

# Media Release

January 14, 2026 | FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE



## CHATHAM-KENT POLICE SERVICE IS ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS FOR POLICE CADETS AND EXPERIENCED CONSTABLES



The Chatham-Kent Police Service (CKPS) is currently accepting applications for Police Cadets and Experienced Constables as part of its ongoing commitment to community safety, professional excellence and service delivery.

CKPS offers a rewarding policing career in Chatham-Kent, a diverse and welcoming community that blends urban amenities with small-town charm. Located in southwestern Ontario, Chatham-Kent offers a high quality of life and affordable housing, making it an ideal place to live, work, and raise a family.

### **Competitive Compensation and Benefits:**

The Chatham-Kent Police Service offers competitive wages and a comprehensive benefits package, positioning CKPS favourably among police services across Ontario. The Service is committed to supporting its members through fair compensation, wellness initiatives, professional development opportunities and a healthy work-life balance.

### **Opportunities for New and Experienced Officers:**

- Police Cadet Program - A valuable entry point for individuals seeking a career in policing, offering exposure to police operations and community engagement.
- Experienced Police Constables - CKPS welcomes currently serving police constables with at least one year of policing experience and completion of their probationary period.

Additional information about qualifications, application requirements, and the recruitment process can be found at: <https://ckpolice.com/about/employment/cadets-constables/>

The Chatham-Kent Police Service is proud to be an equal opportunity employer and encourages applications from individuals of all backgrounds who reflect the diversity of the community we serve.

**Contact information:**

For cadet and experienced officer applications, please contact:

Constable Marlene MacLennan

Recruitment Officer

[ckpscareds@chatham-kent.ca](mailto:ckpscareds@chatham-kent.ca)

Experienced officers with questions or inquiries regarding salary and benefits, please contact:

Sergeant Jason Herder

Chatham-Kent Police Association President

[Jasonh@chatham-kent.ca](mailto:Jasonh@chatham-kent.ca)