NIAGARA REGIONAL POLICE SERVICE Police Service Board Report



PUBLIC AGENDA

Subject:	Annual Report – Internal Task Forces January 1 to December 31, 2024
Report To:	Chair and Members, Niagara Police Service Board
Report Date:	2025-05-20

Recommendation(s)

That the Niagara Police Service Board (Board) receive this report for information.

Key Facts

- The purpose of this report is to advise the Board that the Niagara Regional Police Service (Service) is in compliance with By-Law 450-2024 Internal Task Forces.
- The Chief is required to make a written annual report to the Board with respect to Internal Task Forces.
- This report provides information to the Board for review and consideration of information relating to the Service's response to Internal Task Forces.

Financial Considerations

There are no financial implications relating to the recommendations contained within this report.

Analysis

In accordance with By-Law 450-2024, the Chief shall make an annual report to the Board before August 30 of each year in respect of Internal Task Forces. This report shall contain:

- a) the number of completed Internal Task Forces established within the Service;
- b) the cost to the Service of the Internal Task Forces, including personnel costs; and
- c) whether or not the Internal Task Force obtained its performance objectives.

There were no Internal Task Forces for the reporting period; therefore, there are also no costs or performance objectives to report to the Board.

Alternatives Reviewed

Not applicable.

Relationship to Police Service/Board Strategic Priorities

To comply with the provisions of Board By-Laws and to maintain compliance with the Adequate and Effective Policing requirements.

Relevant Policy Considerations

Board By-Law 450-2024 – Internal Task Forces Adequate and Effective Policing LE-009 and LE-010 General Order 145.09 – Investigative Task Force Protocols

Other Pertinent Reports

8.7 - 2024.06.27 – Annual Report – Internal Task Forces – January 1 to December 31, 2023.

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Appendices

Not applicable.