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Community engagement session on Chief of Police recruitment rescheduled to July 13

(Ottawa) – The community engagement session hosted by Hefid.Solutions to hear from Ottawa residents on what they would like to see in the future Chief of the Ottawa Police Service has been rescheduled to Wednesday, July 13 at 5:30 pm. As a result of the widespread internet outage late last week, the previously scheduled session was cancelled.

The facilitated, bilingual session will be held over Zoom. To register to attend this facilitated session, please visit <https://opsnextchief.eventbrite.ca>.

If you previously registered to attend the July 8 session, there is no need to register again; you will automatically be sent a link to join the session prior to the start time.

There's still time – complete the online survey!

Residents also have the option of completing an online survey to provide their feedback on the Chief of Police recruitment.

To complete the survey, you can use the following links:

- **English:** <https://bit.ly/OPSCchiefSurvey>
- **French:** <https://bit.ly/chefduSPO>

The survey will remain open until July 13, 2022.

For more information about this community engagement opportunity, please visit <https://letshearyou.ca/projects>.

The Ottawa Police Services Board is the civilian body responsible for governing the Ottawa Police Service. It is responsible for the provision of adequate and effective police services to the City of Ottawa's residents.

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