



# Exceeding Expectations

2012 **Annual** Report





## LEADERS

IN



## COMMUNITY



## SAFETY

## OUR VISION

To have the safest community for people to live, work and play.

## OUR MISSION

As Leaders in Community Safety, we work proudly with all members of our community while holding ourselves accountable to improved effectiveness in everything we do. We proactively address future challenges while upholding our values.

## OUR PHILOSOPHY

We are a problem-solving organization that, in partnership with our community, addresses the root causes of crime, fear of crime and anti-social behaviour.

## OUR VALUES

Every member of the Durham Regional Police Service is committed to providing quality service in partnership with our community. While learning from each other, we will achieve excellence through pride, respect, understanding and ethical behaviour.

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The Durham Regional Police Service is the 10th largest municipal police service in Canada, with approximately 1,300 sworn and civilian employees.

We patrol over 2,500 sq. km. east of Toronto and York Region, from the southeast shore of Lake Simcoe to the north shore of Lake Ontario. About 90 per cent of our population (approximately 650,000) lives along the north shore of Lake Ontario.



The prevention and enforcement efforts of the Durham Regional Police Service continued to produce positive results for community safety in 2012. Our crime rate continued its steady decline, and our clearance rate climbed back to the highest in Canada for serious crimes, among large communities. Under the leadership of Chief Ewles and his Command team, the men and women of the DRPS continue to perform an outstanding job by focusing on problem-solving and partnerships.

Over the past year, the Police Services Board directed much of its attention to addressing the infrastructure needs of the Police Service, which have required investment and renewal. The new structure hosting a Firearms Range and a Communications/911 Centre made significant progress in 2012 and is expected to open its doors in the summer of 2013. A new policing complex is also being carefully planned in Clarington at the corner of Highway 2 and Maple Grove Road. Construction will begin soon on the new East Division building and a new forensic identification building, and options are being explored for additional buildings to be hosted on the site. And finally, a plan to update the Police Service's radio communications was approved and is moving forward, in partnership with local municipalities. Building and strengthening partnerships will continue to feature prominently on the Board's list of priorities as a means to deliver seamless services and cost efficiencies.

In 2012, the first-ever female Deputy Chief in Durham Region retired after a 32-year career in policing. Sherry Whiteway spent five years as a positive and passionate Deputy Chief. To fill the vacant role, the Board promoted Superintendent Paul Martin, a 22-year veteran. Deputy Martin has transitioned successfully into his role.

The Board also began its preparation for the launch of the 2013-15 Business Plan, hosting consultations with stakeholders and citizens and launching a public opinion survey. The information and perspectives gathered will guide the priorities and direction of the Police Service and help ensure that we maintain the confidence and trust of members of the public.

The Board will continue to provide strategic direction and ensure the delivery of quality policing services in the most cost efficient way possible.



*2012 Police Services Board (from top left): Pickering Regional Councillor Bill McLean, Oshawa Mayor John Henry, Regional Chair and Board Chair Roger Anderson, Randy Wilson, Robert Fraser, Rose Rockbrune and Vice Chair Allan Furlong.*

  
**Roger Anderson**  
 Chair of the Police Services Board

Each year, as our population continues to grow and diversify, we are faced with new challenges as a police service.

From responding to new subdivisions that didn't exist a year ago to communicating with a growing multicultural community, we have responded effectively for a number of reasons.

The first is we have excellent people—our police officers and civilian support staff are second to none in Canada.

Secondly, we empower our people to be proactive when providing service to our communities—we give them the tools and the training, then let them do their job.

The proof is evident. Despite population increases and the increasing complexity and global scope of criminal enterprises, we met the challenges and remained the top-ranked police service in Canada for solving the more serious crimes. Meanwhile, the number of public complaints against our service declined in 2012.

Not only have we responded effectively to the changing needs of the people we police, we work hard to exceed the expectations of our communities.

Rising to these challenges drives our commitment to excellence every day at DRPS—whether it is going the extra step to help a victim of crime or simply to make a member of the community feel safe in the places they call home or in shared public spaces.

As we work with the Board to address our very important infrastructure needs in the coming years, we go forward confident that our women and men are among the best in the country. We will meet any and all challenges as we work together to make Durham Region the safest community to live, work and play.



  
**Mike Ewles**  
 Chief Constable



In 2012, the Durham Regional Police Services Board managed to achieve virtually all of its targets while maintaining a competitive compensation level relative to similar-sized police services in Ontario.

Perhaps the most notable achievement was Durham Regional Police's ranking first across Canada in Statistic Canada's Weighted Crime Clearance Rate. That's the fourth year in a row Durham Region received national recognition for being one of the most effective in this standing. This measurement tool focuses on a police service's ability to solve the most serious crimes, such as sexual assault, aggravated assault and murder. As well, the DRPS was ranked very high in virtually every operational measurement employed by the Board.

The Board also monitored the Service's response times—a key indicator of customer service. In 2012, the DRPS was able to arrive in eight minutes or less 60 per cent of the time regarding emergency calls, compared to 61 per cent in 2011 and 59 per cent achieved in 2010.

In terms of value for the dollar, the per capita cost of policing in Durham Region remained in the middle range of our 16 comparable services in Ontario. Once again, this clearly shows the men and women of the DRPS are achieving outstanding results at a competitive cost.

The Board also focused on planning for the future infrastructure needs of the Service. Construction continued on the new \$18.2-million Operations Training Centre (OTC) that will house an indoor gunrange and as well as a new 911 Communications Centre. The Board moved forward with plans for a new divisional building in Clarington and a new Forensic Identification Centre on the same property. This is a \$41-million commitment that will serve two of the most urgent operational needs of the Durham Regional Police.



Chief Mike Ewles, along with his executive team, examines the plans for the new OTC building under construction in Whitby.



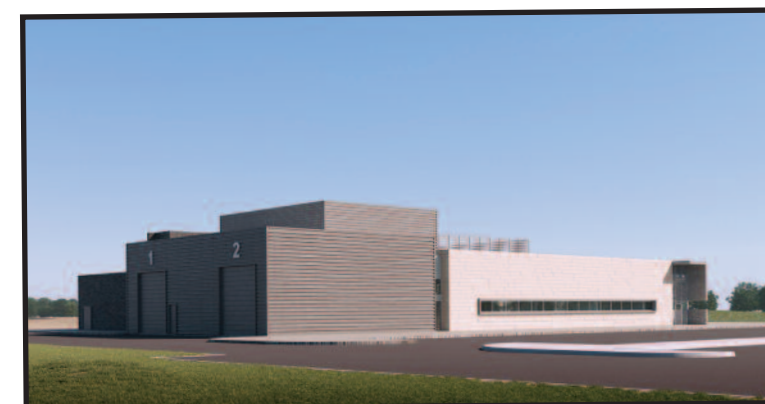
Working hard to get the OTC site ready for service in 2013.



The new home of East Division (above) and the Forensic Identification Centre (below) will be located at Highway 2 and Maple Grove Road in Clarington.



Deputy Chief Paul Martin and CAO Stan MacLellan inspect the bullet trap at the new OTC shooting range.

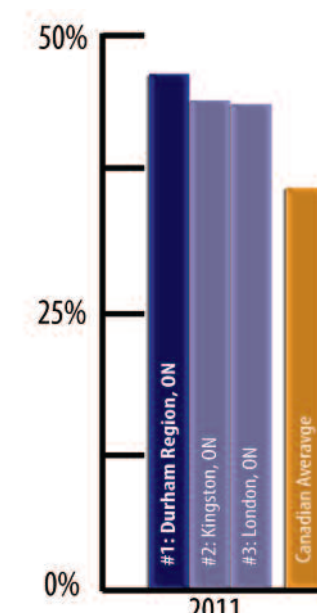
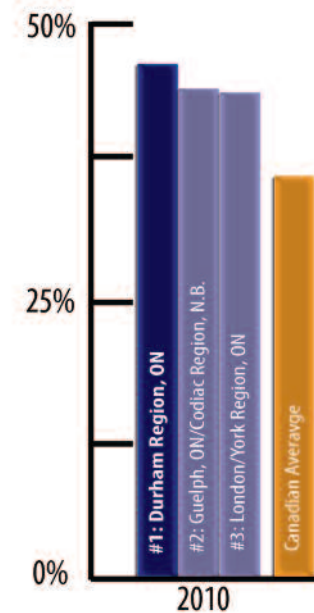
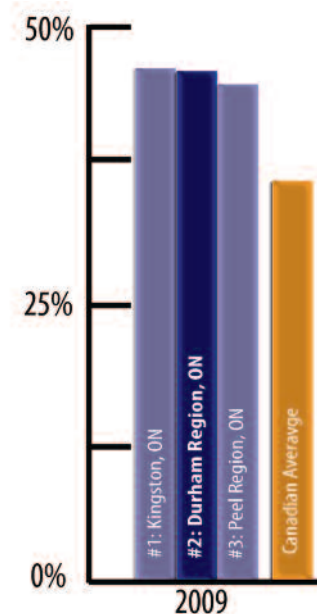
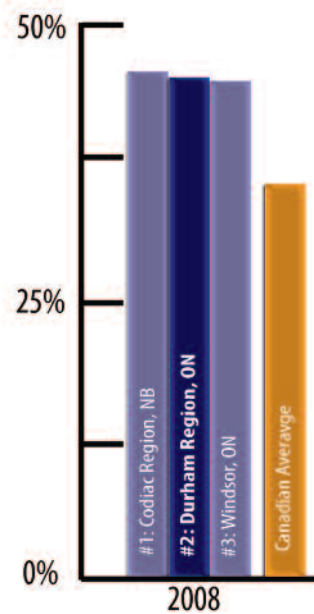


The OTC will house a state-of-the-art 911 Communications command centre.



### #1 in Canada...Again!

For the second year in a row, DRPS had the highest national weighted clearance rate. This is a measurement of how well Canadian police services solve the more serious crimes, such as homicide, robbery or break and enter. DRPS is the only police service in Canada that has been consistently in the top two for the past four years.



### Project Mansfield Dismantles International Crime Ring

An investigation into several distraction-style thefts at local stores turned into an international affair involving multiple countries, numerous police services and hundreds of arrests.

Durham Regional Police demonstrated once again that, when required, we are capable of disrupting international crime rings by working closely with other policing agencies and various levels of government. Project Mansfield began with the DRPS in November 2011 when two frontline officers in Oshawa noticed a trend in distraction-style thefts and frauds occurring in Durham Region. It eventually uncovered a Roma organized-crime ring in which European immigrants would enter Canada through Mexico and the United States. Once here, they entered into the social-assistance stream and were “put to work” in teams that would target stores and steal thousands of dollars in merchandise. Much of the profits were sent back to individuals in Europe.

The investigation grew and eventually involved the Canada Border Services Agency (CBSA), RCMP, Toronto Police, OPP, FBI, Homeland Security, U.S. Customs and Border Protection, Interpol and police services in Montreal, York Region, London, Sudbury, and Peel Region. In the end, 34 suspects were arrested/identified and 263 charges laid. The investigation identified more than 400 persons associated to this organized-crime ring and opened similar investigations in Quebec.

Suspects would target jewelry stores, convenience stores and even senior citizens. As one suspect distracted the victim, others would steal valuables and leave the scene. The suspects involved men, women and their children who were observed tucking stolen items inside their coats and long skirts, which had inside panel compartments.

The investigation was the largest of its kind in Durham Region and opened debate across the country on illegal immigration and social-welfare fraud.



Chief Ewles, D/Sgt. Cathy Bawden and Insp. Bruce Townley display some of the stolen property recovered during Project Mansfield.



## OPG Change of Command

An official security Change of Command ceremony took place with Ontario Power Generation (OPG) on April 18 at their Darlington facility, marking an end to a significant chapter in the history of our police service.



Shortly after the tragic events of September 11, 2001, federal regulators ordered an armed 24/7 security presence at all nuclear power plants. Here in Durham Region, OPG reached out to us, comfortable in our longtime professional relationship with them. This is significant as we were the only municipal police service in Canada able to meet this challenge in their jurisdiction.

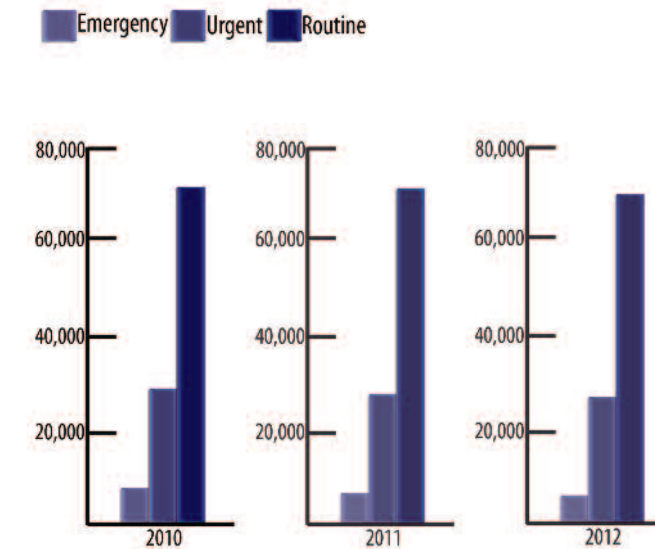
Through the support of our Police Services Board and through the leadership of Chief Kevin McAlpine, Deputy Chief Rod Piukkala, Superintendent Mike Ennis, Staff Sergeant Tim Knight and then Sergeant Paul D. Martin, the DRPS

Nuclear Security Division (NSD) was created. We were able to develop the right kind of plans, work closely with OPG and federal regulators and bring in the right people to get the job done.

Although our two organizations had distinctly different cultures, we made the partnership work. Furthermore, we were able to sustain the model for almost a decade in Pickering, until the OPG security detail was trained and in place, in January 2010. We benefited greatly from this relationship, both in terms of increasing employment opportunities for members and broadening our pool of tactically trained officers. We also benefited financially as an organization, through various capital acquisitions and also through administrative overhead fees.

To all of our men and women who worked at NSD over these many years, thank you. Your contribution is greatly appreciated. We leave the on-ground security responsibilities with pride, honour and distinction and we will continue to work with OPG to ensure the safety of employees and the community.

## Priority Calls for Service

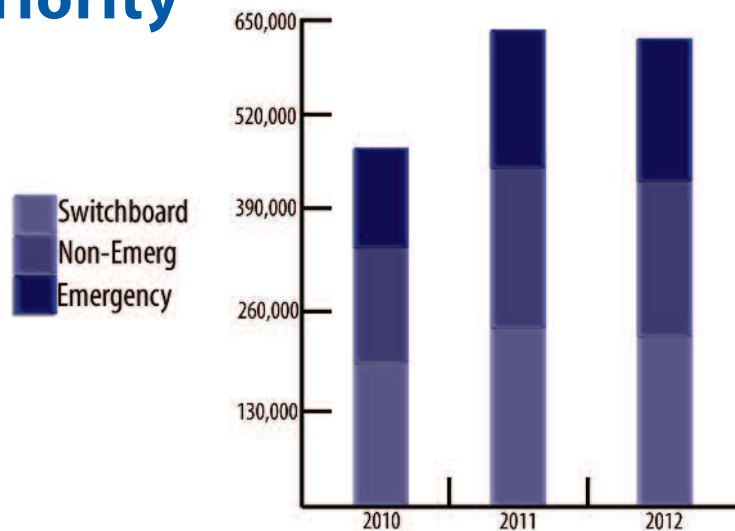


## Citizen-Generated Calls for Service

- 2008: 121,236
- 2009: 115,880
- 2010: 112,168
- 2011: 109,192
- 2012: 104,631



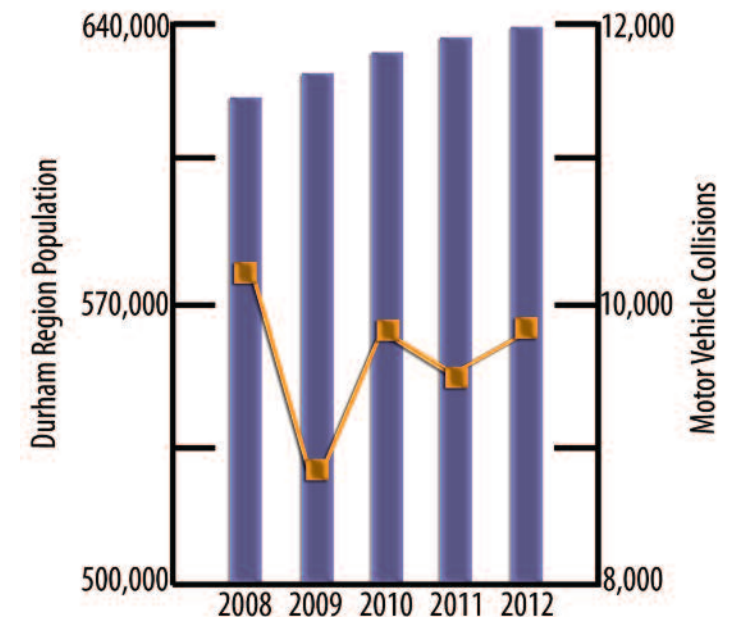
## Incoming Calls by Priority



## Roadway Safety



A truck inspection blitz looked for unsafe transports on the roads of Durham.



DRPS has made roadway safety a high priority. From education programs to enforcement projects, this proactive approach to a major community safety issue has created significant results.

The population of Durham Region continues to increase every year. However, the number of motor vehicle collisions have not had the same percentage increase. In fact, the number of collisions has decreased from 2008 to 2012.



**Guns and Gangs Highlights**

The Gun and Gang Enforcement Unit completed numerous successful investigations in 2012. The unit executed 67 search warrants and seized 12 handguns, 50 rifles, 16 shotguns, three assault rifles and two stun guns. They also seized 13 replica handguns. The unit not only took guns off the streets, but also arrested a total of 119 people and laid 395 charges.

**Marihuana Growers Get Stung Yet Again**

The Criminal Intelligence Unit extended its successful project that targets both indoor and outdoor marihuana grow-ops.



Project Mosquito III was launched in the fall of 2012 and involved members of the Drug Enforcement Unit (DEU), Divisional officers and Air1. Over six weeks, the team dismantled 49 outdoor and 11 indoor grow-ops.

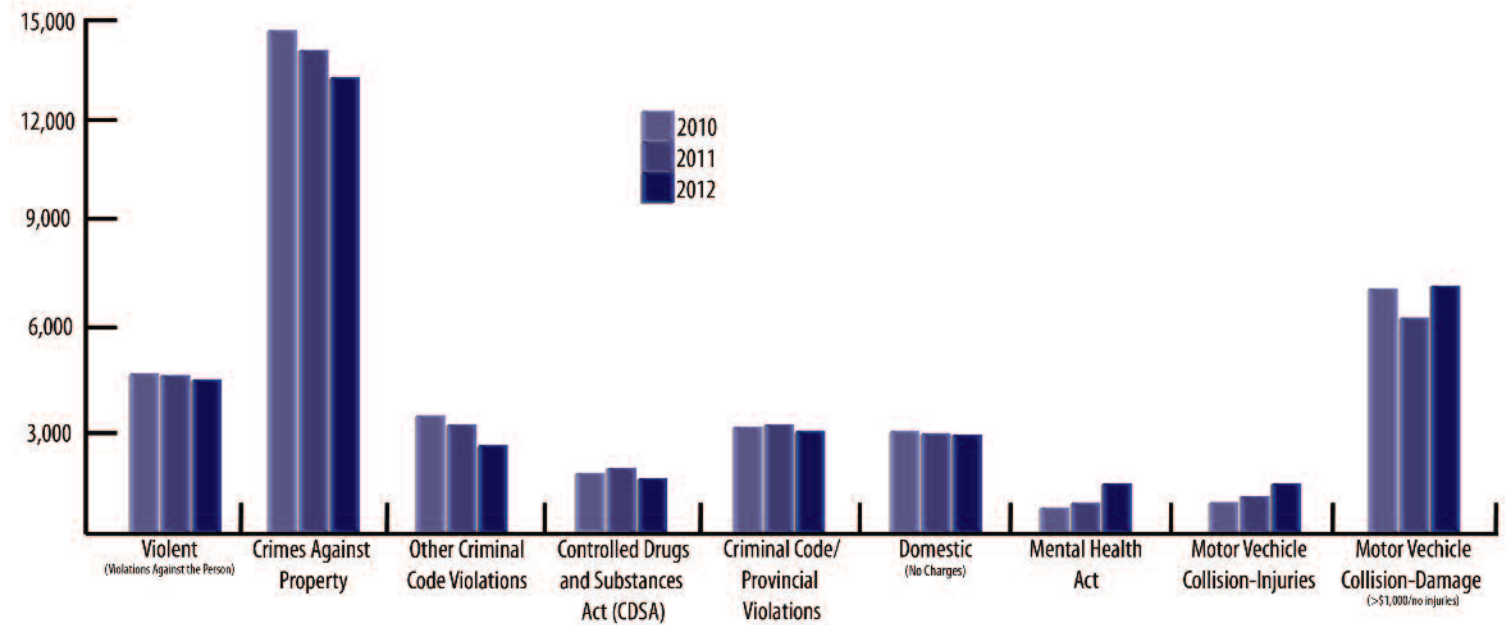
Officers executed 33 search warrants and laid a total of 87 charges against 49 suspects. More than \$4,400,000 worth of marihuana plants were seized, along with 21 firearms and \$79,000 in cash.

In total, Project Mosquito has taken approximately \$27 million worth of marihuana out of production, keeping it off the streets of Durham.

Investigators use intelligence from officers in each division, as well as the DEU, and visuals from Air1 to locate grow-ops in all areas of the community.

**General Occurrences**

Three major categories of calls for the DRPS are crimes against property, non-injury motor vehicle collisions and violent crimes. For every violent crime, there are about three property crimes.



**Youth in Policing**



The Youth in Policing Initiative (YIPI) had another successful year, with 58 local teens joining this summer employment program that aims to broaden their understanding of the important role everyone plays in our society. The YIPI graduation (right) was filled with positive energy, laughter, tears and memories that will last a lifetime.

**Chief for a Day**

Oshawa native Kathleen Gale had big shoes to fill on October 16, 2012. Nine-year-old Kathleen won the annual Chief for a Day essay competition. She was picked up from John XXIII Catholic School in a police cruiser by Constable Heather Wilson for her trip to headquarters where she was officially sworn in as Chief for a Day. At headquarters, Kathleen took her oath of office with Chief Ewles then travelled to various units including: Central Cellblock, Communications, Forensic Identification and TSU, before concluding her day with a ride on the DRPS helicopter Air1. The Chief for a Day wrapped up her duties when she presented her winning essay to a sold-out crowd of more than 600 people on October 18 at the 10th annual Police Appreciation Dinner and Awards Night.





## Joint Forces Operations

Every year, a number of DRPS investigations involve liaising with police services next door, in Ontario, across Canada and sometimes around the world. We continued to be active participants in a number of Joint Forces Operations (JFO) to share information with other police services, and federal and provincial authorities.

These include the Provincial Asset Forfeiture Unit, the Provincial Biker Enforcement Unit (BEU); the Provincial Weapons Enforcement Unit (PWEU); the Criminal Intelligence Service of Ontario (CISO); the Provincial Anti-Terrorism Section (PATS); the Integrated National Security Enforcement Team (INSET); the Combined Forces Special Enforcement Unit (CFSEU); the Illegal Gambling Enforcement Unit; the Repeat Offender Parole Enforcement (ROPE) squad; and the Provincial Auto Theft Team.



D/Chief Scott Burns, OPP D/S/Sgt. Frank Goldschmidt, OPP Insp. Scott Naylor and DRPS Det. Randy Norton at a press conference announcing the results of a Joint Forces Operation investigation with the OPP.

In 2012, a JFO between DRPS and OPP, involved a child pornography investigation. Six men from Durham Region were arrested and more than 20 computer hard drives were seized during the operation. Search warrants were executed in Whitby, Pickering, Uxbridge, Oshawa, and Ajax. A total of 19 charges were laid in the investigation.

It is alleged the men downloaded and/or shared child pornography with others in peer-to-peer groups over the Internet. The investigation was fronted by the DRPS Internet Child Exploitation (ICE) Unit, with assistance from the OPP Child Exploitation Section. Both services used the RCMP's National Child Exploitation Coordination Centre for assistance with the execution of the search warrants.

## Criminal Intelligence Branch Highlights

•Project Lodestar started as a street-level drug probe but broadened into a community network, including a member of the DRPS. In six months, 37 search warrants were executed and 11 people were arrested, facing 113 charges. The project also netted 11 firearms, \$350,000 in drugs and \$806,000 in cash.

•Project Kingfisher was a Criminal Intel Service Ontario (CISO)-funded joint forces with the OPP and

Peterborough-Lakefield. Almost 150 charges were laid against 28 suspects after 35 search warrants were executed. Two firearms were seized, as well as \$436,000 in drugs and \$75,000 in cash.

•The Provincial Asset Forfeiture Unit seized eight residences (worth \$1.97 million), 47 vehicles (worth \$535,700) and \$1.88 million in Canadian currency over the course of the year.

## Major Crime Unit Highlights

•The Forensic Identification Unit completed 1,208 lab applications, up 113 from 2011. The FIU processed 8,327 pieces of property, which is down 664 from 2011.

•The Sexual Assault Unit investigated or case managed 733 investigations, down 30 from last year. Of the 733 incidents, 231 were sex-offence incidents, 24 serious stranger sexual assaults, 56 child abuse, 66 child porn and 17 child Internet luring.

•The Fraud Unit charged 68 persons in 2012. Counterfeit currency reports increased 1.38 per cent in 2012, from 72 to 73. The International Association of Financial Crimes Investigators presented an award to the unit for Project Morgan and Det. Jeff Caplan was named Fraud Investigator of the Year by the IAFICI. Detective Constable Jay Shaddick received an award from the Canadian Banker's Association for a project as well.

•The Robbery Unit investigated 61 incidents, down from 80 the previous year, but cleared 70 per cent, which is 41 incidents. The Jewellers Vigilance Canada Inc. recognized the team for the investigation into the violent robbery at Mjeas Jewelers in Oshawa. Three suspects were charged and property was recovered.

• In 2012, there were five homicides in Durham Region. There are only 11 unsolved homicides of the 161 cases since 1974. That's a 93 per cent clearance rate.

• DRPS collected 506 DNA samples in 2012, in support of a variety of investigations.

• The Incident Command Team was called out 10 times in 2012, up from seven in 2011. The Tactical Support Unit was activated for each one. The biggest event was the Hopkins Street incident in which a former Oshawa councillor kidnapped a civic employee as he was arriving home from a municipal meeting. He drove the hostage away but was later intercepted by a DRPS officer on patrol and the hostage escaped. However, the result was a lengthy standoff at an automotive business on Hopkins Street in Whitby. The suspect eventually surrendered peacefully.





## Public Complaints

The number of public complaints dropped dramatically in 2012, as expected, returning to normal levels. The introduction of the Office of the Independent Review Director (OIPRD) in 2010 made lodging a complaint easier than ever, and with the added reassurance the complaint would be seen by an independent agency, police services in Ontario experienced increases.



In 2012, there were 84 public complaints received, 48 less than the year before. Of the 84 complaints, 31 were dealt with by the OIPRD and one was investigated by the OIPRD. The other 53 complaints were investigated by the Professional Standards Unit.

The majority of complaints are quickly resolved or are found to be unsubstantiated or unfounded after initial investigation. In some instances, further follow up is required. If the complaint is found to have merit, the punishment for the Officer can range from a verbal reprimand to outright dismissal.

In most police services, the most frequent public complaints involve allegations of improper language, rudeness or poor attitude amongst police officers. Of the 84 complaints received in 2012, 12 involved allegations of Unlawful or Unnecessary Exercise of Authority, 32 involved allegations of Discreditable Conduct and six involved allegations of Neglect of Duty. In total, 16 were withdrawn and 26 were found to be unsubstantiated.



## The Special Investigations Unit

Every year, Police Officers across Ontario find themselves inevitably in life-threatening or dangerous situations while on duty. From emotionally disturbed person calls to domestic incidents, police officers are trained in how to use various levels of force and how much force is appropriate.

In Ontario, when a person is seriously injured or killed during any police involvement, the Special Investigations Unit must be notified. In 2012, the SIU invoked their mandate five times, compared to eight the year before. No major concerns were identified and, in fact, the SIU commented several times about the high level of cooperation and professionalism their investigators received from our police officers.

## Police Pursuits

The number of police pursuits declined in 2012 from the previous year and once again, none resulted in injury. In 2012 there were 32 police pursuits, down from 37 the year before. Each pursuit is reviewed and if it is deemed non-compliant with procedures, a special review panel is convened to determine appropriate training and corrective action.

Every successful business has a long-term strategic plan and policing is no different. The DRPS operates within a three-year planning cycle that guides us in achieving the statutory requirements of the Police Services Act and enhances our service level to a growing community.

In 2012, the DRPS was midway through its current 2011-2013 Business Plan and was achieving success in reaching the goals and objectives. Our Business Plan maintains the Board's commitment to problem-oriented policing and builds on our commitment to keep communities safe through the strategic deployment of resources.



*Business plan consultation sessions took place in 2012 to seek input from the community*

One key objective is to maintain or improve safety in public areas. With a gradual decline in personal and property offences in Durham Region, this goal is certainly being met. Another key objective is ensuring safe roads and 2012 saw a decline in the number of fatal motor vehicle collisions from 23 in 2011 to 18 in 2012. Unfortunately, the number of motor vehicle collisions involving property damage increased from 7,985 incidents in 2011 to 8,324 incidents in 2012.

Overall, crimes against persons fell 7.1 per cent in 2012, part of a longer term downward trend in Durham Region, Ontario and Canada. As well, the largest crime category, crimes against property, fell 8.8 per cent in 2012 due to declines in reported break and enters, thefts and mischief incidents.

Our objective to reduce violent crime through intelligence-led initiatives and community mobilization was gaining momentum in 2012 as the number of assaults was down 8.3 per cent and the number of uttering threats incidents declined 8.5 per cent.

Our commitment to organizational excellence was also apparent in 2012 as our dedicated team of women and men showed operational flexibility and resourcefulness in response to community calls. An abduction call that ended in the longest barricaded person call in DRPS history pushed resources to the limit, but the Service achieved a successful outcome and completed that call with no injuries.

As well, extensive public consultations took place throughout 2012 and a public opinions survey was launched to gather input from the public and stakeholders regarding the next business plan. Thousands of suggestions and ideas were collected and will be tabulated and considered in preparation of the 2014-2016 Business Plan.

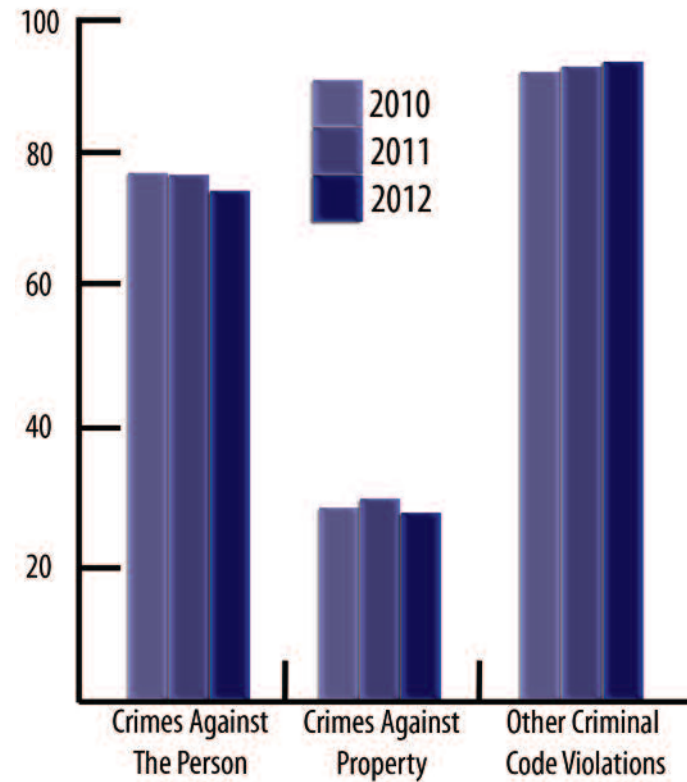
For information about the development of our new Business Plan, please visit our website at [www.drps.ca](http://www.drps.ca) and look for the Business Plan link on the right-hand side of the main page.





## Operational Clearance Rate for Region

DRPS is among the best in clearance rates, which measures how well a police service solves crime.



Current at January 2013. As recorded in the DRPS RMS. Clearance rate is the number of incidents cleared as a percentage of the number of actual (founded) incidents.

Regional Facts	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012
Population	618,415	624,600	630,940	636,915	644,910
Officers	839	865	871	871	871
Civilians	281	307	308	306	311
# of Vehicles	337	342	341	374	376
Total KM travelled	8,719,081	9,064,167	9,348,569	9,384,825	9,393,103

Fleet Information	Frontline Vehicles	Kilometres Driven
North Division	18	1,051,308
East Division	17	789,491
Central East Division	53	1,346,145
Central West Division	35	1,123,960
West Division	43	1,507,802



REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)	34,226	31,780	29,083	27,568	24,868	-9.8
CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON	6,259	6,166	5,688	5,590	5,191	-7.1
Violations Causing Death *	7	7	7	4	4	0.0
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	3	6	3	2	2	0.0
Sexual Violations	561	584	577	505	523	3.6
Sexual Assault	420	427	405	365	374	2.5
Luring a Child via Computer	16	11	12	22	22	0.0
Other Sexual Violations	125	146	160	118	127	7.6
Assaults	3089	3035	2806	2653	2433	-8.3
Aggravated Assault Level 3	70	57	46	40	40	0.0
Assault with Weapon/Bodily Harm Level 2	565	561	593	468	447	-4.5
Assault Level 1	2191	2182	1956	1964	1808	-7.9
Discharge Firearm with Intent	4	9	10	6	6	0.0
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	17	19	25	10	10	0.0
Pointing a Firearm	13	24	22	19	12	-36.8
Assault against Peace Public Officer	149	121	109	98	85	-13.3
All Other Assaults	80	62	45	48	25	-47.9
Deprivation of Freedom	83	83	66	72	67	-6.9
Robbery	501	530	416	393	390	-0.8
Harassing Phone Calls	633	576	553	675	596	-11.7
Utter Threats to Person	970	906	841	789	722	-8.5
Criminal Harassment	350	386	381	446	405	-9.2
All Other Violent Violations	62	53	38	51	49	-3.9
CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY	21,262	19,848	17,646	16,709	15,245	-8.8
Arson	78	91	61	58	57	-1.7
Break and Enter	2591	2422	1876	1679	1592	-5.2
Motor Vehicle Theft	1186	823	711	635	474	-25.4
Theft From a Motor Vehicle	3121	3266	2960	2546	2503	-1.7
Theft	4557	4233	3815	3805	3329	-12.5
Shoplifting	1455	1472	1671	1485	1317	-11.3
Have Stolen Goods	1238	1342	1263	1421	1103	-22.4
Fraud	2414	1991	1649	1708	1576	-7.7
Mischief	4622	4208	3640	3372	3294	-2.3
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS	6,705	5,766	5,749	5,269	4,432	-15.9
Prostitution	67	96	241	89	77	-13.5
Gaming and Betting	12	1	5	5	0	-100.0
Offensive Weapons	465	476	500	425	293	-31.1
Possession of Weapons	409	427	422	362	254	-29.8
All Other Offensive Weapons	56	49	78	63	39	-38.1
Fail to Comply with Conditions	2084	2039	1929	1774	1508	-15.0
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	28	21	40	51	46	-9.8
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	237	269	259	232	185	-20.3
Breach of Probation	1339	1178	1043	1144	1008	-11.9
All Other Criminal Code	2473	1686	1732	1549	1315	-15.1

\* Includes Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, and Other Related Offences Causing Death

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT	2,379	2,229	2,452	2,629	2,036	-22.6
Possession	1770	1717	1933	2037	1555	-23.7
Trafficking	509	426	393	471	365	-22.5
Importation and Exportation	6	1	1	1	3	200.0
Production	94	85	125	117	110	-6.0
Drugs - Produce or Traffic Subst	0	0	0	3	3	0.0

ROADWAY SAFETY	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING	2,344	1,974	1,805	1,687	1,609	-4.6
Dangerous Operation	175	138	107	113	115	1.8
Flight from Peace Officer	25	33	24	18	26	44.4
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	902	931	988	934	895	-4.2
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	1235	856	673	607	564	-7.1
Street Racing	7	16	13	15	9	-40.0
MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION - PROPERTY DAMAGE	8,769	7,384	8,394	7,985	8,324	4.2
MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION - INJURY	1,394	1,403	1,556	1,545	1,654	7.1
MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION - FATALITIES *	20	18	30	22	18	-18.2
HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES	42,294	51,795	45,621	44,684	41,078	-8.1

Current at February 2013. Includes all reported or known violations recorded in the DRPS RMS. After investigation, a reported violation may be deemed unfounded. \*As reported in DRPS TSB Call-Out Sheet



Traffic Sgt. Shaun Arnott speaks to the media and public about driving safely near construction zones.



The Regional Municipality of Durham Headquarters, located in Whitby, is also home to the HQ of the DRPS.



Cst. Gillman shops during the holiday CopShop event that provides gift cards to local kids.

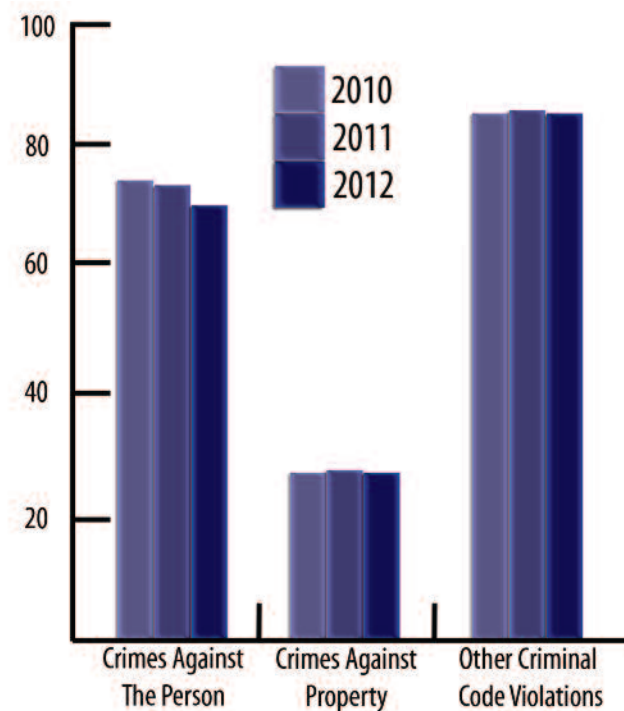


## West Division: Ajax/Pickering

West Division is located at 1710 Kingston Road, at the corner of Brock Road and Kingston Road in Pickering. Inspector Jamie Grant led our team in Ajax and Pickering in 2012.



## Operational Clearance Rate for West Division



Current at January 2013. As recorded in the DRPS RMS. Clearance rate is the number of incidents cleared as a percentage of the number of actual (founded) incidents.

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)</b>	9,297	8,123	7,293	7,467	6,531	-12.5
<b>CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON</b>	1,777	1,730	1,574	1,559	1,422	-8.8
Violations Causing Death *	3	3	1	3	0	-100.0
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	2	1	1	0	1	-
Sexual Violations	144	117	142	110	115	4.5
Sexual Assault	106	87	98	84	84	0.0
Luring a Child via Computer	5	2	3	3	4	33.3
Other Sexual Violations	33	28	41	23	27	17.4
Assaults	838	822	722	661	609	-7.9
Aggravated Assault Level 3	19	15	12	7	13	85.7
Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm Level 2	187	159	170	127	124	-2.4
Assault Level 1	551	578	475	468	438	-6.4
Discharge Firearm with Intent	3	3	6	2	3	50.0
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	6	11	13	1	3	200.0
Pointing a Firearm	8	6	10	10	5	-50.0
Assault against Peace Public Officer	34	32	28	32	19	-40.6
All Other Assaults	30	18	8	14	4	-71.4
Deprivation of Freedom	25	32	18	30	20	-33.3
Robbery	195	258	192	182	185	1.6
Harassing Phone Calls	176	153	155	209	181	-13.4
Utter Threats to Person	283	240	220	218	193	-11.5
Criminal Harassment	95	92	108	127	100	-21.3
All Other Violent Violations	16	12	15	19	18	-5.3
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>	6,198	5,373	4,743	4,936	4,285	-13.2
Arson	26	20	19	15	18	20.0
Break and Enter	662	555	451	392	385	-1.8
Motor Vehicle Theft	309	251	222	222	148	-33.3
Theft From a Motor Vehicle	947	882	787	894	710	-20.6
Theft	1275	1143	1043	1084	895	-17.4
Shoplifting	482	484	484	463	400	-13.6
Have Stolen Goods	310	310	301	401	318	-20.7
Fraud	823	565	470	572	480	-16.1
Mischief	1364	1163	966	893	931	4.3
<b>OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS</b>	1,322	1,020	976	972	824	-15.2
Prostitution	1	3	4	3	1	-66.7
Gaming and Betting	1	0	4	2	0	-100.0
Offensive Weapons	171	155	170	140	86	-38.6
Possession of Weapons	160	139	150	127	79	-37.8
All Other Offensive Weapons	11	16	20	13	7	-46.2
Fail to Comply with Conditions	356	383	365	365	326	-10.7
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	3	4	10	9	10	11.1
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	59	52	64	62	71	14.5
Breach of Probation	254	176	152	142	128	-9.9
All Other Criminal Code	477	247	207	249	202	-18.9

\* Includes Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, and Other Related Offences Causing Death

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	% Change 2011
<b>COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT</b>	577	583	620	778	643	-17.4
Possession	444	463	517	632	526	-16.8
Trafficking	115	101	80	121	86	-28.9
Importation and Exportation	1	0	0	0	1	-
Production	17	19	23	25	29	16.0
Drugs - Produce or Traffic Subst	0	0	0	0	1	-

ROADWAY SAFETY	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	% Change 2011
<b>CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING</b>	722	566	469	486	463	-4.7
Dangerous Operation	42	26	22	29	24	-17.2
Flight from Peace Officer	4	8	11	6	6	0.0
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	248	262	223	250	259	3.6
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	425	267	210	196	171	-12.8
Street Racing	3	3	3	5	3	-40.0
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – PROPERTY DAMAGE</b>	3,037	2,712	2,834	2,554	2,525	-1.1
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – INJURY</b>	445	438	474	467	471	0.9
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – FATALITIES</b>	1	5	4	4	3	-25.0
<b>HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES</b>	9,363	13,628	12,457	12,978	11,862	-8.6

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The Ajax Moves 3 Ways campaign promotes roadway safety between motorists, cyclists and pedestrians.



West Division officers helped educate the community at a seniors' BBQ.

West Division took part in Cop Shop in December. Cst. Charlyn Craik (right) poses with one of the kids who was selected by his school to be involved in the program.



The team at West Division, including D/Sgt. Cathy Bawden, Sgt. Paul McCurbin, D/Sgt. Lox Colquhoun, Inspector Jamie Grant and S/Sgt. Jeff Haskins, make community safety and crime prevention a priority (below).



Necessary repairs were made to the retaining wall at West Division in Pickering.



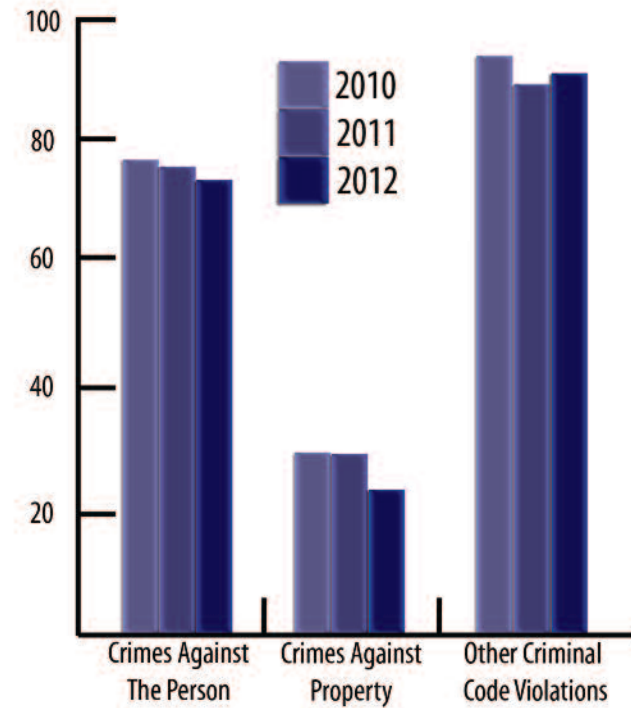


## Central West Division: Whitby

Central West Division is located at 480 Taunton Road East. The building is also home to several other DRPS Units, including Traffic Services and Victim Services. Inspector Dave Saliba led our team in Whitby in 2012.



## Operational Clearance Rate for Central West Division



Current at January 2013. As recorded in the DRPS RMS. Clearance rate is the number of incidents cleared as a percentage of the number of actual (founded) incidents.

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)</b>	<b>9,299</b>	<b>8,537</b>	<b>6,849</b>	<b>5,841</b>	<b>5,394</b>	<b>-7.7</b>
<b>CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON</b>	<b>1,474</b>	<b>1,236</b>	<b>1,245</b>	<b>1,253</b>	<b>1,138</b>	<b>-9.2</b>
Violations Causing Death *	0	1	2	0	2	-
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	0	1	1	2	0	-100
Sexual Violations	124	135	122	136	120	-11.8
Sexual Assault	94	91	84	89	89	0.0
Luring a Child via Computer	5	3	3	10	7	-30.0
Other Sexual Violations	25	41	35	37	24	-35.1
Assaults	756	627	643	619	574	-7.3
Aggravated Assault Level 3	12	7	9	10	9	-10.0
Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm Level 2	122	105	129	98	97	-1.0
Assault Level 1	567	471	453	479	430	-10.2
Discharge Firearm with Intent	0	1	1	1	1	0
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	5	2	7	1	1	0.0
Pointing a Firearm	1	5	4	3	4	33.3
Assault against Peace Public Officer	32	25	28	19	26	36.8
All Other Assaults	17	11	12	8	6	-25.0
Deprivation of Freedom	16	9	10	17	16	-5.9
Robbery	95	81	72	67	60	-10.4
Harassing Phone Calls	165	120	131	148	131	-11.5
Utter Threats to Person	208	172	163	159	137	-13.8
Criminal Harassment	94	80	87	97	91	-6.2
All Other Violent Violations	16	10	14	8	7	-12.5
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>	<b>5,307</b>	<b>5,334</b>	<b>4,482</b>	<b>3,819</b>	<b>3,570</b>	<b>-6.5</b>
Arson	15	15	10	12	16	33.3
Break and Enter	655	512	389	412	361	-12.4
Motor Vehicle Theft	223	157	102	124	88	-29.0
Theft from a Motor Vehicle	885	1173	890	663	720	8.6
Theft	1200	1058	949	880	813	-7.6
Shoplifting	300	389	409	281	225	-19.9
Have Stolen Goods	289	357	279	255	210	-17.6
Fraud	578	569	440	381	347	-8.9
Mischief	1162	1104	1014	811	790	-2.6
<b>OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS</b>	<b>2,518</b>	<b>1,967</b>	<b>1,122</b>	<b>769</b>	<b>686</b>	<b>-10.8</b>
Prostitution	4	1	3	7	3	-57.1
Gaming and Betting	5	1	1	1	0	-100.0
Offensive Weapons	105	104	84	79	60	-24.1
Possession of Weapons	85	93	71	69	51	-26.1
All Other Offensive Weapons	20	11	13	10	9	-10.0
Fail to Comply with Conditions	621	574	363	274	278	1.5
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	8	2	6	14	7	-50.0
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	56	55	49	44	34	-22.7
Breach of Probation	417	348	255	159	145	-8.8
All Other Criminal Code	1302	882	361	191	159	-16.8

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REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT</b>	<b>599</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>523</b>	<b>439</b>	<b>398</b>	<b>-9.3</b>
Possession	471	405	435	359	312	-13.1
Trafficking	116	96	75	67	79	17.9
Importation and Exportation	1	0	0	1	0	-100.0
Production	11	13	13	12	7	-41.7

ROADWAY SAFETY	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING</b>	<b>518</b>	<b>477</b>	<b>428</b>	<b>388</b>	<b>365</b>	<b>-5.9</b>
Dangerous Operation	38	37	34	25	28	12.0
Flight from Peace Officer	7	12	3	6	4	-33.3
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	204	208	243	196	206	5.1
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	269	217	143	156	125	-19.9
Street Racing	0	3	5	5	2	-60.0
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – PROPERTY DAMAGE</b>	<b>2,067</b>	<b>1,705</b>	<b>2,018</b>	<b>2,022</b>	<b>2,181</b>	<b>7.9</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – INJURY</b>	<b>334</b>	<b>339</b>	<b>353</b>	<b>358</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>12.3</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – FATALITIES1</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>50.0</b>
<b>HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES</b>	<b>11,708</b>	<b>13,777</b>	<b>9,903</b>	<b>8,982</b>	<b>8,917</b>	<b>-0.7</b>

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Cst. Handscombe was presented an award for saving the life of a baby using CPR.



Cst. Dawna Murray received an award for her work with the Cops and Kids charity.



Cst. Angela Sitaram helped introduce Future Aces, a youth empowerment program.

The Region-wide festive R.I.D.E. program run by traffic services aims to make our roadways safer by deterring impaired driving and catching those who break the law (right and below).



Run Like a Girl was a project headed by Cst. Erin Buchanon from Central West Division. She brought young girls together to talk about fitness and how it can build self-esteem (below).



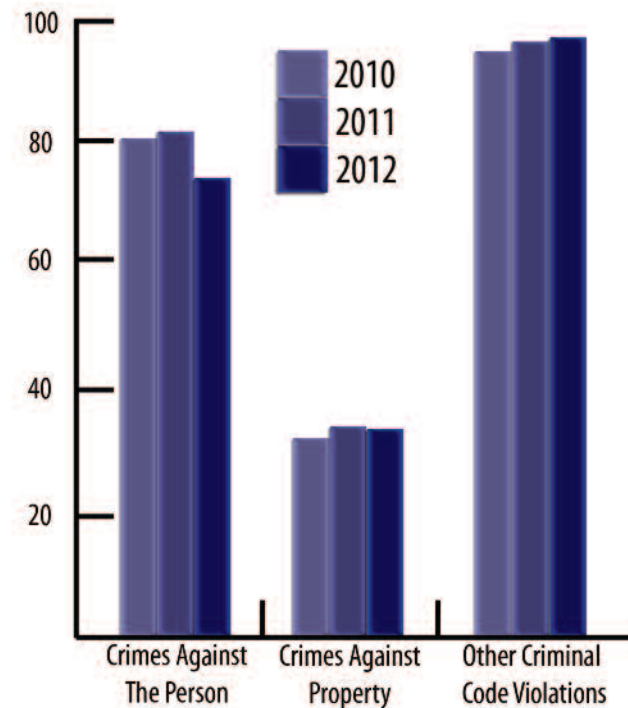


Central East Division: Oshawa

Central East Division is the largest in Durham Region in terms of number of police officers and calls for service. The main building is located downtown at 77 Centre Street North and a Community Policing Centre is located in Oshawa's south end, at 1173 Cedar Street. Inspector Chris Ostler led this division in 2012.



Operational Clearance Rate for Central East Division



Current at January 2013. As recorded in the DRPS RMS. Clearance rate is the number of incidents cleared as a percentage of the number of actual (founded) incidents.

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)</b>	11,156	10,575	10,503	10,055	9,049	-10.0
<b>CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON</b>	2,059	2,213	1,925	1,855	1,804	-2.7
Violations Causing Death *	4	3	3	0	1	-
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	1	2	1	0	1	-
Sexual Violations	181	222	192	151	173	14.6
Sexual Assault	137	171	134	108	126	16.7
Luring a Child via Computer	5	2	4	5	3	-40.0
Other Sexual Violations	39	49	54	38	44	15.8
Assaults	1054	1160	1014	960	902	-6.0
Aggravated Assault Level 3	31	30	19	21	17	-19.0
Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm Level 2	173	225	209	176	166	-5.7
Assault Level 1	741	804	703	693	664	-4.2
Discharge Firearm with Intent	1	4	2	2	2	0.0
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	5	4	2	5	4	-20.0
Pointing a Firearm	3	8	6	4	3	-25.0
Assault against Peace Public Officer	70	57	50	39	34	-12.8
All Other Assaults	30	28	23	20	12	-40.0
Deprivation of Freedom	26	33	29	19	25	31.6
Robbery	183	153	127	118	112	-5.1
Harassing Phone Calls	172	170	161	196	190	-3.1
Utter Threats to Person	310	332	283	266	264	-0.8
Criminal Harassment	108	122	107	132	118	-10.6
All Other Violent Violations	20	16	8	13	18	38.5
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>	6,850	6,152	5,501	5,255	4,790	-8.8
Arson	18	30	16	13	11	-15.4
Break and Enter	891	904	641	553	573	3.6
Motor Vehicle Theft	440	235	198	173	140	-19.1
Theft from a Motor Vehicle	922	723	851	594	638	7.4
Theft	1407	1359	1113	1174	1010	-14.0
Shoplifting	589	534	656	632	571	-9.7
Have Stolen Goods	493	548	506	585	448	-23.4
Fraud	667	564	420	455	446	-2.0
Mischief	1423	1255	1100	1076	953	-11.4
<b>OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS</b>	2,247	2,210	3,077	2,945	2,455	-16.6
Prostitution	60	90	233	75	70	-6.7
Gaming and Betting	6	0	0	2	0	-100.0
Offensive Weapons	139	171	174	153	105	-31.4
Possession of Weapons	123	158	148	126	89	-29.4
All Other Offensive Weapons	16	13	26	27	16	-40.7
Fail to Comply with Conditions	885	821	974	908	722	-20.5
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	10	13	14	21	23	9.5
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	100	137	127	106	62	-41.5
Breach of Probation	556	569	537	743	665	-10.5
All Other Criminal Code	491	409	1018	937	808	-13.8

\* Includes Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, and Other Related Offences Causing Death

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT</b>	834	809	902	929	627	-32.5
Possession	601	611	705	733	476	-35.1
Trafficking	211	180	170	177	122	-31.1
Importation and Exportation	0	1	1	0	2	-
Production	22	17	26	19	25	31.6
Drugs - Produce or Traffic Subst	0	0	0	0	2	-
<b>ROADWAY SAFETY</b>	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING</b>	609	578	520	446	423	-5.2
Dangerous Operation	43	44	29	28	29	3.6
Flight from Peace Officer	10	12	4	3	7	133.3
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	240	281	304	266	234	-12.0
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	313	237	180	146	150	2.7
Street Racing	3	4	3	3	3	0.0
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – PROPERTY DAMAGE</b>	2,048	1,734	1,992	1,939	2,069	6.7
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – INJURY</b>	304	325	355	384	435	13.3
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – FATALITIES1</b>	3	1	6	5	4	-20.0
<b>HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES</b>	6,353	8,949	9,601	8,804	8,426	-4.3

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DRPS is a proud supporter of the Durham PRIDE Parade, which is held annually in Oshawa.



The Diversity in Our Community event, attended by front-line officers, stopped at an Oshawa Synagogue.

Sgt. Stan Piersma from Victim Services speaks with members of the community during Police Week at the Oshawa Centre (right).



Cst. Bradley of Central East Division reunited with the baby he saved. The young girl and her family were eager to thank the officer in person (below).



Air1 is based at a hangar in Oshawa and is used to search in a variety of investigative situations.



The annual Chief's 3-on-3 basketball tournament was hosted at UOIT

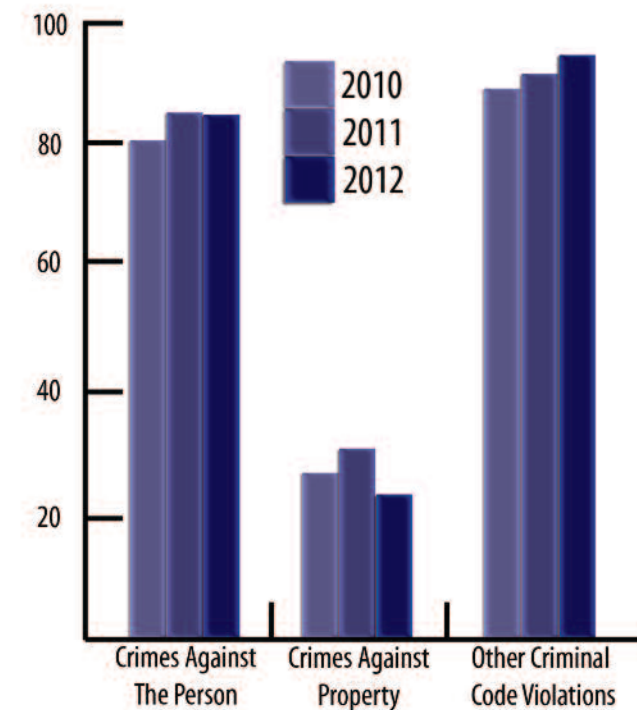


## East Division: Clarington

A new 44,700 sq. ft. divisional building on Highway 2 and Maple Grove Road, Clarington, will begin construction in 2013 to replace the existing structure at 1889 Regional Road 57 in Bowmanville. Inspector Rolf Kleum led East Division in 2012.



## Operational Clearance Rate for East Division



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REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)</b>	<b>2,135</b>	<b>2,090</b>	<b>2,155</b>	<b>2,133</b>	<b>1,950</b>	<b>-8.6</b>
<b>CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON</b>	<b>456</b>	<b>469</b>	<b>485</b>	<b>472</b>	<b>425</b>	<b>-10.0</b>
Violations Causing Death *	0	0	0	0	0	-
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	0	1	0	0	0	-
Sexual Violations	39	41	50	45	55	22.2
Sexual Assault	29	28	35	33	33	0.0
Luring a Child via Computer	1	1	2	2	6	200.0
Other Sexual Violations	9	12	13	10	16	60.0
Assaults	211	200	220	213	168	-21.1
Aggravated Assault Level 3	4	2	3	1	0	-100.0
Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm Level 2	40	27	46	29	38	31.0
Assault Level 1	158	160	169	173	126	-27.2
Discharge Firearm with Intent	0	0	0	0	0	-
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	0	1	1	1	0	-100.0
Pointing a Firearm	1	2	1	1	0	-100.0
Assault against Peace Public Officer	6	5	0	5	2	-60.0
All Other Assaults	2	3	0	3	2	-33.3
Deprivation of Freedom	8	5	4	3	5	66.7
Robbery	18	23	18	8	19	137.5
Harassing Phone Calls	64	58	51	59	50	-15.3
Utter Threats to Person	80	79	101	83	66	-20.5
Criminal Harassment	34	53	41	58	59	1.7
All Other Violent Violations	2	9	0	3	3	0.0
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>	<b>1,373</b>	<b>1,372</b>	<b>1,391</b>	<b>1,349</b>	<b>1,321</b>	<b>-2.1</b>
Arson	12	15	8	15	9	-40.0
Break and Enter	197	225	192	186	153	-17.7
Motor Vehicle Theft	90	58	68	44	41	-6.8
Theft From a Motor Vehicle	167	231	252	185	198	7.0
Theft	308	285	326	349	311	-10.9
Shoplifting	58	39	69	90	85	-5.6
Have Stolen Goods	62	38	80	76	62	-18.4
Fraud	147	114	122	108	125	15.7
Mischief	332	367	274	296	337	13.9
<b>OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS</b>	<b>306</b>	<b>249</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>312</b>	<b>204</b>	<b>-34.6</b>
Prostitution	0	0	0	1	0	-100.0
Gaming and Betting	0	0	0	0	0	-
Offensive Weapons	28	16	33	28	16	-42.9
Possession of Weapons	24	16	28	19	12	-36.8
All Other Offensive Weapons	4	0	5	9	4	-55.6
Fail to Comply with Conditions	111	117	111	123	75	-39.0
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	4	1	6	3	1	-66.7
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	9	9	12	7	6	-14.3
Breach of Probation	55	33	47	64	38	-40.6
All Other Criminal Code	99	73	70	86	68	-20.9

\* Includes Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, and Other Related Offences Causing Death

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT</b>	<b>143</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>-10.1</b>
Possession	104	104	130	122	106	-13.1
Trafficking	19	10	27	25	27	8.0
Importation and Exportation	1	0	0	0	0	-
Production	19	16	24	20	18	-10.0
Drugs - Produce or Traffic Subst	0	0	0	1	0	-100.0
<b>ROADWAY SAFETY</b>	<b>2008</b>	<b>2009</b>	<b>2010</b>	<b>2011</b>	<b>2012</b>	<b>% Change from 2011</b>
<b>CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>148</b>	<b>149</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>0.0</b>
Dangerous Operation	20	10	9	14	14	0.0
Flight from Peace Officer	3	0	2	0	2	-
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	82	69	77	87	70	-19.5
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	89	67	59	44	61	38.6
Street Racing	1	2	2	2	0	-100.0
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – PROPERTY DAMAGE</b>	<b>616</b>	<b>415</b>	<b>512</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>566</b>	<b>4.6</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – INJURY</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>122</b>	<b>134</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>1.5</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – FATALITIES1</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>-33.3</b>
<b>HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES</b>	<b>2,621</b>	<b>2,908</b>	<b>3,438</b>	<b>3,760</b>	<b>3,056</b>	<b>-18.7</b>

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Cst. Marten Wind and S/Sgt. Karen Moloney chatted with a Special Olympics athlete at the "Be a Fan" event.

All of Clarington came together to celebrate Community Day, including Insp. Kleum and his team at East Division.



Sgt. Bill Calder welcomed an unlikely visitor to East Division. An elephant from a visiting circus was on a supervised excursion to munch on some dandelions behind the divisional building (below).



Auxiliary Cst. Stewart works with a youth during the Racing Against Drugs event in Clarington (left).



DRPS participated in Clarington's Take Back the Night event, which aimed at ending violence against women (below).



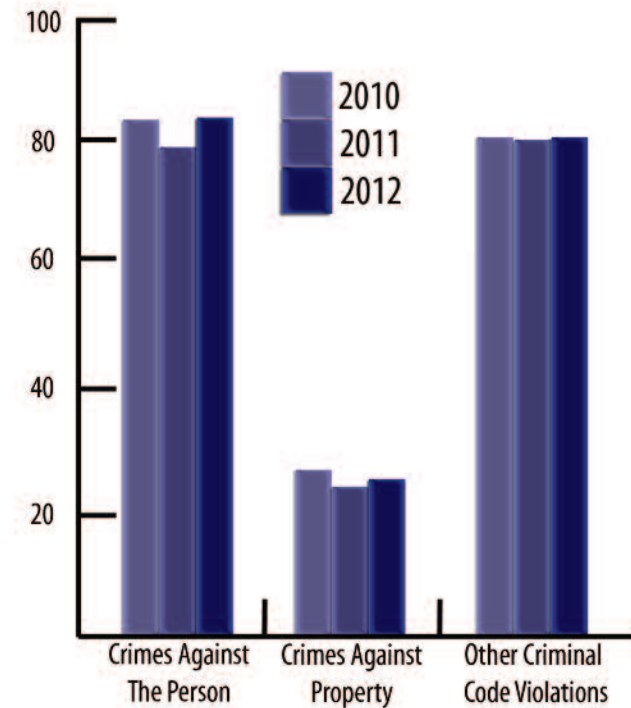


## North Division: Brock, Scugog and Uxbridge

The main location for North Division is at 15765 Highway 12 north of Manchester, with storefront locations in Beaverton and Uxbridge. Inspector Mitch Colling lead the team at North Division in 2012.



## Operational Clearance Rate for North Division



Current at January 2013. As recorded in the DRPS RMS. Clearance rate is the number of incidents cleared as a percentage of the number of actual (founded) incidents.

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS (MINUS TRAFFIC)</b>	1,879	2,031	1,845	1,588	1,582	-0.4
<b>CRIMES AGAINST THE PERSON</b>	396	424	368	356	320	-10.1
Violations Causing Death *	0	0	1	1	1	0.0
Attempting the Commission of a Capital Crime	0	1	0	0	0	-
Sexual Violations	41	39	44	42	36	-14.3
Sexual Assault	29	25	30	35	28	-20.0
Luring a Child via Computer	0	3	0	2	0	-100.0
Other Sexual Violations	12	11	14	5	8	60.0
Assaults	195	195	171	165	152	-7.9
Aggravated Assault Level 3	3	1	2	1	1	0.0
Assault with Weapon or Causing Bodily Harm Level 2	38	36	34	30	21	-30.0
Assault Level 1	148	149	130	127	124	-2.4
Discharge Firearm with Intent	0	1	0	1	0	-100.0
Using Firearm/Imitation in Commission of Offence	1	1	2	1	1	0.0
Pointing a Firearm	0	3	0	1	0	-100.0
Assault against Peace Public Officer	5	2	1	2	4	100.0
All Other Assaults	0	2	2	2	1	-50.0
Deprivation of Freedom	5	2	2	3	1	-66.7
Robbery	5	10	1	6	6	0.0
Harassing Phone Calls	53	68	48	56	39	-30.4
Utter Threats to Person	76	72	66	51	53	3.9
Criminal Harassment	16	32	34	24	29	20.8
All Other Violent Violations	5	5	1	8	3	-62.5
<b>CRIMES AGAINST PROPERTY</b>	1,253	1,383	1,264	1,062	1,081	1.8
Arson	5	9	6	3	3	0.0
Break and Enter	174	216	198	131	113	-13.7
Motor Vehicle Theft	105	105	107	60	45	-25.0
Theft From a Motor Vehicle	167	228	148	151	213	41.1
Theft	303	338	320	265	250	-5.7
Shoplifting	23	21	49	15	26	73.3
Have Stolen Goods	56	64	79	61	48	-21.3
Fraud	104	113	107	110	119	8.2
Mischief	316	289	250	266	264	-0.8
<b>OTHER CRIMINAL CODE VIOLATIONS</b>	230	224	213	170	181	6.5
Prostitution	1	1	0	0	2	-
Gaming and Betting	0	0	0	0	0	-
Offensive Weapons	13	27	28	17	17	0.0
Possession of Weapons	10	18	19	16	16	0.0
All Other Offensive Weapons	3	9	9	1	1	0.0
Fail to Comply with Conditions	84	98	82	61	67	9.8
Production/Distribution of Child Pornography	3	1	4	4	4	0.0
Obstruct Public Peace Officer	5	7	3	5	7	40.0
Breach of Probation	47	37	40	31	26	-16.1
All Other Criminal Code	77	53	56	52	58	11.5

\* Includes Murder 1st Degree, Murder 2nd Degree, Manslaughter, Infanticide, Criminal Negligence Causing Death, and Other Related Offences Causing Death

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>COMBINED DRUGS AND SUBSTANCES ACT</b>	155	122	142	195	137	-29.7
Possession	107	87	97	140	92	-34.3
Trafficking	27	18	12	22	20	-9.1
Importation and Exportation	0	0	0	0	0	-
Production	21	17	33	33	25	-24.2

REPORTED OR KNOWN VIOLATIONS	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	% Change from 2011
<b>ROADWAY SAFETY</b>	240	169	151	149	157	5.4
<b>CRIMINAL CODE DRIVING</b>	240	169	151	149	157	5.4
Dangerous Operation	27	18	10	12	18	50.0
Flight from Peace Officer	1	1	3	3	3	0.0
Impaired Operation/Related Violations	111	90	81	91	96	5.5
Other Criminal Code Driving Violations	101	56	57	43	39	-9.3
Street Racing	0	4	0	0	1	-
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – PROPERTY DAMAGE</b>	718	646	630	624	631	1.1
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – INJURY</b>	145	157	159	137	153	11.7
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE COLLISION – FATALITIES1</b>	5	9	8	5	5	0.0
<b>HIGHWAY TRAFFIC ACT OFFENCE NOTICES</b>	5,985	5,564	5,210	6,131	5,315	-13.3

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Insp. Mitch Colling and Cst. Danny Mitchell accept donations for the annual Food and Toy Drive.



The Mississaugas of Scugog Island conducted a smudging ceremony with DRPS motorcycle officers.



Officers inspect trucks to be sure they are safe to travel on our local roadways.

North Division officers and local students participated in the annual Torch Run, which raises money for Special Olympics, DRPS' charity of choice.



Cst. Danny Mitchell often visits the Beaverton Homework Club to help kids with their studies.





### Financial Activity

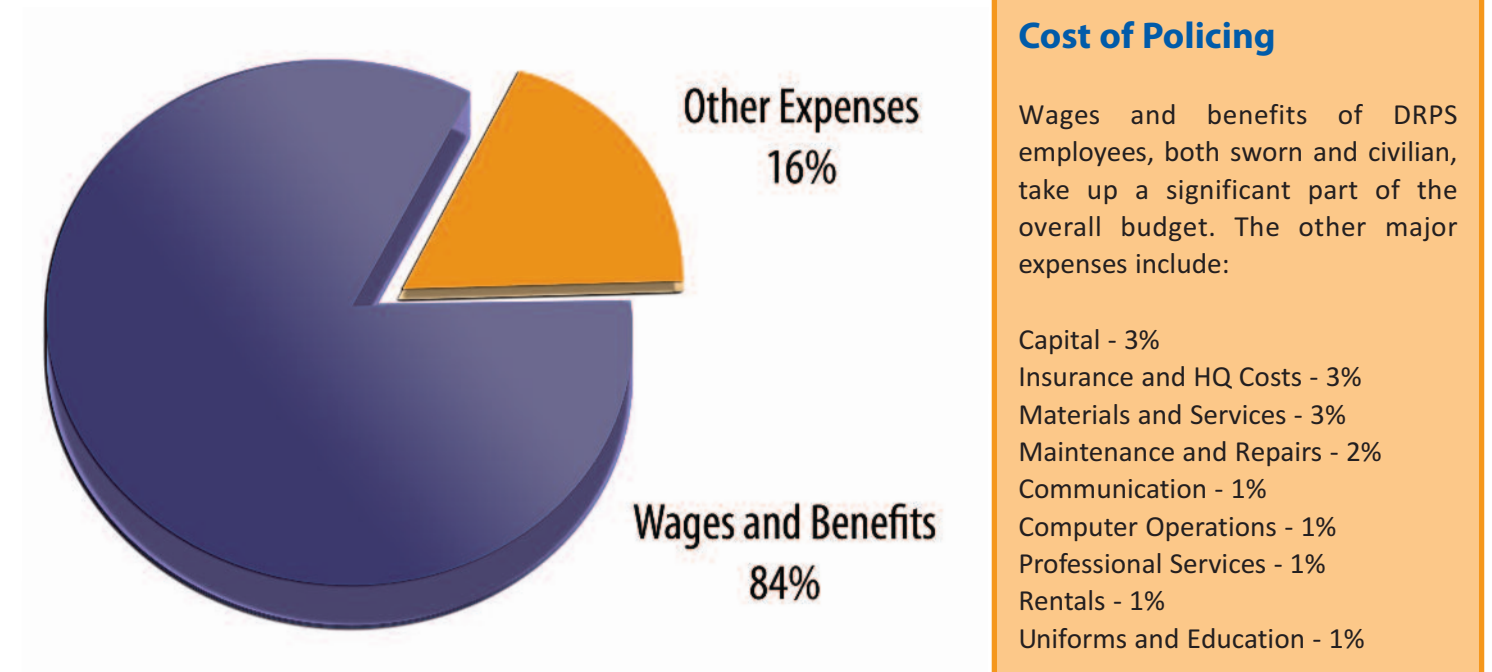
The vast majority of our budget is spent on wages and benefits. As a key deliverer of human services, the DRPS invests in its front-line patrol and investigative support teams. When compared to similar-sized police services, our cost per capita is very competitive.

PROGRAM	2012 Budget	2012 Actuals	Under/(Over)	% of Total budget
Community Policing	\$71,692	\$69,207	\$2,485	1.4%
Crime Management	\$24,187	\$24,726	(\$538)	-0.3%
Patrol Operations	\$8,838	\$9,275	(\$437)	-0.3%
Regional Operations	\$24,208	\$23,895	\$313	0.2%
Administrative Support	\$13,572	\$14,686	(\$1,115)	-0.6%
Business Services	\$20,450	\$20,129	\$321	0.2%
Executive	\$5,080	\$5,649	(\$569)	-0.3%
Police Services Board	\$483	\$424	\$58	0%
Capital	\$2,988	\$4,834	(\$1,846)	-1.1%
<b>Total Gross Expenditures</b>	<b>\$171,501</b>	<b>\$172,829</b>	<b>(\$1,328)</b>	<b>(0)</b>
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>(\$10,896)</b>	<b>(\$12,485)</b>	<b>\$1,589</b>	<b>0.9%</b>
<b>Net Program Costs</b>	<b>\$160,606</b>	<b>\$160,344</b>	<b>\$262</b>	<b>0.2%</b>

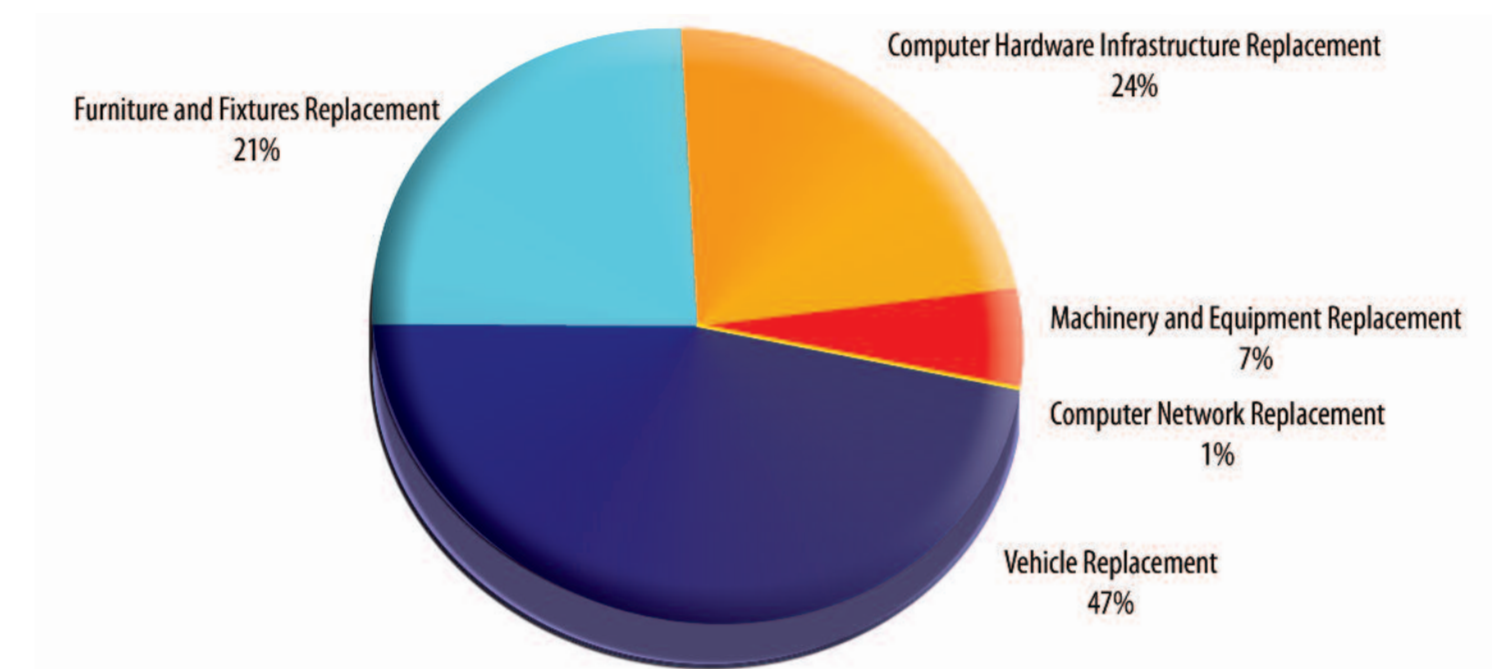
**Net policing costs per capita= \$248**

**Net policing costs per household= \$733**

### Actual Spending by Major Expense



### Capital Distribution by Major Category\*



\*2012 Budget



## Service Awards

Every year, long-serving members are recognized for their dedication and commitment to public safety.

### Receiving recognition for 40 years of exemplary service was:

Greg Mills



Superintendent Greg Mills receives recognition for his 40 years of exemplary service from Board Chair Roger Anderson and Chief Mike Ewles

### Receiving the Canadian Police Exemplary Bar for 30 years of service were:

Christopher Crosby	Mario Lessard
George Dmytruk	Karen Moloney
Michael Ewles	Stephen Ross
Paul Hamilton	Mark Sheridan
Paul Hudson	Paul Vibert
Philip Lillie	James Watson

### Receiving the Canadian Police Exemplary Medal for 20 years of service were:

Debbie Anderton	Ryan Jeffs
Darcy Christianson	Scott Johnstn
Ian Corby	Paul Manning
Ronald Crouch	David Mounstevn
John Dingwall	Rico Sirizzotti
Brad Durst	Bill Towler
Richard Fantinato	David Tuepah
Kenneth Fogal	Jeff Ward
Jeff Haskins	Heather Wilson
Jason Hutchinson	Kevin Yamada
Emmanuel Iheme	

Service to the DRPS Auxiliary Unit is also recognized each year. In 2012, Robert Buller achieved 20 years of outstanding service to the Auxiliary Unit.

### Receiving 20-year civilian service awards were:

Cindy Flynn  
Anthony Halsey  
Elizabeth Powers  
Cynthia Young



### Receiving the 30-year civilian service awards were:

David Bezzant  
Karen Brewster  
Terrance Spearing



Cst. Heather Wilson receives her 20 years of service medal from Chief Ewles while her father, retired D/Chief Jim Adams, proudly looks on.

## Civilian Recognition

Every year, our dedicated civilian employees are recognized for achieving milestones in continuous years of service. In 2012, the following civilian employees were recognized:

### 15-Year Pin

Veronica Attfield	Sherri Wallace
Jurgen Meyer	Tina White
Marla Stephenson	

### 10-Year Pin

Amanda Adams	Melissa Laronde
Janice Caverly	Jamie Laronde
Leslie Cherry	Carie Mason
Mauro Cirelli	Warren Milburn
Lisa Rae Cormack	Lori Morrison
Jonathan Fletcher	John Porco
Wanda Forsyth	David Simpson
Gordon Gosse	Sylvia Terwillegar
Joseph Kehoe	Loretta Tomlin
Shelley Kluem	Scott Turcotte
Maureen Knight	



DRPS 2012 Civilian Award Recipients.

### 5-Year Pin

Angela Adu	Susan Gibbs	Ann MacIsaac	Shirley Powell	Ryan Vanhartingsveldt
Sherri Ballingall	Dwayne Gilbert	Beth MacLean	Carolyn Publow	Tiffany Warner
Ian Borutskie	Janine Hammond	Thomas MacPherson	Thomas Roberts	Robyn White
Brad Campbell	Michelle Judson	Stephanie May	Dan Surano	Marianne Woodhouse
Lieah Crust	Dennis July	Paula Mayers	Jean Tapp	Carolyn Yamada
Elizabeth Cserhati	Lance King	Marianne McCabe	Claudia Tarasio	
Cego Fung	Lynn Leitch	Fraser Phillips	Megan Tilley	

## Retirements

The DRPS bid a fond farewell to many long-time employees in 2012 who devoted their careers to community safety and public service. Their efforts will always be appreciated and remembered.

### Civilian

Pat Hetherington	B.C. MacDonald	Judy Walls
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### Uniform

Gord Black	Paul Hamilton	Ian Wootton
Brian Fazackerley	Rick McNab	
Judy Gibson	Jim Watson	



Superintendent Ian Wootton



## MADD Recognition

Two DRPS officers were recognized for their efforts in removing drunk drivers from the road this past year. Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) Durham Chapter presented Constables Julie Liard and Jamie McMaster with the Officer of the Year Awards for their efforts in 2012.

Constable McMaster arrested nine impaired drivers and suspended three more during his patrol efforts in 2012.

Constable Liard was a member of the Festive R.I.D.E. team and charged 27 drivers, including 32 license suspensions. And in court, she maintained a 100 per cent conviction rate.

MADD Durham Chapter President Michelle Crabb thanked the award winners, as well as the 14 other officers on the recent Festive R.I.D.E. team for another outstanding campaign. While 10 per cent of fatal crashes in Durham Region can be connected to impaired driving, approximately 900 drivers are arrested annually for charges relating to impaired driving.



Cst. Jamie McMaster and Cst. Julie Liard pose with MADD Durham Chapter President Michelle Crabb, Assistant Crown Kent Saliwonchuk (who also was honoured) and DRPS Insp. Charlie Green.

## Cardiac Safe Survivor Day

DRPS members, firefighters and EMS workers were all honoured at the 10th annual Cardiac Safe Survivor Day on June 22 for their part in saving the lives of heart attack victims.



D/Chief Paul Martin and Supt. Joe Maiorano congratulate communicators Sarina Wallace and Megan Tilley.

The event was held at the Ajax Convention Centre, where all cardiac arrest survivors were also recognized. All of the officers, firefighters, communicators, EMS personnel and survivors took their turn walking down the congratulatory line shaking the hands of all of the presenters, which included DRPS Deputy Chief Paul Martin and Superintendent Joe Maiorano.

The Cardiac Safe Community Program began in 2002 with public access defibrillator machines installed in local public spaces including arenas, municipal buildings and recreation centres. In Durham Region, there are approximately 133 sites equipped with public access defibrillators. Using a defibrillator in the first few minutes of an attack can improve survival rates by up to 85 per cent. When it comes to cardiac arrest, early intervention is key to survival and because of this, the number of people invited to the Survivor Day event grows every year.

Members of DRPS recognized at the event include: Communicators Karen Lenihan, Christina Kyc, Marci Galley, Sarina Wallace, Cheryl McNevin, Stacey Spriggs, Megan Tilley, Laurie Arnott, Pete Tomlin, Janice Byrne, Vicky Reid, Paula Mayers, Shawn Muir, Krystie Graham, Liz Powers, Cyndy Young, Janis Carvalho, Mike Hyde, Adam Moore, Dave Hyde, Samantha Bedford, Gord Taschuk, Sherri Wallace, Shelley Payne and Megan Hood. Constables Mindy Ryce, Jennie Chapman, Michael Horner, Ryan Gouldby, Matthew Jewell, Jason Fisher, Timothy Wray, Tyler French, Scott Montgomery, Aaron Ficko, Ryan Kelly, Simon Giguere, Greg O'Connor, Michael Van Belleghem, Jennifer Bowler, Tina Sanders, Matthew Forget, Brian Taylor, Michelle Obront, Rob Clauson, Amy Chatten, Rainer Berentschot, Ryan Bolton, Christopher Delaney, Corey Hartry, Jason Dimech, Ellen McCracken, Lee Marsh, Christopher Barkwell, Leila Bolahood, Stephanie Puckrin, Jermaine Griffin, Trevor Kathnelson, Aaron Glinz, Nicholas Rendell, Kyle Lloyd, Jennifer McNamara, D/Cst. Wayne King and Sergeants Clint Cole and Perian Naccarato.

## Police Appreciation Night

Members of the Durham Regional Police were singled out October 18 for their heroism, quick thinking and bravery at the prestigious 10th annual Police Appreciation Dinner and Awards Night (PADAN).

This year, we celebrated a "Decade of Excellence" and organizing co-chairs Moe Pringle and Blair McArthur thanked every member of the police service for making a difference in the community and for all of the corporate sponsors who have made this event possible. More than \$800,000 has been raised over the past 10 years thanks to the generosity of the sponsors.

This year, awards were presented to:

- Inspector Dave Wilson who retired this year after 33 years of policing. He was presented with a Community Service Award for his outstanding dedication to various charities such as ProAction Cops & Kids and Special Olympics.
- Constable Ellen McCracken who needed to use all of her training when involved in a physical confrontation with a much larger male suspect who had just robbed two victims at gunpoint.
- Constable Adam Handscomb for his quick response in reviving a baby who wasn't breathing. The baby has made a full recovery and is at home with his twin brother.
- Internet Child Exploitation Unit members Detectives Michelle Hoard and Randy Norton and Detective Constables John Farrugia and Brian Vickers for their arrest of a male school teacher who had over 4,000 pornographic images of children on his computer.
- Constable Dave Lewis, Detective Constables Bryan Armstrong and Leigh Schutt and Pilot Greg Hulme for saving the life of an emotionally distraught woman who was lost in the Rouge Valley in -15 degree weather.
- Constables Ryan Gouldby and Michael Van Belleghem for not only saving the life of a suicidal male, but for keeping in touch with him throughout the past year to help him as he got his life back on track.



Moe Pringle, Chief Ewles, Kathleen Gale, Cst. Ellen McCracken and Blair McArthur at the 10th annual PADAN.



Mini-Chief Kathleen Gale, the winner of a youth community contest, and Chief Ewles salute the PADAN award recipients.





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