

# BARRIE POLICE SERVICE

Community Safety and Well-Being

City of Barrie – Council Presentation

January 31, 2022

# City of Barrie Community Safety and Well-Being Plan

## LEGISLATION

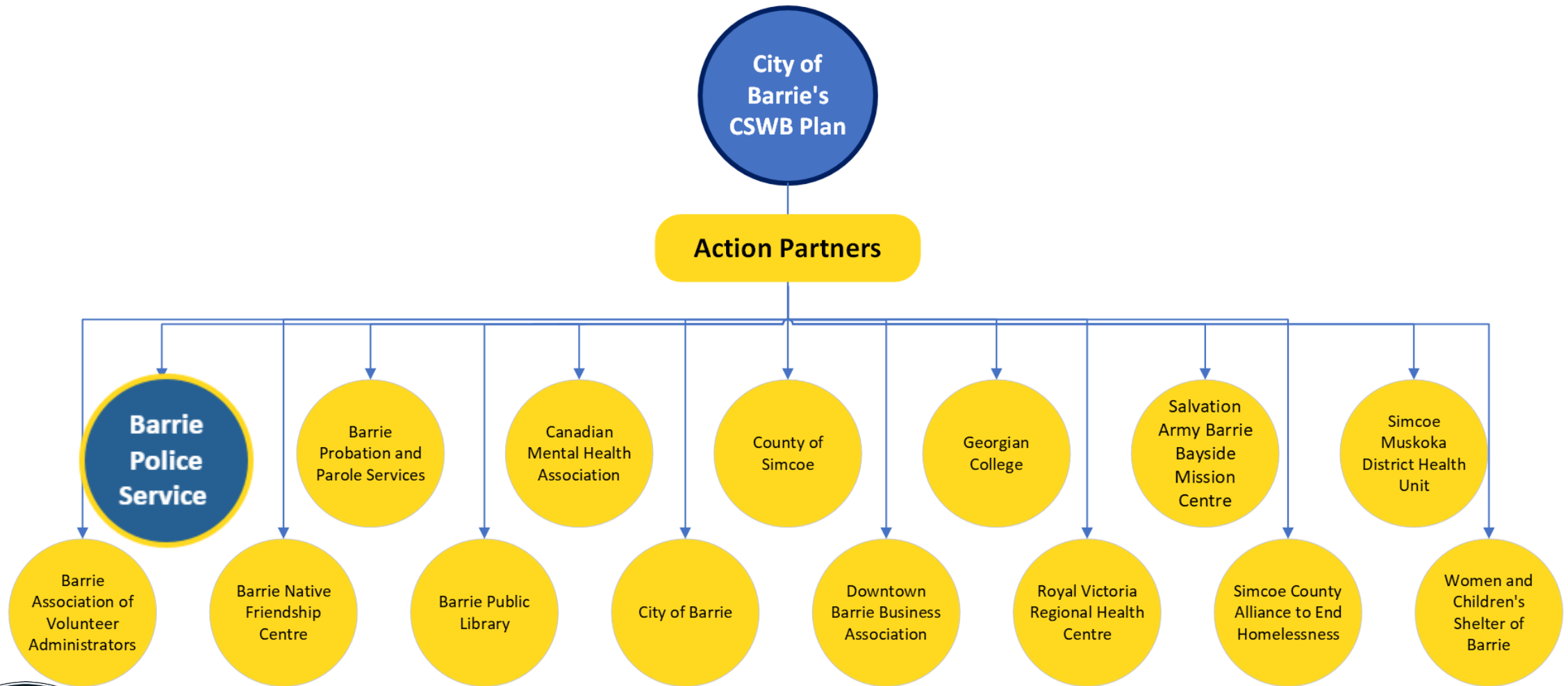
The Province has legislated municipalities develop and adopt Community Safety and Well-Being Plans.

### CSWB Plans shall:

- 🛡 identify risk factors that contribute to crime, victimization, addiction, drug overdose and suicide;
- 🛡 identify what risk factors the municipality will treat as priorities to reduce;
- 🛡 identify actions to reduce the prioritized risk factors; and
- 🛡 set out measurable outcomes that the actions are intended to produce.



# Community Safety and Well-Being Plan Partners





# Barrie Police Service (BPS)

## Community Safety and Well-Being (CSWB) Unit

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- 🛡️ Alternate Response Unit
- 🛡️ Auxiliary & Volunteers (C.O.P.)
- 🛡️ Collaborate Barrie
- 🛡️ Community Outreach and Support Team (C.O.A.S.T.)
- 🛡️ CSWB Coordinator
- 🛡️ CSWB Teams – High-Harm & Community Engagement
- 🛡️ Crime Prevention
- 🛡️ School Support – Primary Schools
- 🛡️ Warrant Officer



# BPS Community Safety and Well-Being Officer



**Constable Keira Brooks**



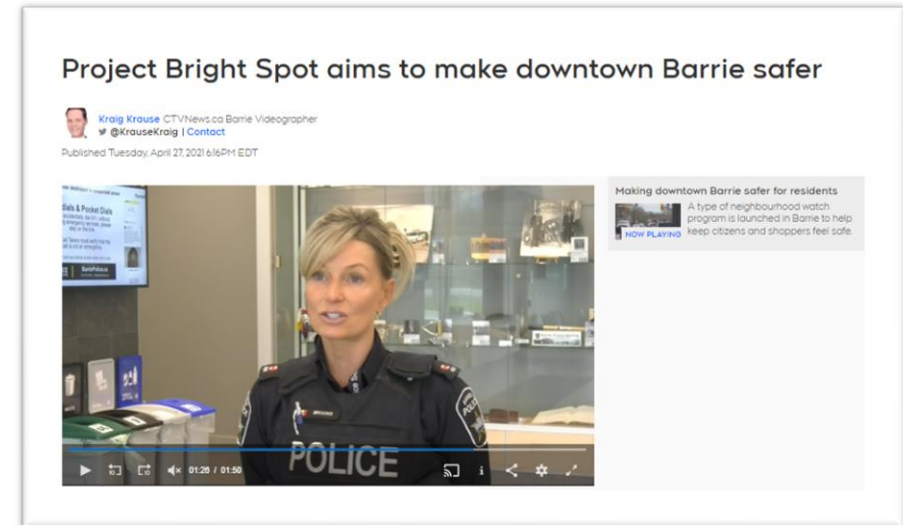
# BPS Community Safety and Well-Being Successes

## “Bright Spot” Project

- CSWB Officer - Safety audit resulted in Bright Spot program, and initiatives lighting up alleyways
- Downtown businesses participating in the Bright Spot program have undergone training on how to handle unsafe situations and are prepared to assess the situation and determine the next steps

## Graffiti Enforcement Project

- Over 100 charges between all five accused persons



# Harm-Focused Policing

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**ALL CRIMES ARE NOT EQUAL**



**Minor Theft**  
Low-Harm Crime

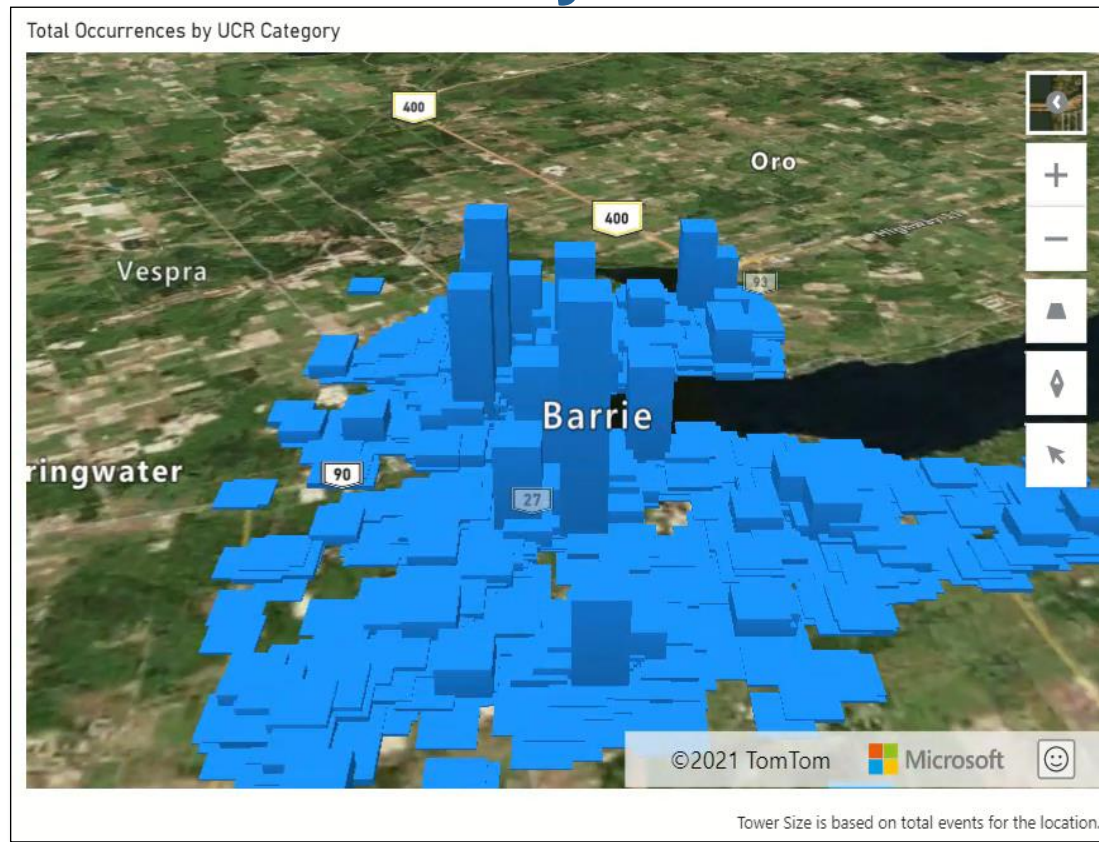


**Violent Assault**  
High-Harm Crime



# Harm-Focused Policing

## Crime by Volume

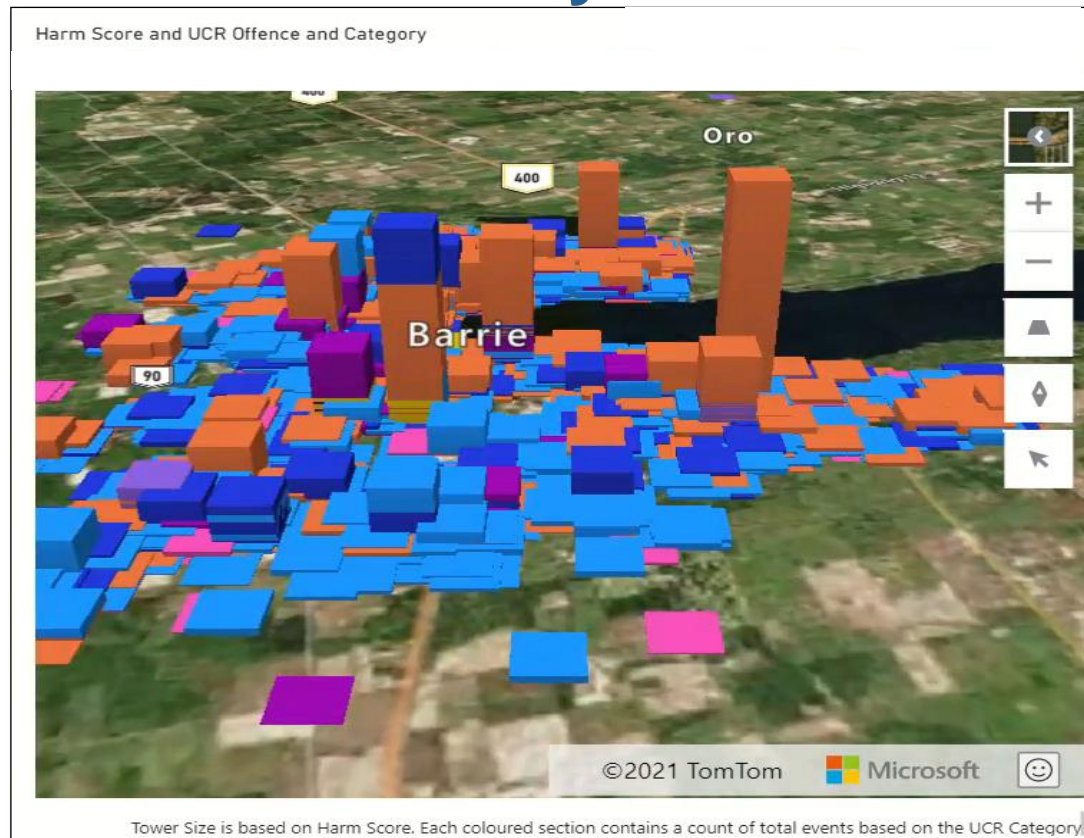


- 🛡️ Blue blocks represent number of crimes reported
- 🛡️ “Hot Spots” (towers) reflect areas of concentrated crime



# Harm-Focused Policing

## Crime by Harm



- 🛡️ The higher the tower the greater the harm of the individual crimes

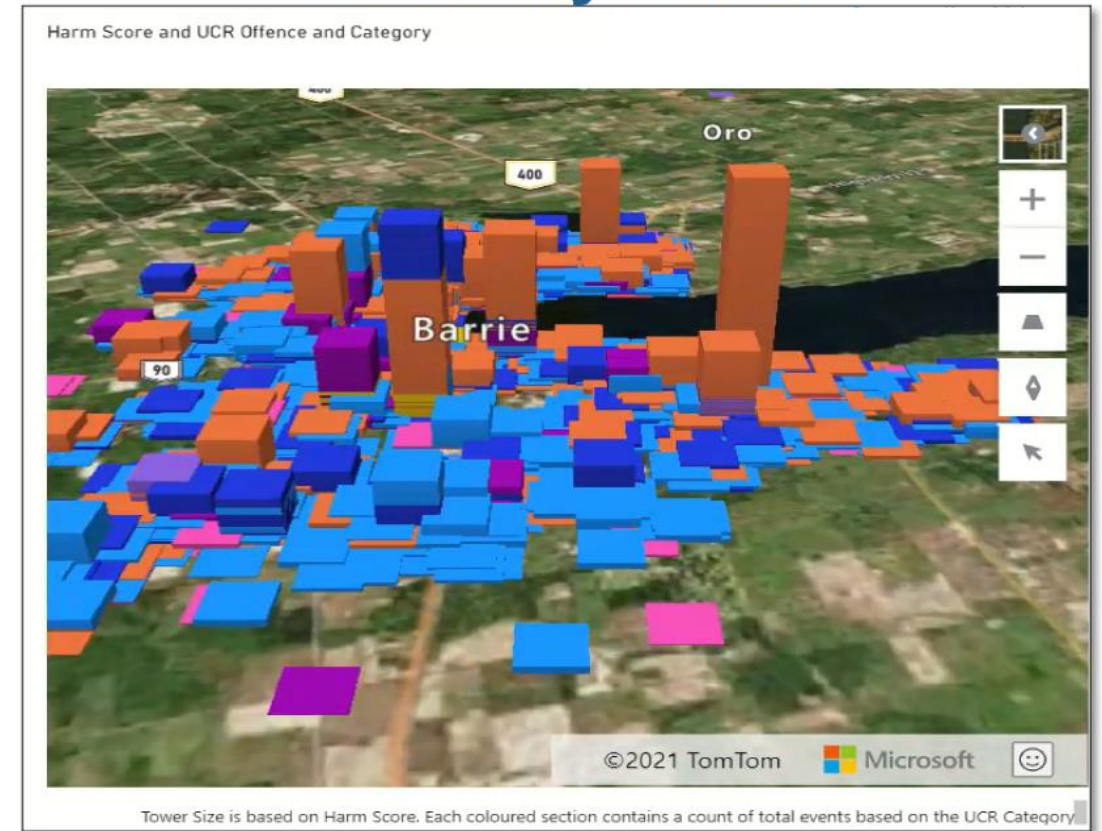


# Harm-Focused Policing

## Crime by Volume



## Crime by Harm



# BPS Community Safety and Well-Being Unit



**Sergeant Randy Fitzgerald**

**Community Safety and Well-Being Team**





# BPS Community Safety and Well-Being Unit



**Constable Hudson Cormier**

**Community Safety and Well-Being Team**



# BPS Community Safety and Well-Being Unit

## Harm-Focused Policing

- 🛡️ **S**trategic **T**argeted **A**nd **R**esearched (STAR)
- 🛡️ High-harm & high-crime / disorder hot-spots
- 🛡️ Reduce harm & crimes committed
- 🛡️ Target social disorder
- 🛡️ Deploying officers where they are most needed



# Barrie Police Service Reporting



## 2020-2022 Strategic Plan

[www.Barriepolice.ca/  
2020-2022-strategic-plan.ca](http://www.Barriepolice.ca/2020-2022-strategic-plan.ca)

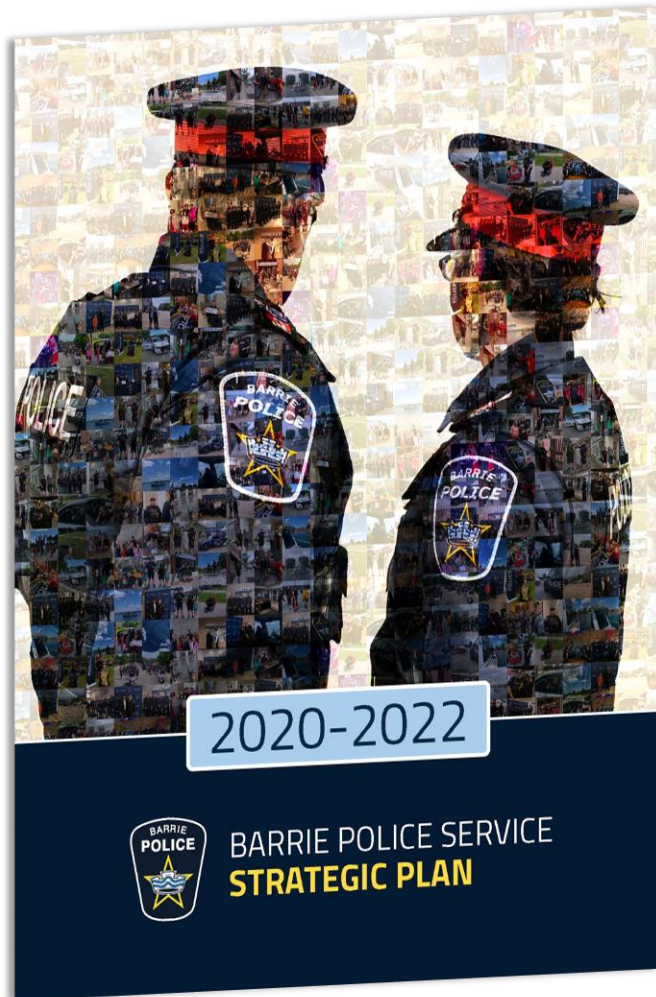


## 2020 Annual Report

[www.BPSAnnualReport.ca](http://www.BPSAnnualReport.ca)



# Questions?



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**CRIME PREVENTION,  
COMMUNITY SAFETY &  
LAW ENFORCEMENT**



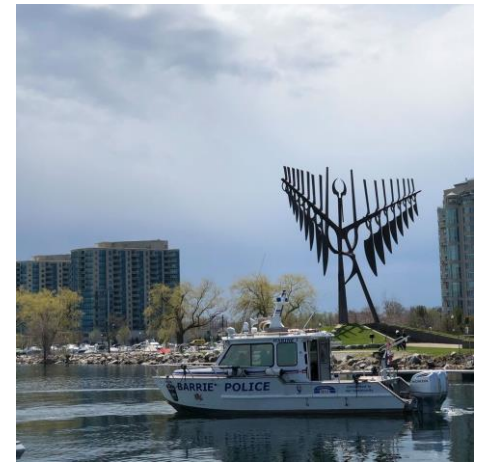
**COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT  
& COLLABORATION**



**ORGANIZATION EXCELLENCE  
& SUSTAINABILITY**







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