



Constables Erin McCune, Daryl Longworth and Rui Freitas are the newest officers joining the Halton Region police force, Georgetown division. They were sworn in at a ceremony April 2. photo by Oksana Buhel

## Georgetown police service beefed-up

By Oksana Buhel

Three new police officers have joined Georgetown Division of the Halton Region Police Service. Constables Daryl Longworth, 23, Rui Freitas, 21, and Erin McCune, 25, were three of 14 constables sworn in by Chief of Police W.I. James Harding at the Halton Regional Centre, April 2.

Harding reminded the new constables it was their duty to care for the community and for each other.

"This road of policing has been long and interesting," admitted Harding, who will be retiring in

June of 1994. He also mentioned that the road has been challenging. "Hold in account everything you say, you do, and you believe in," the chief instructed the constables.

Harding described some of the challenges which the constables can expect to face.

With respect to multiculturalism, Harding insisted that "mischievous myths" are circulating, which are "detrimentally wrong." He instructed the officers that their duty would be to remain sensitive and understanding. He declared there was no place for racial and discriminatory conduct in the police force, and

promised to "personally rip off the badge" of any guilty party.

Harding addressed the issue of pay equity, wondering why the number of representatives from visible minorities in the police force was insignificant. (Not one of the new officers was from a visible minority.) Women were well represented. (Half of the officers were women.)

With respect to both issues, Harding informed the recruits that they were being given an opportunity to fix the wrongdoings of the past.

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- reception areas
- elevators, escalators, stairways
- amusement arcades
- places of amusement (e.g., bowling alley)
- hairdressers, barbers
- laundromats
- restaurants
- health care facilities
- taxi cabs
- limousines
- places of public assembly (e.g., theatre)

The general Committee Meeting will commence at 7:00 pm on Monday, April 19, 1993, in the Council Chambers, 1 Halton Hills Drive. At this meeting, General Committee will hear any persons who wish to address this issue and who apply to the Town Clerk, at 873-2600, prior to this meeting. Copies of the staff report and draft by-law will be available at the Clerk's Office, Civic Centre, as of Thursday, April 15, 1993. Office hours are 8:30 am to 4:30 pm, Monday to Friday.

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