

**NORTH BAY POLICE SERVICES BOARD  
PUBLIC ORDER UNITS POLICY**

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**PREAMBLE:**

It is the policy of the North Bay Police Services Board with respect to public order maintenance that:

- a. this Board will contract with an external police agency to provide the services of a public order unit within a reasonable response time; and
- b. the Chief of Police will establish procedures, in consultation with the designated representative of the contracted agency that;
  - i) set out the circumstances in which a public order unit may be deployed;
  - ii) set out the steps for obtaining the services of a public order unit; and
  - iii) address the circumstances and processes for liaising with appropriate officials for the purposes of Sections 63 - 68 of the *Criminal Code*, regarding unlawful assemblies and riot situations.

Signed: Colin P. Vezina  
Chairman

Susan Vester  
Secretary

*This policy is subject to the provision of an adequate annual operating budget to enable the Chief of Police to plan for the deployment of personnel and resources, and the absence of any other intervening factors that may frustrate the ability of the Police Service to implement this Policy.*