

## **Toronto Police Services Board**

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Ulli S. Watkiss City Clerk Toronto City Hall 13<sup>th</sup> Floor West 100 Queen St. West Toronto, Ontario M5H 2N2

Dear Ms. Watkiss:

## Re: City of Toronto Council Decisions: MM24.8 Drive-by Shootings MM24.31 Lawrence Heights Emergency Safety and Security Response

At its virtual meeting held on December 15, 2020, the Toronto Police Services Board (Board) was in receipt of reports dated November 17, 2020, from Ryan Teschner, Executive Director & Chief of Staff, regarding 2 (two) City of Toronto Council Decisions.

The Board approved the foregoing reports and the following recommendations:

## A. City of Toronto Council Decision – MM24.38 Drive-by Shootings

- Request that the Chief of Police take Council's motion into consideration in the further development, refinement and implementation of the Service's approach to gun and gang violence; and,
- 2) Forward a copy of this report to City Council via the Executive Committee.

## B. City of Toronto Council Decision – MM24.31 Lawrence Heights Emergency Safety and Security Response

 Request that the Chief of Police take Council's motion into consideration in the further development, refinement and implementation of the Service's approach to gun and gang violence, and provide an overview to the Board by the Board's February 2021 meeting of the specific actions and initiatives – both proactive and enforcement-driven – the Service has undertaken to address gun and gang violence in the City of Toronto, and in particular, in Lawrence Heights; and,

2) Forward a copy of this report to City Council via the Executive Committee.

A copy of Board Minute P215/2020 regarding the two City of Toronto Council Decisions is attached.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at 416-808-7265.

Yours truly,

Diana Achim Board Administrator

Att: BM P215/2020