

**BRADFORD WEST GWILLIMBURY / INNISFIL POLICE SERVICES BOARD
REGULAR MEETING**



Tuesday, July 28, 2026

**Town of Innisfil, Community Room
2101 Innisfil Beach Rd, Innisfil, ON**

MINUTES

Board Members Present: Chris Gariepy, Chair (Provincial Appointee)
Janece Kristman, Vice Chair (Municipal Appointee)
Mayor Lynn Dollin, Town of Innisfil
Mayor James Leduc, Town of Bradford West Gwillimbury
(departed meeting at 10:43 a.m.)
Sarbjit Singh, (Provincial Appointee) - Absent

SSPS Present: Acting Chief Chris Landry
Acting Deputy Julio Fernandes
Inspector Henry Geoffroy
Dr. Tori Semple (Item 10.1 only)
Amy Lei (Item 10.1 only)

Guests: Ryan Berrigan, Zone Advisor – Inspectorate of Policing

1. CALL TO ORDER

2. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST - CLOSED SESSION ITEMS

3. ADOPTION OF CLOSED SESSION AGENDA

Resolution #072026-001

Kristman/Leduc

Motion:

That the Closed Session Agenda dated July 28, 2026, be adopted as amended to include:

1.4 Approval of Minutes Special Meeting – July 15, 2026

1.8 Community Safety and Well-Being Survey Report

1.9 Appointment of Probationary Constables (moved to open session)

*1.10 IoP Notice to Fortify Police Response to Rising Antisemitic and Hate
Motivated Crimes*

4. CLOSED SESSION

4.1 Convene Closed Session

Resolution #072026-002

Singh/Kristman

Motion:

That the Board resolve itself into closed session to discuss matters under the provisions of the Community Safety and Policing Act, Section 44 (1) (2) to address Intimate financial and personal matters and matters involving public security.

4.2 Convene Regular Meeting at 10:16 a.m.

5. RISE AND REPORT PROGRESS

Resolution #072026-003

Kristman/Leduc

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board receive and approve the confidential reports as presented by Acting Chief Landry in the Closed Session meeting of July 28, 2026.

6. DECLARATIONS OF PECUNIARY INTEREST – REGULAR MEETING ITEMS**7. ADOPTION OF REGULAR MEETING AGENDA**

Resolution #072026-004

Singh/Dollin

Motion:

That the Regular Meeting Agenda dated July 28, 2026, be adopted as amended to include:

8.2 Minutes (Special Meeting) – July 15, 2026

11.1 Appointment of Probationary Constables

8. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

8.1. Minutes – May 27, 2026

Resolution #072026-005

Kristman/Leduc

Motion:

That the minutes of the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board meeting of May 27, 2026 be adopted as printed.

8.2. Minutes (Special Meeting) – July 15, 2026

Resolution #072026-006

Kristman/Leduc

Motion:

That the minutes of the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Special Board meeting of July 15, 2026 be adopted as printed.

9. DELEGATIONS

There are no delegations scheduled.

10. PRESENTATIONS

10.1 Community Safety and Well-Being Survey Report – Dr. Tori Semple and Amy Lei (moved from closed session of this meeting)

Dr. Semple shared the survey results received from our community. This is the first time we have completed this survey.

The survey was organized into 4 main sections with an executive summary. The main sections included respondent profile, engagement with SSPS, perceptions of SSPS and perceptions of safety. The last section is written for the members of the public explaining how we are using the findings. The findings from this survey, along with other community consultations we conducted were used to inform the development of our 2026-2029 Strategic Plan, which is a roadmap that lays out the SSPS' priorities for the next four years. Priority 4 of our Plan, Enhance Community Safety, Visibility, and Trust, was developed based on the feedback from community engagement and is our commitment to addressing the primary concerns of our communities.

The documents is 42 pages in length and Dr. Semple asked that everyone review it in full.

The Chair thanked Dr. Semple and Amy Lei for their presentation. He noted that the results will be posted on the SSPS website.

Mayor Dollin said that she liked item number 5. She feels everyone should be telling people what survey findings are being used for.

Resolution #072026-007

Dollin/Kristman

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services approve the Community Safety and Well-Being Survey Report as presented.

11. NEW BUSINESS

11.1 Appointment of Probationary Constables – Acting Chief Landry

Resolution #072026-008

Singh/Leduc

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services appoint the following Probationary Constables in accordance with Section 37(1)(b) of the Community Safety and Policing Act.

Name	Rank	Appointment Date
Ethan MULDER	Probationary Constable	July 28, 2026
Alexander PINHEIRO	Probationary Constable	July 28, 2026
Charles FUHR	Probationary Constable	July 28, 2026

12. BUSINESS ARISING FROM PREVIOUS MEETINGS

12.1 Finance Reserve Committee Update – Chair

The Chair reported that this Committee met for the first time on July 27, 2026. They received great dialogue from Committee members Ian Goodfellow and Jim Winter. The Committee now has a plan of action to start moving forward. This was the goal of the first meeting. We realize we need to comply with our agreements with the municipalities and will be doing so. As well, the Committee will begin the work of how we build the operational and capital reserves.

Resolution #072026-009

Leduc/Singh

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board approve the Finance Reserve Committee update as presented.

CARRIED

12.2 Site Selection and Building Committee Update – Chair

The Chair explained that this Committee will be holding their first meeting in September. The Chair is working on documentation and background. The Innisfil procurement department and York Regional Police have been assisting us with information and their templates. We are doing this work to prepare for the first meeting and make fruitful use of the Committee members' time.

Resolution #072026-010

Dollin/Kristman

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board approve the Site Selection and Building Committee update as presented.

CARRIED

13. MONITORING REPORTS TO THE BOARD

13.1 May 2026 Operations Dashboard and Report – Acting Deputy Fernandes

Acting Deputy Fernandes presented Board Members with the May 2026 Operations Dashboard outlining there were 3332 total occurrences for the month of May. 26 of those were reported online. The municipal divide was 1503 Bradford, 1771 Innisfil and 58 outside of our area.

Operational Report – May 2026

Crimes Against Persons – 12 new criminal investigations

Street Crime Unit – 5 new investigations

A Platoon – 163 charges laid (152 provincial and 11 criminal charges)

B Platoon – 287 charges laid (227 provincial and 60 criminal charges)

C Platoon – 206 charges laid (165 provincial and 41 criminal charges)

D Platoon – 142 charges laid (115 provincial and 27 criminal charges)

Traffic and Marine – 452 POA charges (Part IPON 271 and Part III 181)

CRU – 66 compliance checks, 30 community activities, 8 tickets issued and 9 criminal charges.

MCRT – 18 calls attended, 86 follow-ups and 83.5 estimated time spent at the hospitals

Community Activity – 2220 community contacts, 63 hours spent on community activities

Offender Management – 66 compliance checks, 4 warrant checks and 8 sex offenders registered

Canine – 21 deployments

Provincial Auto Theft – 12 occurrences, 1 recovered

Forensic Identification – 139 total requests in May – 124 requests completed.

Financial Crimes – 10 ongoing investigations

Resolution #072026-011

Singh/Kristman

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board receive the May 2026 Operations Dashboard and Report as presented for information.

13.2 May and June 2026 Finance Reports – Acting Chief Landry

A. May 2026 Capital Report Update (for information only)

B. May 2026 Operating Budget Summary (for information only)

C. June 2026 Capital Report Update (for presentation)

D. June 2026 Operating Budget Summary (for presentation)

Acting Chief Landry shared that the June 2026 capital report expenditures show that of the \$2.9 million budget the year-to-date spending totals \$917,810. This includes vehicle upfitting of \$546,000, connected constable cell phones and computers for vehicles \$61,000, NG911 updates 88,000.

He then reported on the operational spending. The grants and cost recovering are reported as \$145,000. During the operating year we look at grant funding as income as it is received. We have completed report back for several 2025/26 but have not yet received the funds. There are also 2026/27 grants that we have applied for and some have been approved for that we have not received installments. Salaries, overtime and benefits are 5% under budget year to date. But as we are aware that will change once we have a wage increase following collective bargaining. Our fuel, repair and maintenance are also under budget by approximately 1.7%. In our last category of other expenses, we are in line with all our budget lines except Human Resources. We are slightly over in the amount of \$870 which represents wellness activities which took place. Overall, looking at our budget of \$31 million our year-to-date expenditures are at \$14,124,035.

Resolution #072026-012

Kristman/Dollin

Motion:

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board approve the May and June 2026 Capital Report and Operating Summary as presented and distributed.

14. ACTING CHIEF UPDATE

May 31 – June 3 – Chief Van Dyke and Acting Chief Landry attended the 2026 OACP Annual Conference in Niagara Falls

June 4 – Chief Van Dyke and Acting Chief Landry conducted foot patrol together in Innisfil. This was posted to social media.

June 5 – Acting Chief Landry covered annual leave for Chief Van Dyke

June 8 – Acting Chief Landry commenced his transition into the A/Chief role. ESCO Meeting with Acting Deputy Fernandes.

June 9 – Administrative Day

June 10 – Senior Leadership Team attended the recruit's presentation of Fallen Heroes. Finance Meeting.

June 11 – Senior Leadership Team meeting.

June 15 - Gift card recipient Francie Munoz and her father Carlos Munoz spent a day with our members. The Acting Chief and the Acting Deputy had a lunch meeting.

June 16 – Meeting with ESCO and the Board Chair regarding their budget approval. Signed a contract with our new Special Constable Tyler Sharples.

June 17 - Acting Chief Landry attended a bargaining pre-meeting at Inn Power. Years of Service coin presentation to our members who could not make the awards night. Meeting with the three recruits prior to their March Past at OPC.

June 18 – Acting Chief Landry attended the funeral of OPP Constable Tarun BALI along with our Senior Leadership Team and approximately 20 of our members in Mississauga.

June 19 – The Acting Deputy and Acting Chief attended OPC for the graduation of recruits Fuhr, Mulder and Pinheiro.

June 22 – Monday morning meeting Acting Chief, Acting Deputy and Inspector. Presentation by Peregrine. Dr. Semple and Acting Chief Landry met to review a paper on police staffing studies. Presented Special Constable Ashwaden with her 20-year medal.

June 23 – Acting Chief Landry attended a platoon meeting with Inspector Geoffroy. Reviewed our complete photo library with Samah Othman.

June 24 – Acting Chief Landry attended the funeral of Toronto Police Service Constable Marc Pinizzotto along with our Senior Leadership Team and approximately 30 of our members in Toronto.

June 25 – Finance/HR/ Recruiting Meeting to align in our Service. The Chair and Acting Chief Landry met with Barrie Police Service Chief Rich Johson in advance of our Grants meeting with MPP Khanjin.

June 26 – Acting Chief Landry met and welcomed back our recruits with Acting Deputy Fernandes. Met with Constable Ian Wilson to discuss innovative app for frontline part of our modernization.

June 29 – Acting Chief Landry and Acting Deputy Fernandes met with Dr. Semple to further discuss staffing model following her meeting with Dr. H. Perez. Reviewed IoP dashboards.

June 30 – Senior Leadership Team meeting. Finance meeting. Lori Howson rolling out new Beanworkx program.

Resolution #072026-013**Singh/Dollin***Motion:*

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board receive the Acting Chief's Report for information.

15. ANNOUNCEMENTS

None.

16. INSPECTOR GENERAL UPDATES

Chair Gariepy reported that the Mayors are aware of the memo that was received by SSPS concerning their political activities.

Inspector General has shared information from most police services concerning police integrity and corruption. They have appointed the Honorable William Hourigan will lead the Anti-Corruption Inspection review.

Inspectorate of Policing launched an intelligence hub with a centralized platform.

17. NEXT MEETING

Wednesday, September 23, 2026, Innisfil Town Hall, Community Room, 10:00 am for Regular Public Meeting (9:00 am for closed session).

18. ADJOURNMENT**Resolution #072026-014****Dollin/Singh***Motion:*

That the Bradford West Gwillimbury/Innisfil Police Services Board adjourn at 11:08 a.m.

Cathy Charlton, Executive Assistant

Chris Gariepy, Chair