



Ontario Association of Chiefs of Police
presents the
“Community Safety and Crime Prevention” Award



and



This award is presented in recognition of the accomplishments of police agencies and their community partners working together to improve community safety and well-being. Award winners will demonstrate their commitment to, and understanding of, Ontario’s Mobilization & Engagement Model of Community Policing and will identify how they have collaborated with their community to address an area of concern or situation of elevated risk within the community. The subject project need not be complete, nor does it have to have been initiated with this model. The submission should, however, demonstrate how the project fits within the framework of the model and enhances community safety and well-being.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES AND CRITERIA

General Instructions

1. Nominations may be presented by all full-time provincial, municipal or First Nations police agencies supported by the Chief of Police, Commissioner or their designate.
2. Nominations must be in electronic (pdf.) format only.
3. Attachments will not be considered part of the nomination but will be accepted as supporting material.

Application Instructions

1. Use agency letterhead and add:
 - (i) Name of the project or project description;
 - (ii) Name/rank of applicant and contact person; and
 - (iii) Contact numbers and email address.
2. Answer all questions that appear in the next section, under '*General Commitment to Community Safety and Crime Prevention*'.
3. Nominations must not exceed 2500 words or they will be disqualified
4. Nomination deadline: **Tuesday, March 6, 2018**. Late submissions will not be considered. All submissions will be judged on the basis of:
 - (a) *Language*: clarity and succinctness
 - (b) *Model*: Adherence to principles, application and definitions in Ontario's Mobilization & Engagement Model of Community Policing
 - (c) *Partnering*: Demonstration of openness, transparency, trust, and respect in the relationship between police and their community partners.
5. All submissions must be sent electronically to mmascarin@oacp.ca by no later than **Tuesday, March 6, 2018**. Late submissions will not be considered.
6. The OACP Community Safety and Crime Prevention Award will be presented at the OACP Awards and Life Members Luncheon on **Tuesday, June 12, 2018 at the Deerhurst Resort**.

General Commitment To Community Safety and Crime Prevention

Address the following questions about your agency's overall commitment to Community Safety and Crime Prevention through the Ontario Mobilization & Engagement Model of Community Policing.

- a. What has your agency done to promote community safety and crime prevention within your organization and your community?
- b. What has been done to promote the Ontario Mobilization & Engagement of Community Policing Model to the organization and community?

Assess

Provide information that supports an issue(s) or problem that existed within your community and required a crime prevention initiative/strategy utilizing the Ontario Mobilization & Engagement Model of Community Policing.

- a. Describe the nature of the issue or problem?
- b. Explain what steps were taken to identify the issue or problem?
- c. Detail what efforts were taken with the community to identify and assess the social development and situational measures of the community explaining.
 - i. If the issue was situational, what target hardening techniques were used
 - ii. If the issue was due to social development issues what approaches were utilized to reduce factors that place people at risk for criminal activity?
 - iii. What were the results of the assessment?

PLAN/RESPONSE

Describe in detail the key elements of the initiative you are submitting for consideration. In your response, you must address the following questions?

- a. What action plan was developed to address the issue or problem?
- b. What community partners were involved and what were their roles?
- c. What were the specific objectives and goals of the plan and what are the performance measures indicators?
- d. Describe the various roles and responsibilities of all those involved.
- e. Describe movement along the model's continuum. If no movement was noted, explain reasons why.
- f. Address the three rings of the model specifically (see Community Policing Model attached):
 - (i) Who led when and why?
 - (ii) Which crime prevention measures were employed and why?
 - (iii) What were the problem-solving initiatives?

SUSTAINABILITY/ EVALUATION

Provide a clear assessment of the success of the crime prevention initiative through all phases.

- a) Outline the results, lessons learned.
- b) Were any new partnerships created?
- c) Describe the sustainability of the solution(s).
- d) How were the results evaluated and measured?