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A Quarterly Newsletter from the
York Regional Police Services Board

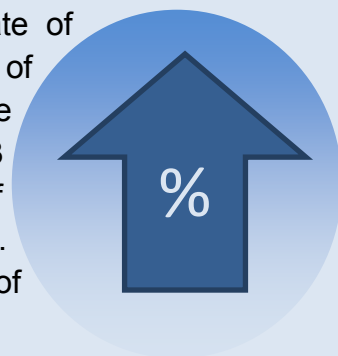
Inclusion Charter for York Region

The Police Services Board is committed to sustaining an inclusive environment for York Regional Police members and the citizens of the Region. The Inclusion Charter for York Region is a partnership initiative that brings together businesses, community organizations and agencies, municipalities, hospitals, school boards and conservation authorities, as well as York Regional Police, with a common commitment to promoting and ensuring inclusive communities.

The Charter is a result of extensive consultations and discussions with over 1,800 people contributing to the development of the Charter. The Board endorsed the Charter and is committed to taking action to incorporate the Charter's vision within the organization and in the community.

2018 Semi-Annual Crime Statistics

The overall crime rate in York Region increased by 3.1 percent during the first half of 2018 when compared with the first half of 2017. The rate of violent crimes increased by 8.8 percent while the rate of property crimes increased by 0.7 percent during that same period. The rate of sexual violations decreased by 3.3 percent to 323 violations during that same period. Most of the crime categories continue to experience decreases. York Region continues to be a safe community with one of the lowest crime rates in Canada.



2017-2018 Criminal Code Violations

	2018		2017		Variance (%)	
	Actual	Rate	Actual	Rate	Actual	Rate
Total Crime	18,473	1,555.81	18,052	1,508.42	2.3	3.1

Source: 2018 York Regional Police Semi-Annual Statistics.



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2018 Board Meeting Dates

January 17

February 14

March 21

April 25

May 23

June 27

September 26

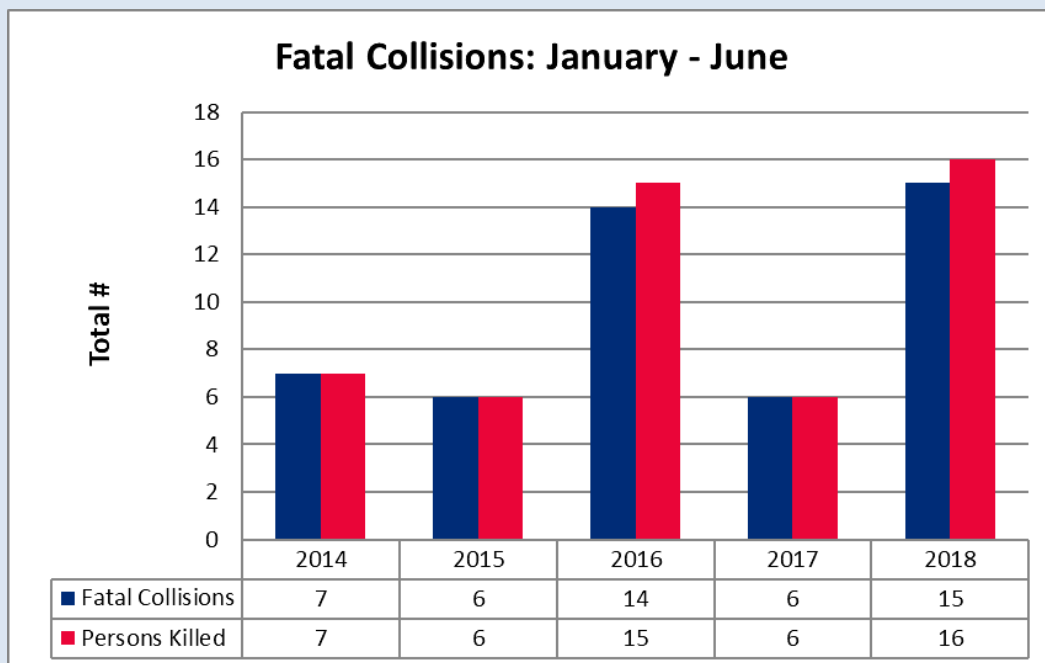
November 7

December 5

Public Board meetings begin at 9:00 a.m. in Committee Room A
York Region Administrative Centre

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The following chart shows the number of fatal collisions from January to June 2018.



Source: 2018 York Regional Police Semi-Annual Statistics.

For a full copy of the crime statistics, please visit the Board's website yrpsb.ca.

2019 Board Meeting Dates

January 30	February 27	March 27
April 17	May 15	June 26
September 25	October 30	November 27

Meeting notices and agendas are posted on the Board's website five days prior to the meeting.

Wounded Warriors Canada

The Board supported the inaugural "To Serve and Savour" fundraising event which took place on September 7, 2018 at the Magna Tent in Aurora, ON. The event was a partnership between Wounded Warriors Canada and York Regional Police. All proceeds benefit Wounded Warriors Canada which is a charitable organization that provides mental health support to ill and injured Canadian Armed Forces members, veterans, first responders and their families.

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