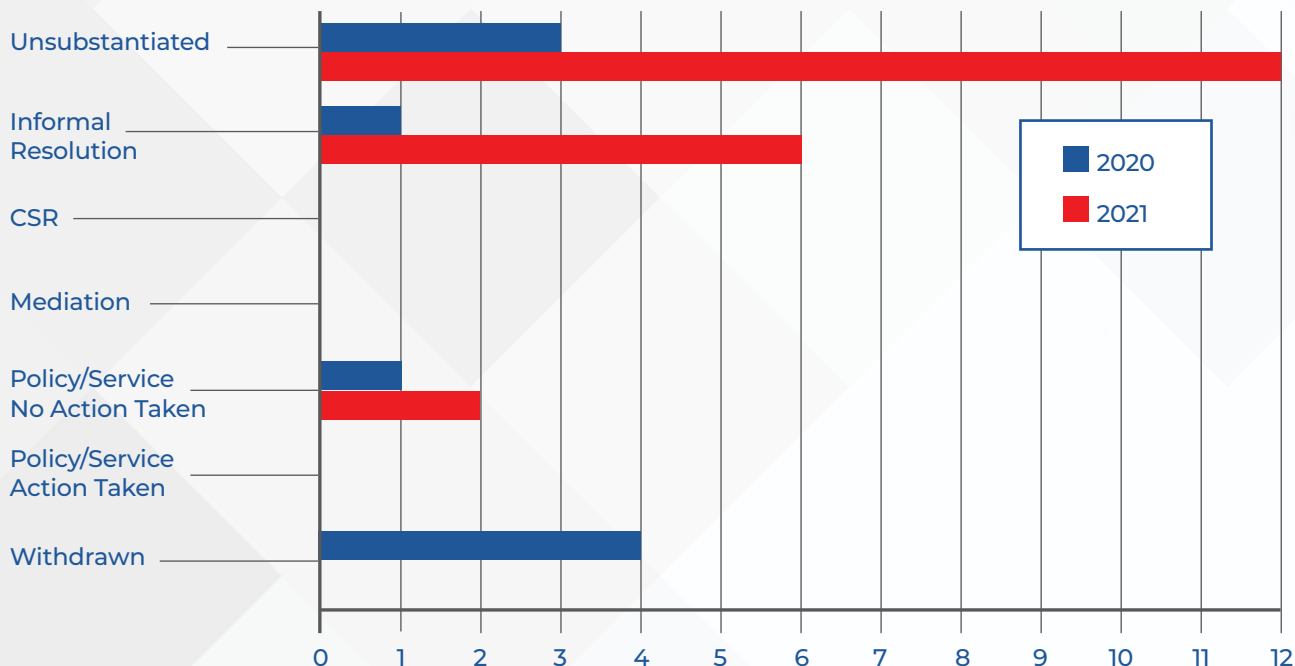
1 – Substantiated

6 – Early resolution

1 – Withdrawn

COMPLAINT RESOLUTION 2021

The OIPRD directs action to be taken regarding complaints. Not all complaints require action. Resolved complaints are classified as substantiated, unsubstantiated, or resolved informally through customer service resolution (CSR) or mediation.



STATISTICS > BUSINESS PLAN OBJECTIVE REPORT

OBJECTIVE	INCOMPLETE	ONGOING	COMPLETED
COMMUNITY SAFETY			
Increase enforcement relating to traffic safety initiatives and reduce injury / fatal investigations involving vehicle, pedestrian or cyclist through education and targeted enforcement		●	
Involve the community to assist with identifying and resolving local problems		●	
Maintain initiatives which will enhance engagement with local youth			●
Explore programs that will enhance community involvement and allows for a greater understanding of the role of the police			●
COMMITMENT TO COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS			
Support individual service providers in their efforts to identify, reduce and eliminate acute high-risk situations. Meet with community leaders to establish and foster an inter-agency relationship that benefits the community			●
Identify and track stakeholder satisfaction		●	
Designate patrols to address specific neighbourhood issues and concerns, focusing on protecting and assisting residents			●
Collaborate with community program leaders and utilize crime prevention initiatives to reduce crime in neighbourhoods		●	
COMMITMENT TO CORPORATE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT			
Partnering with our IT consortium police partners to identify and implement emerging technologies and create opportunities for efficiencies. Maintain the current IT infrastructure to ensure its functionality and reliability			●
Prepare and maintain the Service's annual capital and operating budget. Research and maintain the 10 year capital forecast that reflects the expected needs of the Service			●
Complete a facility assessment that outlines the short and long-term needs of the Service and liaise with City officials to effectively plan for future needs			●
Prepare and monitor capital reserve funds to ensure adequate resources are available for funding all projects approved by the Board			●
Attract qualified applicants that are representative of the demographic composition of the community			●
ORGANIZATIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND INNOVATION			
Provide, monitor and increase investigative training opportunities to enhance learning		●	
Share crime statistics with our membership and our community through traditional and social media			●
Maintain ongoing partnerships with community groups to support and identify our responsibilities for assisting victims of crime			●
The high-risk offender unit will continue to update front-line officers on mapping software to augment investigations		●	



STATISTICS >

2021 REPORTED CRIME & CLEARANCE RATES



CALLS FOR SERVICE
51,039



ONLINE REPORTS (not included in the above total)
1,581

VIOLENT CRIME AND CLEARANCE RATES

Violent Crime Criminal
Code Violations 1,599

Violent Crimes Cleared 73%

PROPERTY CRIME AND CLEARANCE RATES

Property Crime Calls 3,861

Property Crimes Cleared 20.1%

OTHER CRIME AND CLEARANCE RATES

Other Crime Calls 1,803

Other Crimes Cleared 95.6%

ADULTS CHARGED OR DIVERTED

2,966

YOUTHS CHARGED OR DIVERTED

Charged 83

Not Charged 119

STATISTICS > FIVE YEAR STATISTICS

INVESTIGATIONS	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	TOTAL	AVERAGE	2018	2019	2020	2021
Murder	2	2	3	4	5	16	3	0%	50%	33%	25%
Attempt Murder	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	100%	-100%	0%	0%
Sexual Offences	206	203	219	175	198	1001	200	-1%	8%	-20%	13%
Assault On Police	15	32	30	36	20	133	27	113%	-6%	20%	-44%
Assaults - Other	857	878	941	946	946	4568	914	2%	7%	1%	0%
Robberies With Weapon	37	35	38	48	34	192	38	-5%	9%	26%	-29%
Robberies Without Weapon	36	17	28	35	21	137	27	-53%	65%	25%	-40%
B&E Residence	424	509	369	313	315	1930	386	20%	-28%	-15%	1%
B&E Business	174	150	179	228	149	880	176	-14%	19%	27%	-35%
B&E Other	22	29	43	39	34	167	33	32%	48%	-9%	-13%
Theft Of Motor Vehicle	483	633	425	329	328	2198	440	31%	-33%	-23%	0%
Theft Over \$5000	29	23	38	27	33	150	30	-21%	65%	-29%	22%
Theft Under \$5000	1561	1605	1467	1024	1098	6755	1351	3%	-9%	-30%	7%
Theft From Vehicle	585	740	579	798	746	3448	690	26%	-22%	38%	-7%
Frauds Total	507	529	460	483	459	2438	488	4%	-13%	5%	-5%
Offensive Weapons Total	176	158	204	277	244	1059	212	-10%	29%	36%	-12%
Mischief Total	914	833	879	943	816	4385	877	-9%	6%	7%	-13%
Other Criminal Code	953	1039	697	973	804	4466	893	9%	-33%	40%	-17%
Drugs & Narcotics Total	329	236	114	96	109	884	177	-28%	-52%	-16%	14%
Provincial Statutes Total	784	907	892	717	675	3975	795	16%	-2%	-20%	-6%
Municipal Bylaws	128	211	242	224	128	933	187	65%	15%	-7%	-43%
Gaming & Betting	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0%	0%	0%	0%
Impaired Drivers	126	105	124	114	101	570	114	-17%	18%	-8%	-11%

MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENTS	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	TOTAL	AVERAGE	2018	2019	2020	2021
Fatal Accidents	1	3	3	5	4	16	3	200%	0%	67%	-20%
Persons Killed	1	3	3	6	4	17	3	200%	0%	100%	-33%
Personal Injury Accidents	331	286	251	193	178	1239	248	-14%	-12%	-23%	-8%
Total MVA's	2383	2534	2425	1827	1894	11063	2213	6%	-4%	-25%	4%
Criminal Charges	6075	6655	6211	6838	6631	32410	6482	10%	-7%	10%	-3%
Provincial Charges	6142	6470	5610	4964	4131	27317	5463	5%	-13%	-12%	-17%
Municipal Charges	207	189	195	171	114	876	175	-9%	3%	-12%	-33%
Parking Tickets Issued	629	305	220	120	76	1350	270	-52%	-28%	-45%	-37%



Green figures
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Red figures
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ACTIVITIES	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	TOTAL	AVERAGE	2018	2019	2020	2021
Alarms	1554	1480	1314	1081	985	6414	1283	-5%	-11%	-18%	-9%
Fail To Stop For Police	57	70	53	58	53	291	58	23%	-24%	9%	-9%
Complaints Against Police	36	48	43	61	53	241	48	33%	-10%	42%	-13%
Discipline Matters	21	13	15	6	6	61	12	-38%	15%	-60%	0%
Calls For Service	49822	51469	49919	50621	50735	252566	50513	3%	-3%	1%	0%
Casino Related Calls	112	166	170	31	37	516	103	48%	2%	-82%	19%
Foot/Bicycle Patrol Hours	6505	6452	3539	620	128	17244	3449	-1%	-45%	-82%	-79%

HUMAN RESOURCES (HRS)	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	TOTAL	AVERAGE	2018	2019	2020	2021
Overtime	25033	30066	30307	31932	29626	146964	29393	20%	1%	5%	-7%
Court Time	1740	1660	1873	676	919	6868	1374	-5%	13%	-64%	36%
Auxiliary Worked	5226	6193	4897	4273	2984	23573	4715	19%	-21%	-13%	-30%
In Service Training	14565	16713	18062	17907	21963	89210	17842	15%	8%	-1%	23%



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