



PUBLIC NOTICE

City of Ontario Division of Police
2020 CALEA Accreditation Assessment



The Ontario Police Department is seeking to renew its accreditation from the Commission on Accreditation for Law Enforcement Agencies, Inc. (CALEA®) by verifying it meets professional standards.

As administrators of the accreditation process, CALEA® requires agencies to comply with state-of-the-art standards in four basic areas: policy and procedures, administration, operations, and support services. Ontario Police first gained CALEA law enforcement accreditation in 2016 and is currently one of only 42 Municipal Law Enforcement Agencies in the State of Ohio to meet CALEA's best practices of law enforcement standards.

The voluntary process to gain accreditation will look a little different this year as it will be conducted virtually to adhere to social distancing requirements. As part of the assessment, agency employees and members of the community are invited to offer comments to the assessment team. Contacts with the assessment team will be scheduled on June 9, 2020 between 1:00 PM and 3:00 PM and will take place over web conferencing technology or telephone. To be placed on the interview schedule, please contact Accreditation Manager Jon P. Sigler at (419) 529-1101.

Interviews with the assessment team are limited to 10 minutes and must address the agency's ability to comply with CALEA's standards. A copy of the Standard Titles is available at the Ontario Police Department located at 555 Stumbo Road, Ontario, OH 44906. Local contact is Accreditation Manager Jon P. Sigler (419) 529-1101. They can also be found at the Ontario Police Department's website, www.ontpd.com.

If for some reason an individual cannot call in, but would like to speak to the assessment team, he or she may send written comments to the CALEA assessors via e-mail at calea@calea.org or by mailing them to CALEA, to 13575 Heathcote Boulevard, Suite 320, Gainesville, VA, 22030-2215; or by visiting www.calea.org.