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Dear Community Partner,

The Kincardine Police Services Board in partnership with the South Bruce OPP, Brockton Police Services Board, Township of Huron-Kinloss Police Services Board, Women's House Serving Bruce and Grey, Victim Services Bruce Grey Perth and Violence Prevention Grey Bruce invite you to attend at a Community Awareness Forum about human trafficking.

Human trafficking involves the recruitment, transportation, harbouring and/or exercising control, direction or influence over the movements of a person in order to exploit that person, typically through sexual exploitation or forced labour. An estimated 70% of the reported cases of human trafficking in Ontario are for the purpose of sexual exploitation; the majority of survivors are Canadian citizens or permanent residents. This is not just an urban problem, human trafficking is increasingly occurring in rural areas.

We believe that community stakeholders, like yourself, are essential partners in helping us to identify victims, offer supports, and bring criminal activity to justice.

Human Trafficking Community Awareness Sessions will be held as follows:

January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 6:30pm-9:30pm Lucknow Sports Complex  
Light snacks and refreshments will be provided

February 20<sup>th</sup>, 2020 10am-2pm Walkerton Clean Water Centre  
Registration required through EVENTBRITE; <https://www.eventbrite.ca/o/28878370389> Lunch  
and refreshments will be provided

March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020 6:30-9:30 Kincardine Davidson Centre  
Light snacks and refreshments will be provided

We look forward to connecting with your organization. For more information please contact Jenna Leifso at [jleifso@kincardine.ca](mailto:jleifso@kincardine.ca) or 519-396-3468 ext. 7116.

Sincerely,



Laura Haight

Chair, Kincardine Police Services Board



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