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All Ontario Fire Chiefs MEMORANDUM TO:

FROM: Jon Pegg

Ontario Fire Marshal

DATE: September 12, 2024

SUBJECT: Staffing Announcement: Deputy Fire Marshal

I am pleased to announce that Carrie Clark is the successful candidate in the competition for the permanent position of Deputy Fire Marshal, Field Advisory and Technical Services and will be starting in her new role effective October 1, 2024.

Carrie has 30 years of experience in management and community safety initiatives. Over the course of her 20-year fire career where she began as a volunteer firefighter in her home community, she worked to achieve certifications and competencies in all disciplines of the fire service. Carrie most recently served as Deputy Fire Chief, overseeing Communications, Fire Prevention and Public Education with Barrie Fire and Emergency Service. Carrie has been involved in several initiatives where she has been able to build strong relationships with multi-faceted agencies, stakeholders and the public.

Carrie is a strategic change leader who champions innovative programs and initiatives to help strengthen the fire sector in Ontario. Key achievements have been leading the development and implementation of Barrie Fire and Emergency Service's community risk assessment, Next Gen 9-1-1 phone system upgrades, and innovative fire prevention and public education programs - all with a goal to help reduce the risk of fires occurring and their impact in the community.

I would like to thank Assistant Deputy Ministers Ken Weatherill and Joy Stevenson as well as Ryan Burton from the TBS Talent and Leadership Division, for their support and participation in the recruitment process.

Please join me in congratulating Carrie on her new appointment and welcoming her to the Office of the Fire Marshal.

Sincerely,

Jon Pegg Fire Marshal