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Dear Mayor/Reeve/CAO/Treasurer,

April 1, 2024, has been proclaimed as the official date on which the *Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019 (CSPA)* will come into force. At that time, it will repeal and replace the current *Police Services Act, 1990 (PSA)*. The provision of OPP municipal policing services is preserved under the CSPA, however, no municipality will remain in a contract or municipal group contract arrangement under PSA s. 10.

We wish to confirm that the OPP 2024 Annual Billing Statements remain in effect after April 1, 2024, and municipalities will continue to be billed in accordance with costs in the statements.

Under the CSPA, all municipalities policed by the OPP will be subject to Regulation 413/23 *Amount Payable by Municipalities for Policing from Ontario Provincial Police*. This regulation preserves the cost-recovery methodologies currently in effect. The OPP Billing Model cost allocation method remains the same under Reg. 413/23. There are transitional provisions included in the Regulation that stipulate that 2024 annual billing statements will not need to be reissued.

Enhancements to OPP policing service, detailed in current s.10 contract terms, remain available to municipalities through agreements under section 17(2) of the CSPA, Additional Services. The Municipal Policing Bureau will be reaching out to your municipality in the near future to discuss the next steps for enhancement arrangements under a section 17 (2) CSPA agreement.

Should you have any further questions about your annual billing statements or any other billing inquiries, please reach out to the OPP Municipal Policing Bureau Financial Services Unit at OPP.MPB.Financial.Services.Unit@opp.ca

Sincerely,



Phil Whitton
Superintendent
Municipal Policing Bureau Commander

c: Detachment Commander