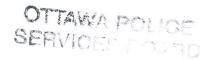
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Councillor Eli El-Chantiry Chair Ottawa Police Services Board 110 Laurier Avenue West Ottawa, Ontario K1P 1J1

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Dear Councillor El-Chantiry:

Thank you for writing on behalf of the Ottawa Police Services Board to inform me of its resolution regarding mission critical broadband data use by public safety agencies. I appreciate the time you took to share the board's resolution with me.

Our government remains committed to protecting our public safety workers. They are vital to the security enjoyed by our province's communities, and we will continue to ensure that they are kept safe and healthy. I have noted the board's comments about dedicating 20 MHz of the 700 MHz band for mission critical broadband data use by public safety agencies, as well as the importance of sharing information in real time.

I note that you have sent a copy of your correspondence to my colleague the Honourable Jim Bradley, Minister of Community Safety and Correctional Services. I trust that he will also give the board's views his careful consideration.

Thank you again for writing. Please accept my best wishes.

Yours truly,

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The Honourable Jim Bradley

