



## **CHAIR REPORT TO THE EDMONTON POLICE COMMISSION**

### **PUBLIC MEETING – July 18, 2024**

#### **16<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL AFRICA DAY GALA – June 22, 2024**

- The African Centre hosted its 16<sup>th</sup> Africa Day Gala celebration that attracted over 450 guests at the Edmonton Expo Centre.
- It was a night to celebrate culture, delicious African-inspired food, awards, entertainment, and a dance.
- The event's objective was to empower communities to share their sacred teachings and worldviews in an innovative, engaging, and festive manner.

#### **HORSEPOWER FOR HOPE – July 13, 2024**

- The Edmonton Police Foundation, in partnership with the Edmonton Police Service, was a sponsor of Horsepower for Hope.
- Every year they collaborate to provide car-related activities for the entire family to raise funds and awareness for the Kids with Cancer Society.
- Every year, EPS Training Section creates a special autocross track for the Horsepower for Hope registrants to drive through.
- The members entertained the cancer warriors for hours giving them rides through the track, including demonstrating amazing backward-driving skills