

## DECLARATION OF COMMITMENT

**We, the signatory partners of this Protocol**, affirm our commitment to and accountability for the training, implementation and monitoring of the best practice guidelines for a collaborative response to victims of partner abuse outlined in this document.

We believe that our individual and collective responses to partner abuse are enhanced and strengthened by a shared understanding of the issue and a commitment to work collaboratively and cooperatively to meet the many different needs of victims of partner abuse and their children. To this end, we have participated in the development of this Protocol and we agree to comply with the procedures and guidelines contained herein.

**The signatory partners, as listed below, commit to compliance with this Protocol in accordance with their organizations' mandate effective December 5, 2008.**

### Signatory Partners:

*Listed in alphabetical order by agency name*

Belleville Police Service

\_\_\_\_\_  
Acting Chief, Brian Harder

Counselling Services of Belleville &  
District  
Supervised Access Program

\_\_\_\_\_  
Susan Seaman, Executive Director

Conflict Resolution Counselling  
Services

\_\_\_\_\_  
Kim Howard, Program Director

Crown Attorney's Office, Hastings  
County

\_\_\_\_\_  
Lee Burgess, Crown Attorney

Hastings Children's Aid Society

\_\_\_\_\_  
Len Kennedy, Executive Director

Hastings County, Housing Programs  
Branch

\_\_\_\_\_  
Scott Robertson, Manager

Quinte Healthcare  
Domestic Violence Sexual Assault  
Response Program

\_\_\_\_\_  
Wendy Parker, Manager

Quinte United Immigrant Services, Central Eastern Ontario Translation and Interpretation Services	_____ Orlando Ferro, Executive Director
Three Oaks Foundation	_____ Pam Havery, Executive Director
Stirling/Rawdon Police Service	_____ Chief Brian Foley, Chief of Police
8 Wing Military Police Detachment, Canadian Forces Base, Trenton	_____ Lieutenant (Navy) Paul Blackmore, Detachment Commander
Ontario Provincial Police, Central Hastings	_____ Peter Valiquette, Detachment Commander
Ontario Provincial Police, Quinte West	_____ Earl Johns, Detachment Commander
Hastings County Services Department	_____ Steven Gatward, Deputy Director
Ontario Disability Support Program	_____ Gayle Parks, Manager
Probation & Parole	_____ Jolyon Thompson, Manager
Sexual Assault Centre	_____ Kim Charlebois, Executive Director
Victim/Witness Assistance Program	_____ Michele Arsenault, Manager
Victim Services of Hastings & Prince Edward Counties – Support Link	_____ Lisa Warriner, Executive Director

Date of signing December 2003; Revised January 2005 & December 2008  
Date of recommitment December 5, 2008