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London Police Chief highlights Munir el-Kassem's appointment as Chaplain

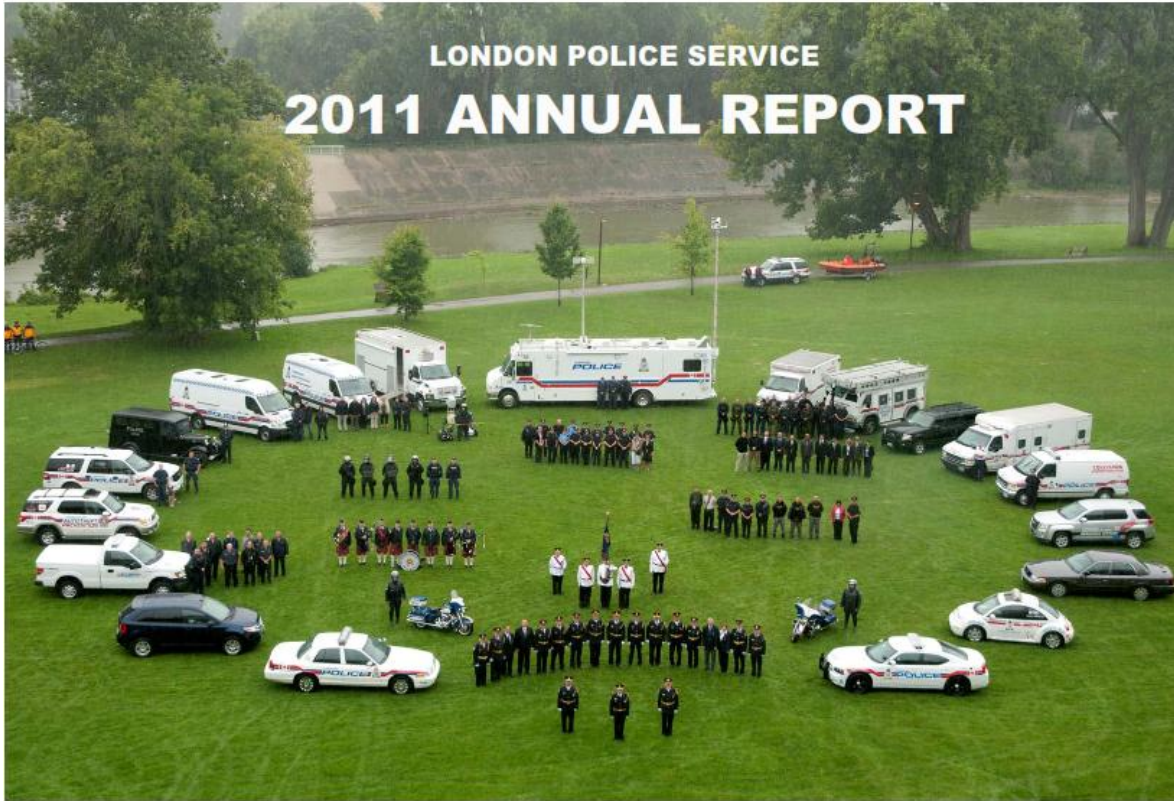
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MESSAGE FROM LONDON CHIEF OF POLICE

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MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF

As Chief of Police, I am pleased to present the London Police Service's 2011 Annual Report. Our focus at the LPS this past year has been to continue the transitions begun in 2010 and to move forward in the most positive manner to provide the optimum in police service to our community. The 2011 Annual Report clearly sets out our goals and objectives for the year, as contained in the current Business Plan, as well as performance indicators and progress report.



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On Sunday, September 18th, the London Police Service celebrated a significant milestone. This year marked the 50th Anniversary of the London Police Auxiliary which was celebrated with a parade and reception at Fanshawe College. The event was attended by The Honourable Chris Bentley, His Worship Mayor Joe Fontana and Councillor Judy Bryant, a member of the London Police Services Board, as well as family, friends, past Auxiliary members, sworn and civilian members of the LPS and other Police Services.

On September 22nd, 2011, we celebrated the completion of the expansion and renovation of Police Headquarters, a project that has been ongoing for the past five years. It is my hope that our expanded facility provides a comfortable and efficient work space that will meet the needs of our staff for years to come.

Throughout the fall of 2011, preparatory work began on our three-year Business Plan covering 2013 to 2015. Development of the Business Plan is a lengthy process that involves a public needs survey, an internal needs survey, and a series of community consultations with citizens, community groups, business associations, boards of education, etc. The 2013-2015 Business Plan, together with our extensive Workload Analysis completed in 2011, will guide our Service over the next several years to identify and address our priorities in terms of human resource and community needs.

London is well served through the tremendous dedication to duty and strong work ethic that is at the core of each and every one of our sworn and civilian members. I am very proud of our Service and I assure you we will continue to do our best to provide the highest level of police service to the community we serve.

Bradley S. Duncan, M.O.M.
Chief of Police