Committee: London Police Services Board

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: Eric Southern

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Occupation: Software Developer/Business Owner

Work experience: Software systems analysis, design, requirement elicitation, implementation and maintenance for company systems, healthcare systems and client systems. Working with clients and other stakeholders to develop solutions to their problems that meet their needs and expectations. Supporting systems and customers with their needs and meeting their expectations.

Education: Bachelors of Computer Science Bachelors of Engineering Science Masters of Engineering Science

Skills: Experience working with Boards and Commissions. Strong problem solving skills. Critical analysis with a reasonable and rational ability to provide solutions to problems. Strong understanding of the future role of technology in our society. Understanding of cryptography and cyber-security (the focus of my research at UWO) as well as privacy rights (medical records perspective).

Interest reason: I feel that I can help our law enforcement while taking into consideration the financial stresses on society as well as the impact of technology on crime.

Contributions: Understanding of the impact of technology in crime. Strong problem solving skills. Experience with boards and commissions.

Past contributions: I have been a member of the London Transit Commission for the past 6 years.

Interpersonal: Running my own business, working on the LTC, working at the hospitals, and working on research at the university have all required me to reasonably and rationally exchange my views with other stakeholders. I understand and have exercised the knowledge that to be successful in any role you need to be able to respect and understand the views and information provided by others.

Interview interest: Yes