



WOODSTOCK POLICE SERVICE BOARD POLICY

Subject:	Safe Storage of Police Service Firearms
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Authority/Legislative References

Community Safety and Policing Act, 2019, S.O. 2019, c. 1, Sched. 1

Firearms Act, SC 1995, c. 39

Public Agents Firearms Regulation, SOR/98-203

Policy Statement

The Woodstock Police Service Board (the "Board") is committed to the safe and responsible storage of Woodstock Police Service (the "Service") firearms to ensure the safety of officers and the community. To uphold this commitment, the Board directs the Chief of Police (the "Chief") to establish procedures that ensure secure storage practices within police facilities and, where applicable, in private residences, to maintain the highest standards of safety and security.

Policy Application

1. It is the policy of the Board with respect to the safe storage of police service firearms that the Chief shall establish procedures that are consistent with the requirements of the *Firearms Act* and the *Public Agents Firearms Regulation*.