

## **CANASA – OACP Crime Prevention Media Launch 2019 - Remarks**

Good morning, I am Erin Marsden, the Board & Council Liaison for the Canadian Security Association.

I am very pleased to be here to represent CANASA on behalf of our members, National Board and our Executive Director Patrick Straw who is working with ULC in Ottawa this week.

The Canadian Security Association and its membership are committed to the safety of everyone living and working in Ontario and we are proud to be a partner in crime prevention with the OACP.

We strongly believe that it is through the continued teamwork of our communities, the Police, Emergency Services, Fire Services and the Security Industry that we can have a positive impact on crime prevention.

The Canadian Security Association has been working to improve safety and security in Ontario and Canada for over 40 years and we have been a partner with the OACP in their crime prevention campaign since 2012.

With the ever changing landscape of crime and security, we remain diligent in our efforts to improve safety and security and to prevent crime through an unwavering line of communication to Police Services and our members.

CANASA strongly encourages education, professionalism and high standards among our membership. We endeavor to continue to grow and strengthen our value to the policing community.

Thank you for the opportunity to address all of you today.