



REPORT TO THE POLICE SERVICE BOARD

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Title: Acceptance of Donations for Year Ended December 31, 2024

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board receives this report and finds that all provisions of Acceptance of Donations have been complied with.

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Board recognizes the generosity of citizens, community agencies and corporations in supporting the Durham Regional Police through donations of money, equipment, and other goods and services. The Board is committed to ensuring that the acceptance of such donations will be subject to a clear, transparent and accountable process.

DISCUSSION

Interpretation of the Chief of Police:

I shall ensure that all such donations are recorded properly, and that no donations valued at more than \$5,000 are accepted without a background check and the express permission of the Board.

Data Support:

The following is a list of all donations of money, showing the donor, amount of donation and which program the donation was used to support.

Durham Regional Police Service

Finance Unit

Summary of Donations - 2024

Donor	Donation Use	Total
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Seniors Christmas	5,688.80
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Gowns for Grads	5,650.00
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Peer Support-Health & Wellness	5,000.00
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Cop Shop	3,500.00
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Children's Games	3,000.00
Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)	Community Tent	2,712.00
Total Police Appreciation Dinner Awards Night (PADAN)		\$ 25,550.80
Canadian Progress Club Durham South General	Children's Games	3,500.00
The Shandex Group	Children's Games	3,000.00
Companies Who Care Inc	Children's Games	2,415.00
Durham Regional Police Association Inc.	Children's Games	1,000.00
Lisa Daugharty	Children's Games	1,000.00
Police Service Board	Children's Games	1,000.00
DRPS Senior Officer Association	Children's Games	500.00
Rotary Club of Courtice	Children's Games	500.00
The Lions Club of North Oshawa	Children's Games	500.00
UNIFOR Local 222	Children's Games	500.00
Canadian Progress Club Durham Region Women	Children's Games	500.00
Oshawa Community Credit Union	Children's Games	200.00
Total Children's Games		\$ 14,615.00
Cash Donations	Food and Toy Drive	3,934.01
Ontario Motor Sales Limited	Food and Toy Drive	1,407.38
Crown Attorney Office (Bauble Party) - Cash Donation	Food and Toy Drive	1,275.00
Deez Nuts Thursday Poker Game - Cash Donations	Food and Toy Drive	1,250.00
Douglas Bailie	Food and Toy Drive	1,000.00
Ontario Teamsters Construction Council	Food and Toy Drive	500.00
Sinclair Secondary School	Food and Toy Drive	412.58
Francis Matthew Kiernick East Gate Scale	Food and Toy Drive	335.00
Port Darlington Community Association	Food and Toy Drive	305.00
Don and Son Building Supplies Limited	Food and Toy Drive	300.00
1664262 Ontario Limited O/A Independent Project Managers	Food and Toy Drive	250.00
Curtis Macdougall Lori Macdougall	Food and Toy Drive	250.00
Teamsters Local Union 230	Food and Toy Drive	250.00
Cram A Cruiser - Cash Donation	Food and Toy Drive	215.80
Dr. R. Campbell Dentistry Professional Corporation	Food and Toy Drive	150.00
John A. Slade Mrs Patricia M Slade	Food and Toy Drive	100.00
Lori Moore Paul Slavchenko	Food and Toy Drive	100.00
Calvary Baptist Church - Cash Doantion	Food and Toy Drive	20.00
Total Food and Toy Drive		\$ 12,054.77
Big Ticket Game - Cash Donation	Special Olympics	3,519.35
Polar Plunge - Cash Donations	Special Olympics	1,101.75
Law Enforcement Torch Run - Cash Donations	Special Olympics	867.25
Cash Donations	Special Olympics	835.20
OHL Event - Cash Donations	Special Olympics	588.00
Royal Canadian Legion BR#43 Ladies Auxillary	Special Olympics	50.00
Total Special Olympics		\$ 6,961.55
Durham Regional Police Association Inc.	Gowns for Grads	150.00
Total Other		\$ 150.00
Total Donations 2024		\$ 59,332.12

All the donations on the list meet the 9 specific policy goals below.

1. The donation is consistent with the principles outlined in Section 1 of the Police Services Act.
2. The donation supports the objectives and priorities of the Police Services Board and will provide a direct benefit to the community at large.
3. The acceptance of the donation does not compromise or bring into question police impartiality or objectivity.
4. The acceptance of the donation does not commit the Durham Regional Police to additional, unbudgeted resources, unless approved by the Board.
5. The donation is without conditions as to its use or preference to the donor.
6. No donation valued at more than \$5,000 is to be accepted without a thorough background check and the express permission of the Board.
7. All donations must be properly documented including at least the source of the gift, its nature and its size or significance.
8. All donations received by the Police Service will be reported to the Board annually.
9. Procedures are developed to ensure compliance with this policy.

Based on the above proof provided, I report compliance with the policy at this point in the reporting cycle.

Attachments: None

Report Approval Details

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Attachments:	
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This report and all of its attachments were approved and signed as outlined below:

Teresa Fetter

Stan MacLellan

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Peter Moreira', with a stylized flourish at the end.

Peter MOREIRA