



**MASS CASUALTY
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**Halifax Regional Police and
Halifax District RCMP
Operations**

Foundational Document: Addendum

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Exhibit Version

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NOTE: This document is based on an analysis of materials available to the Mass Casualty Commission **as of September 13, 2022**. **Further production and investigation are ongoing**. In addition, foundational documents should be read and understood in light of, and in conjunction with, hearing testimony received by the Commission.

The *Halifax Regional Police and Halifax District RCMP Operations* Foundational Document was exhibited on June 9, 2022, in the Mass Casualty Commission's public proceedings.

Addendum

The following documents will be tendered into evidence to supplement the existing record with respect to the events and information described in the *Halifax Regional Police and Halifax District RCMP Operations* Foundational Document:

1. [Transcript of Recorded 911 Call of Robert Doucette: COMM0054262](#)

The Mass Casualty Commission prepared a transcript of Robert Doucette's 911 call made on the morning of April 19, 2020. This transcript (COMM0054262) will be tendered into evidence.

2. [Mass Casualty Commission interview of Dawn Clancey: COMM0058258](#)

On January 13, 2022, the Mass Casualty Commission interviewed Dawn Clancey, former Manager at Integrated Emergency Services (IES). The transcript of this interview (COMM0058258) will be tendered into evidence.

3. [Mass Casualty Commission interview of Janice Banfield: COMM0059004](#)

On May 26, 2022, the Mass Casualty Commission interviewed Janice Banfield in relation to the events of April 18 and 19, 2020. The transcript of this interview (COMM0059004) will be tendered into evidence.

4. [Mass Casualty Commission interview of Maureen Banfield: COMM0059032](#)

On May 30, 2022, the Mass Casualty Commission interviewed Maureen Banfield in relation to the events of April 18 and 19, 2020. The transcript of this interview (COMM0059032) will be tendered into evidence.

5. [HRP Critical Incident Command After Action Report: COMM0049599](#)

HRP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with the Critical Incident Command After Action Report prepared by Supt. Andrew Matthews on May 12, 2020. This report (COMM0049599) will be tendered into evidence.

6. [Handwritten notes of S/Sgt. D. Kelly: COMM0058616](#)

The RCMP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with the handwritten notes of S/Sgt. Dwayne Kelly. These notes (COMM0058616) will be tendered into evidence.

7. [Handwritten notes of Cpl. P. McCarron: COMM0058612](#)

The RCMP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with the handwritten notes of Cpl. Peter McCarron. These notes (COMM0058612) will be tendered into evidence.

8. [Handwritten notes of Cst. A. Lowe: COMM0058614](#)

The RCMP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with the handwritten notes of Cst. Alecia Lowe. These notes (COMM0058614) will be tendered into evidence.

9. [Responses of Chief Dan Kinsella, July 14, 2022: COMM0061317](#)

HRP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with Chief Dan Kinsella's responses to the Commission's questions. The document containing these responses (COMM0061317) and the underlying documents referred to by Chief Dan Kinsella (COMM0061318 to COMM0061352) will be tendered into evidence.

10. [Responses of Chief Dan Kinsella, August 19, 2022: COMM0063041](#)

HRP provided the Mass Casualty Commission with Chief Dan Kinsella's responses to additional questions posted by the Commission (COMM0063041) which will be tendered into evidence.

Erratum

The following errors in the *Halifax Regional Police and Halifax District RCMP Operations* Foundational Document have come to the attention of Commission Counsel:

1. Paragraph 22 – De-integration of MCU

Paragraph 22 reads, "In addition to sharing patrolling duties within HRM, HRP and Halifax District RCMP share a number of specialized "integrated units." ... For example, when a major crime occurs in downtown Halifax (Central District) both HRP and RCMP members of the Major Crime Unit may assist with the investigation, despite the fact that the RCMP does not generally patrol within that district." In Chief Kinsella's written answers to questions (COMM0061317 and COMM0063041) he indicated that the MCU was de-integrated from HRP in 2021, although they still share a building.

2. Paragraph 25 – HRP Watch Commander

Paragraph 25 states, "HRP watch commanders report to the patrol divisional commander for their geographic district, a position that is typically held by an officer at the rank of inspector or above." In his written answers to questions (COMM0061317) Chief Kinsella wrote, "The HRP Watch Commander reports to the Central Division commander during business hours directly and then through the Duty Officer outside of business hours on operational matters."