

# London and surrounding communities Respect Forum

March 21st, 2024

Facilitator: Lieutenant-Colonel (Retired) Morris

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**Location: London Garrison** 



#### Today's Agenda



- 1. Coffee and Meet and Greet 12:30 1:00 pm and Welcome
- 2. Greetings from local Military Leader 1:00 1:10 pm
- 3. Introductions done by all who attended 1:10-1:20 pm
- 4. Overview of Respect Canada and the forums 1:20-1:30 pm
- 5. Presentation: 1:30-2:00 pm: London City Police Update
- 6. Health Break Coffee 2:00-2:15 pm
- 7. Presentation: 2:15-2:45 pm: Military Presentation on Transition/ support
- 8. Presentation 2:45 3:15 pm: London Cares Veterans Homeless Program
- 9. Service Mapping Project Respect Canada 3:15-3:30 pm
- 10. Open Discussion 3:30-3:50 pm
- **11. Closing Remarks 3:50-4:00 pm**



# Greetings from Local Municipal Leader and/ or Local Military Leader

### **Respect Forum Vision and Mission**



Our Vision – To ensure that those who run to danger in service of their country and community have access to the support and care they need.

Our Mission – To promote collaboration and create focus through networking and knowledge sharing to help improve mental health services and reduce homelessness for men and women in uniformed







### What We Don't Do



- Advocate for anything or any approach other than collaboration
- tell people what to do
- raise money locally
- share information without permission
- tolerate disrespectful comments between groups

### Participants – keeps growing!



# Respect Forum meetings bring together a wide variety of people:

- active military, police, EMS, Fire and Rescue and their associations and Chaplains – Religious leaders
- Peer Support Groups
- Veterans Organizations
- Veterans Affairs
- health and social services (CMHA)
- Family services
- Homelessness
- United Way
- EAP
- Peer Support Groups
- all levels of government including prisons, CBSA, etc
- colleges & universities
- community organizations
- private service providers (psychologists, social workers, 20 unsellors)

City and Municipal leaders who support our agencies

### **Values Statement**



The Respect Forum Management, Forum Facilitators and the Governance Committee in the commission of their decisions and duties will subscribe to and promote the following values and principles at the heart of all Respect Forums:

- **≻**Mutual Respect:
- ➤ Relationship Building and Collaboration: .
- **Constructive Conversation:**
- Trust: By bringing stakeholders together in a forum where participants learn about each others' services
- Non-Partisan: Respect Forum events are independent, non-partisan gatherings that do not seek to promote any particular interest of any business, group, political party, lobby, or personal interests.



## **London Police Services:**

## Briefing on their program/ updates/ Successes



# Health Break 10 minutes

### **Second Presentation:**



# Military Transitions Team – Work with personnel suffering from PTSD/ Operational Stress Injuries

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## Third Presentation:

## London Cares – Veterans Homeless Program

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# Fanshawe Respect Forum Friday May 3<sup>rd</sup> 2024





- Time 10 to 1300
- Canada Life Village Square

1001 Fanshawe College Blvd, London, ON N5Y 5R6

- 1. Hear about the Veterans Programs available at Fanshawe
- See a veterans Art exhibit and hear from Local Artist James Agesen about his Veterans/ First Responder Art program
- 3. Learn about and connect with Veterans' Service Organizations in the London area.

More information to follow, register on the RF Home page <a href="https://respectcanada.org">https://respectcanada.org</a>

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### **Service Mapping Process**

**RESPECTmap** 

Mapping platform





# Using Framework to Develop Service Maps FORTH

Better Together

	Phase 1	Phase 2	Phase 3	Phase 4
Description	Prevention, Prep, Planning & Education	Intervention	Stabilization	Reintegration & Recovery
Mandated Service Providers	Organizations publicly mandated to achieve positive outcomes in each phase. <u>Government or employer related</u> mandates (usually with specific budgets and outcomes)			
Other Service Providers (profit or non-profit)	Organizations or stakeholders whose mission entails achieving positive outcomes in each phase.  Profit, non-profit, professional, advocacy, etc.			
Programs and Systems	Programs and systems oriented to achieving positive outcomes in each phase.			
Methodologies	Methodologies oriented to achieving positive outcomes in each phase.			
Metrics and Indicators	Metrics and indicators oriented to achieving positive outcomes in each phase.			



### Respect Map JRO

- Working a work in progress
- Terry Telford is the Map Master
- outreach@respectcanada.org
- Terry is still fine tuning the Search Engine and data entry fields
- Goal is to have the Map working well prior to first Forums this Fall



#### Respect Forum Team: once you have linked to the site, follow this process:

Here is the direct link to the RESPECTMap: <a href="https://respectmap.ca/">https://respectmap.ca/</a> To add their organization: <a href="https://respectmap.ca/login/">https://respectmap.ca/login/</a> (They have to register/login first and then go to "Add listing". Here is the process:

- 1. Link to home page and go to personal account
- 2. Register Section login and register your organization
- 3. Then go to Directory and click on to your page
- 4. Takes you to your presentation page go to Claim listing and add listing information
- 5. Then follow the prompts to fill in: personal information, contact information, geographical information
- 6. Then select respect forum (many choices drop down-pick as many as you work in
- 7. Fill in what you offer in services, methodologies, metrics, etc
- 8. Share with partners.

Note: in many sections you have comment boxes to add additional comments





#### **RESPECTMap**

#### Home

- ✓ Mapping/Cartographie
- ✓ Local Mapping Local

News/Nouvelles

Add your organization / Ajouter votre organisation

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# MAPPING OF SERVICES TO PERSONNEL IN UNIFORM

# CARTOGRAPHIE DES SERVICES POUR LE PERSONNEL EN UNIFORME

A project with and for organizations supporting uniformed personnel, created by the Respect Forum.

Un projet avec et pour les organisations de soutien au personnel en uniforme, créé par le Forum de Respect.







# 4. Support Women's, Indigenous and Academic Outreach

- Identify any related organization and communicate with the program coordinator
- Seek input from the program coordinators for possible speakers
- Participate in the development of a local strategy to attract program participants



### Women's Outreach

- New Respect Women's Outreach Coordinator
- Gisele Fontaine
- Gisele will provide a slide for Facilitators explaining Women's Outreach program and opportunities
- Gisele.Fontaine6@gmail.com
- Feel free to reach out to Gisele!



### **Open Discussion – Questions and Answers**

- ➤ Points that you would like to share from your group/ organization
- >Any valuable lessons learned
- ➤ Are you employing new initiatives something that demonstrated a need to change the approach to helping your people
- >What advice could you offer from your experiences
- ➤ What would you like to see in the next forum



# Meeting Wrap Up

### Meeting notes and contact information



Don't forget, if it's not already done, to integrate your organization into our mapping by answering the mapping questionnaire. We need more groups that provide support for intervention and support to identify on our Respect Mapping Chart!

I will share with you all documents and presentations approved by the meeting participants, as well as the list of participants in today's meeting. You will get my report within 48-72 hours.

If you have concerns about confidentiality or sharing information (contact or otherwise), please inform the organizer or facilitator of your meeting

# Next Forum In London—October 17th, 2024 — does this work for everyone?



### We will:

Continue to find new participants

Promote your collaborations

Invite participants to present their organizations/Services

Tell us what would you like to see or hear at the next Forum!

Contact: morbrause@gmail.com

Mapping contact: Terry: <a href="mailto:outreach@respectcanada.org">outreach@respectcanada.org</a>

With your permission, this information will be captured and shared with you as part of the meeting report. Themes will be captured to promote collaboration in accordance with our Privacy Policy. Please communicate your permission for these activities.





Thank you for supporting our forum today – see you on 17 October 2024 and do not forget to recruit more participants!

**Morris** 

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