



Kingston Police

Public Agenda Information Report

To: Kingston Police Service Board
From: Scott Fraser, Chief of Police
Subject: Quarterly Use of Force Report (January to March)
Date: April 9, 2025

Recommendation:

That the Quarterly Use of Force Report (January to March), Report Number 25-23 is for information only.

Summary:

The following statistics capture all use of force options exercised by all responding officers. During most incidents, more than one use of force option was used. The statistics refer to 18 incidents, for which 13 team and 6 individual reports were filed. For team reports, one report is filed for multiple officers. De-escalation was attempted in 15 reports. In the 4 reports where not attempted, de-escalation was either not possible due to immediate action being required or not applicable (destruction of animal). All incidents involved subjects assaultive and/or armed or suspected to be armed with weapons.

Use of Force Method	Used	Remarks
Physical Control	1	
Baton / Impact Weapon		
OC Spray		
Canine		
Firearm Drawn	1	
Firearm Pointed	12	
Firearm Discharged	1	Dispatch of animal
CEW Displayed	3	
CEW Deployed	2	

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