

Classification **PUBLIC**

Meeting **February 9, 2009**

Agenda Item **Monitoring Report:
GLOBAL ENDS**



Recommended Motion:

THAT the Board find that all provisions of the Global Ends Policy have been complied with.

BROADEST POLICY PROVISION:

The citizens and visitors of Durham Region have a safe community in which to live and work at a competitive cost, relative to the following similar communities in Ontario:

- Halton
- Hamilton
- Niagara
- Ottawa
- Peel
- Toronto
- Waterloo
- York

Interpretation of the Chief of Police:

It is my interpretation of this policy that the concept of safety be measured as a factor of the Crime Rate as measured in the Crime Prevention Ends Policy as compared to the municipalities identified. It is also my interpretation that the Clearance Rate as measured in the Law Enforcement Ends Policy is a further measure of community safety in that it reflects the Service's ability to effectively respond to crimes that have occurred, thereby mitigating some apprehension of further victimization or the "fear of crime".

It is my further interpretation that the cost comparator be the "cost per capita" as per the most currently available Statistics Canada Report. It is my further interpretation that achievement of the five specific ends policies must also be taken into account in the determination of having a "safe community".

Compliance Statement:

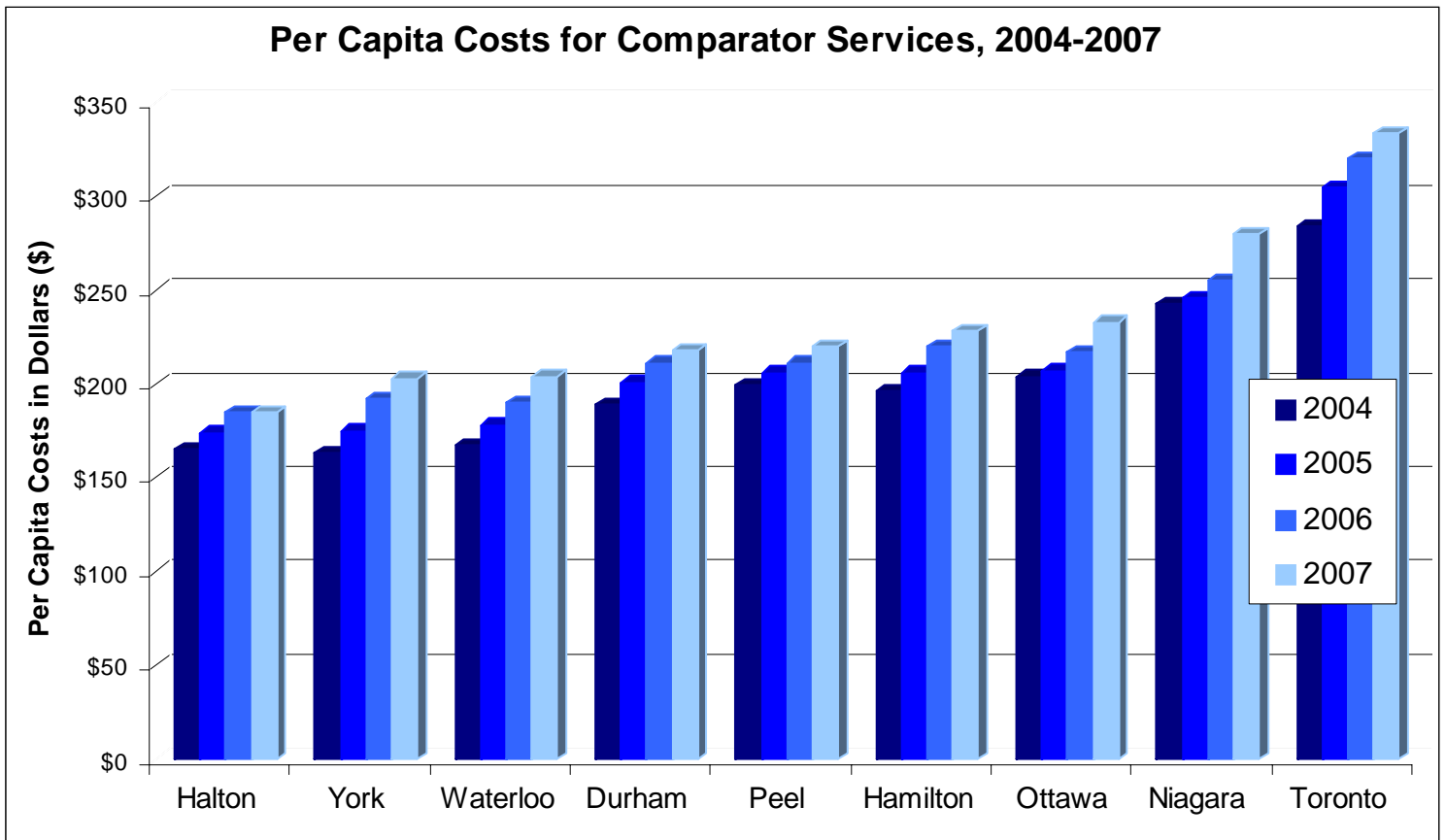
I hereby submit my monitoring report according to the schedule set out. I certify that the information contained in this report is true.

I report **compliance**. The Durham Regional Police Service remained ranked **fourth** lowest in Crime Rate, dropped from second and is now **third** highest in Clearance Rate, and remained ranked **fourth** lowest in Cost per Capita.

Signed: _____
Chief of Police

Date: _____

Appendix A



Per capita costs represent expenditures divided by the population of the area serviced. At \$218 per person, the Durham Regional Police Service placed 4th in per capita costs, which is the same position since 2004. Toronto Police had the highest per capita costs at \$334 per person and Halton Regional Police Service had the lowest at \$185 per person.