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sault unit, the regional fraud unit, victim services, the internet child exploitation unit, the tech crime unit, the cyber crime unit, the intelligence unit and the human trafficking and vice unit.

"Jeff you have proven yourself as an accomplished senior officer and I am looking forward to working with you, Chief Tanner, the board and the exceptional women and men, civilian and sworn, of the Halton police service as we serve a diverse and growing community," said Halton police Deputy Chief Roger Wilkie.

Those present also heard from Hill's longtime colleague and friend Halton police superintendent Kevin Maher.

Maher said the two met when Hill first joined Halton police and was assigned to Maher's unit.

"There are a few members of that platoon here today, who will remember Jeff as a very confident and somewhat edgy young constable. He was playfully nicknamed, 'Angry Jeff,'" said Maher.

"Thankfully he has mellowed a little bit over the years."

Maher noted that as Hill moved into a leadership role his perspective on policing evolved and matured beyond a desire to simply catch criminals.

He came to realize that modern and progressive police services need strong and external partnerships to succeed.

Maher noted Hill has put this philosophy into practice during his time with human resources, by developing a strong working relationship with the Halton Regional Police Association, the union that represents Halton police employees.

More recently, Maher said Hill worked tirelessly with members of the sexual assault advisory committee to carry out a review of the police service's investigative processes re-



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Halton Police Deputy Chief Jeff Hill holds-up his new Deputy Chief badge at the conclusion of his swearing-in ceremony.

"It's surreal. When you start this job, this is not where you picture yourself at all."

- Halton Police Deputy Chief Jeff Hill

lated to sexual assaults.

"The result is a more victim-based approach, which will serve to improve our ability to support and guide persons who have experienced some form of sexual assault," said Maher.

As committed as Hill is to his role as a police officer, Maher said first and foremost Hill is a family man who is deeply dedicated to his partner Courtney and two children.

Halton Police Chief Stephen Tanner also spoke during the ceremony, congratulating Hill on his special day.

"Congratulations on a great career. Congratulations on having the support of your peers, our senior management team," said Tanner.

"I would also like to thank and acknowledge the police services board, chair (Rob) Burton and others not only for the decision and selection, but also on the decision to have this as an internal process within the Halton Regional Police Service. It certainly speaks to all of us of what a strong, wonderful and amazing senior team we have here and team all throughout this organization."

Oakville Mayor and Halton Police Service Board chair Rob Burton said Halton is one of the best communities in the world, noting it grows leaders and achievers.

After taking his oath of office Hill talked about some of his priorities.

"We must ensure that we are an organization and a community that promotes and celebrates quality inclusion for all, that recognizes that our differences are in fact our greatest strengths. Above all else, there is no place for hate, intolerance or exclusionary behaviour," said Hill.

"We must ensure as a group, as a team and as a family that we promote the mental and physical wellbeing of each and every one of you without fear, judgment or stigma. ... I beg you, please never suffer alone."









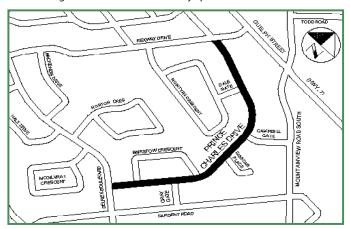


PUBLIC INFORMATION CENTRE

Prince Charles Drive Water and Wastewater Main Improvements, Town of Halton Hills (Georgetown), PR-3212

Halton Region is planning to replace existing water and wastewater mains and service lines on Prince Charles Drive, from Delrex Boulevard to Rexway Drive, in the Town of Halton Hills (Georgetown).

A Public Information Centre is being held for residents/property owners who want to learn more about the construction project. Please drop in at any time between 6 and 8 p.m. to meet with Regional staff and discuss any guestions or concerns about the project.



Project number: PR-3212

Date: Monday, October 28, 2019

Time: 6 – 8 p.m.

Place: Mold-Masters SportsPlex,

Mezzanine Boardroom, 221 Guelph St (Entrance off Alcott Drive)

Georgetown, ON L7G 4A8

If you would like to learn more about the project and are unable to attend the Public Information Centre, please contact:

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Help prevent wind-blown litter

Here are some tips to keep in mind to help prevent recyclables from blowing away on windy days:

- Put materials at the curb by 7 a.m. the day of collection, not the night before.
- Consider placing materials in a clear plastic bag for curbside collection.
- Place heavier items on top of loose materials.

Thank you for helping to keep our neighbourhoods clean! To find more tips on how to manage waste, please visit **halton.ca/waste** or download the OneHalton app.



Meetings at Halton Region, 1151 Bronte Rd., Oakville, L6M 3L1 Visit halton.ca for full schedule.

Nov 20

9:30 a.m.

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