



VERNON NORTH OKANAGAN DETACHMENT

2nd Quarter (April to June) 2022

QUARTERLY POLICING REPORT

Committed to preserve the peace, uphold the law and provide quality service in partnership with our communities.

Superintendent Shawna BAHER

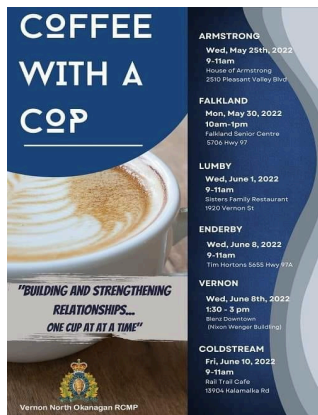
Officer in Charge

POLICING ACTIVITY REPORT ~ 2nd Quarter 2022

The Vernon North Okanagan Detachment continues to focus on the priorities of Enhanced Public Safety, Community Connections and Road Safety. To support our plan, we have implemented various initiatives including prolific and priority offender management, increased police visibility and traffic enforcement. One method used to track our performance is to compare crime statistics with the same quarter from the previous year. Featured at the end of the report is a statistical sampling of the 15 most commonly reported Crime Codes that have the greatest impact on communities for each specific area. The statistics reflect monthly totals for April to June 2022 with comparisons from the same quarter of the previous year. This report is a synopsis of some of the recent investigations conducted by the Vernon North Okanagan Detachment and does not reflect all the tasks our police officers are working on, nor does it include information that could impact the integrity of ongoing police investigations.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

During this quarter the Vernon North Okanagan Detachment was able to take part in various community events. Visits from area pre-school groups allowed us to interact with young children, speak about safety and show off our police vehicles. The Vernon North Okanagan Detachment also attended the Chamber of Commerce Expo held in April at Kal Tire Place.



COFFEE WITH A COP

ARMSTRONG
Wed, May 25th, 2022
9-11am
Head of Armstrong
2510 Pleasant Valley Blvd

FALKLAND
Mon, May 30, 2022
10am-1pm
Falkland Senior Centre
5706 Hwy 97

LUMBY
Wed, June 1, 2022
9-11am
Sisters Family Restaurant
1920 Vernon St

ENDERBY
Wed, June 8, 2022
9-11am
Tim Hortons 6555 Hwy 97A

VERNON
Wed, June 8th, 2022
1:30 - 5 pm
Brazo Downtown
(Main Theater Building)

COLDSTREAM
Fri, June 10, 2022
9-11am
Ball Field Cafe
1926 Isalmalika Rd

Vernon North Okanagan RCMP

"BUILDING AND STRENGTHENING RELATIONSHIPS... ONE CUP AT A TIME"

In May and June frontline officers from the Vernon North Okanagan Detachment took part in Coffee with a Cop. This was an opportunity to interact with community members in a casual setting and discuss a variety of topics, including proactive work being undertaken by the police and questions or concerns from the public. These events occurred in Vernon, Coldstream, Lumby, Armstrong, Enderby and Falkland.



We were excited to be able to bring back our annual Jean Minguy Memorial RCMP Youth Academy which took place between May 8th and 14th, involving a total of 27 youth from around the Okanagan. These youth took part in a week long exposure to police skills, presentations, activities and scenario based training, concluding with a formal graduation ceremony in which family of the graduates and dignitaries attended.



VERNON/COLDSTREAM

OPERATIONS

The table below highlights the total number of calls for service with Criminal Code offences and property crime extracted for the 2nd quarter as well as the cumulative number for year to date.

Category	Vernon				Coldstream				Vernon Rural			
	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021
Calls for Service	5072	-4.6%	9545	-2.5%	391	-8.4%	675	-11.7%	406	-10.1%	781	-8.1%
Criminal Code	1493	+2.9%	2894	+5.8%	82	-10.8%	153	-5%	70	-1.4%	128	-19%
Property Offences	873	+6.6%	1699	+3.8%	51	+8.5%	91	+3.4%	47	+11.9%	83	-14.4%

The below table indicates the total charges forwarded to Vernon Crown Counsel, total prisoners held in the Vernon cell block and total interventions by the Vernon North Okanagan Police Dog Service. The Vernon North Okanagan Detachment continues to track files associated to the street entrenched population; “SEPTA” is an acronym for ‘Street Entrenched Policing Target Analysis’ type files.

Category	Vernon/Coldstream	
	Q2	Year to Date
Charges Forwarded	412	1043
Prisoners	298	608
PDS Interventions	18	32
SEPTA Files	266	475

Recognizing that calls for service encompass both calls from the public, which frontline officers are dispatched to, as well as the self-generated work completed by the officers in support of enhanced public safety initiatives, Superintendent Baher has extracted the two categories from the total calls for service. The below graph outlines total dispatch calls and total self-generated calls for the 2nd quarter of 2022 with a comparison for the previous year for the area of Vernon/Coldstream.

Vernon / Coldstream		
2 nd Quarter (April to June)		
2021	Dispatched Calls	6199
2022	Dispatched Calls	5869
2021	Self Generated Calls	718
2022	Self Generated Calls	753

FRONT LINE POLICING

Vernon

On April 6th frontline officers attended an elementary school in the 5800 block of Silver Star Road to a report of a break and enter in progress. Police located and arrested a 19 year old Vernon man inside. This man was charged with break and enter, being in possession of instruments for the purpose of breaking into a place and mischief. This matter is currently before the courts.

On April 8th police attended to a report of a collision between a vehicle and cyclist near the intersection of Pottery Road and Kalamalka Lake Road. The cyclist was struck by an SUV causing a 52 year old Vernon man to be ejected from his bike. The cyclist was declared deceased at hospital. No charges were recommended through the investigation as the cyclist was determined to be at fault.

On April 12th frontline officers attended the mailboxes on Mashie Crescent to a report of a suspicious vehicle. Police attended and located a man and woman inside a vehicle in possession of stolen property, including mail. A 29 year old female from Quesnel and a 37 year old male from Penticton were arrested and held for court. Both were charged with theft of mail and possession of stolen property. The 29 year old female was also charged with possessing break in instruments. This matter is currently before the court.

On April 18th police received a report of a robbery in Linear Park in which a male had personal items stolen after being assaulted and bear sprayed. Two suspects were reported to be involved. This file remains under investigation.

On April 20th a witness reported seeing someone drive to and break open the mail boxes in the 4300 block of 19th Avenue. Police attended and were able to locate the vehicle reported to be involved. When police attempted to stop the vehicle it failed to stop, fleeing at a high rate of speed. A licence plate was obtained and this file remains under investigation.

On April 28th while conducting proactive patrols on Okanagan Landing Road a front line officer located a vehicle which did not have operational tail lights on the trailer being towed. The vehicle was stopped. Through investigation police were able to determine that the driver was breaching his probation. A 41 year old Salmon Arm man was arrested and held for court. This man has been charged with two counts of fail to comply with a probation order and one count of fail to comply with a condition of a release order.

On May 3rd frontline officers attended the 4000 block of 34th Street to a report of someone who had been assaulted by a weapon. A victim reported being bear sprayed after trying to get a suspect to stop breaking in to parked vehicles. Unfortunately, police were unable to identify a suspect.

On May 4th police received a report of a young person suffering a mental health crisis, who had climbed to the top of a building in the 2900 block of 28th Avenue. After three hours police, including a Crisis Negotiator, were able to communicate with the girl and employed crisis intervention and de-escalation tactics to prevent her from harming herself. She was apprehended under the Mental Health Act and taken back to hospital for assessment.

On May 11th frontline officers received a report of a suspicious man holding a chainsaw in the 1600 block of Deleenheer Road, who had damaged property and uttered a threat to a witness. Police attended and located the man, who was arrested and held in custody for court. A 38 year old Vernon man has been charged with theft under \$5000, mischief and uttering threats. This matter is currently before the courts.

On May 20th police attempted to check a vehicle with a stolen licence plate that was stopped in the 3200 block of 25th Avenue. The driver of the vehicle attempted to flee and, using his vehicle, collided with the officers' vehicle and then attempted to flee on foot. Police were able to catch up with and arrest a 30 year old Vernon man. This man has been charged with failing to stop for police, driving while prohibited, obstruction, possessing counterfeit currency, mischief in excess of \$5000 and possession of stolen property.

On June 23rd police attended to a report of a break and enter at a residence in the 8000 block of Beachcomber Bay. Upon attendance police located a man inside the locked bathroom of the residence. A 40 year old Vernon man was arrested and held in custody to appear in court. He faces a charge of break and enter to a dwelling house and committing an offence of mischief therein.

Enhanced Foot Patrols:

Throughout May and June frontline officers of the Vernon North Okanagan Detachment conducted week day foot patrols in the downtown area of Vernon. This included speaking with property owners, attending local businesses, speaking with the street entrenched population and enforcement. An example of some of the enforcement actions that were undertaken include:

On May 19th, while conducting foot patrols in Vernon, police encountered a male who was smoking marijuana in public. He was issued a violation ticket under the Cannabis Control and Licensing Act.

On June 1st, while conducting foot patrols, police located a 26 year old male in Justice Park who was wanted on an outstanding warrant. He was arrested and later released on a future court date.

Coldstream

On May 2nd police responded to a report of an assault with a weapon in the 15000 block of Kalamalka Road. Through investigation it was determined that a victim had been stabbed. Police were able to locate a male suspect who was arrested and held in custody to appear in court. A 28 year old man has been charged with assault with a weapon. This matter is currently before the courts.

On May 4th frontline officers attended to a report of a suspicious person in the 13000 block of Kalamalka Lake Road. Through investigation it was determined that a man was breaching his court ordered conditions by attending an area he was ordered not to attend. Police located the suspect who was arrested. A 28 year old man was charged with two counts of breaching a release order.

On May 11th police received a report of an impaired driver who had left the 1400 block of Ponderosa Way. Police attended, located and stopped the suspect vehicle. The driver refused to provide a breath sample after receiving the breath demand. He received a 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition, his vehicle was towed and he received a violation ticket for failing to produce a drivers licence under the Motor Vehicle Act.

On May 17th frontline officers received a report of a traffic hazard at Highway 97 near Bailey Road. Police attended and located a vehicle that was inoperable, determined that the driver of the vehicle was to be served with a driving prohibition and that the vehicle was uninsured. The driver was issued a violation ticket under the Motor Vehicle Act for not having insurance and the vehicle towed.

On May 25th a homeowner reported an attempted break and enter to a residence in the 1200 block of Kinloch Drive. Frontline officers attended and seized evidence for further forensic examination. This file remains under investigation.

On May 26th frontline officers attended to a report of a break and enter to a residence in the 7500 block of McClounie Road. The homeowner stated that an unknown man had entered his residence and, when confronted, departed. With the assistance of a police service dog a suspect was located, arrested and held in custody to appear in court. A 32 year old Prince George man has been charged with numerous offences including break and enter, trespassing and breaching a release order. This matter is currently before the courts.

On June 14th police attended a single vehicle collision on Highway 97 where a vehicle was reported to have struck a meridian. Through investigation it was determined that the driver of the vehicle was prohibited from driving. The driver was released with a future court date and received a violation ticket for no drivers licence under the Motor Vehicle Act.

GENERAL INVESTIGATION SECTION

The following is a synopsis of some of the recent investigations conducted by the General Investigation Section and does not reflect all the tasks the officers are working on, nor does it include information which could impact ongoing police investigations.

Serious Crime Unit (SCU)

The Serious Crime Unit investigates serious person victim crimes including homicide. This unit consists of a Corporal and four Constables. The Serious Crime Unit continues to conduct follow up investigation on previous files as well as assisting with other complex investigations during this quarter. Following are some of the investigations the Serious Crime Unit conducted this past quarter:

On January 5th the Vernon SCU assumed conduct of an investigation into a murder that occurred in downtown Vernon. This investigation remained ongoing through the second quarter.

On May 26th the Vernon SCU members were asked to assist with an investigation into what initially appeared to be a suspicious death. Through the investigation, Vernon SCU members and the BC Coroners service were able to determine the death was as the result of an overdose.

On May 30th a Vernon SCU officer assisted the Southeast District Major Crime Unit with an investigation into a murder that had occurred on Six Mile Creek Road, Vernon. The Vernon SCU officer arrested the murder suspect in Vernon. The suspect was remanded into custody and is awaiting trial. This investigation is being managed by the Southeast District Major Crime Unit, as the offence occurred outside of the city limits.

On June 3rd the Vernon SCU assumed conduct of an investigation into a murder that occurred in the 5300 block of 25th Avenue in Vernon, BC. This investigation remains ongoing.

On June 29th a member of Vernon SCU assisted with an investigation into a possible planned sexual assault of a female. The plan had been communicated, via the internet, to the complainant who in turn reported the plan to police. The Vernon SCU member arrested the suspect, obtained a warned statement from the suspect and helped with the search of the suspect's residence.

Special Victim Unit (SVU)

The Special Victim Unit investigates crimes relating to vulnerable victims. The SVU is comprised of a Corporal and two Constables who are responsible for high-risk investigations relating to domestic violence, sex crimes and missing persons. During this quarter the SVU has assisted front line officers with

obtaining child interviews, investigating sexual offences with child victims and submitting a breach charge on a prolific domestic violence offender.

Domestic Violence Unit (DVU)

With high-risk intimate partner violence investigations, the Domestic Violence Unit provides assistance to frontline investigators, conducts file reviews as well as facilitates Integrated Case Assessment Team (ICAT) meetings to support the victim through the process. During this quarter, the DVU investigator continued to monitor and provide support for eight ICAT files, forwarded multiple breach of probation and release order charges against a high risk domestic violence offender, assisted frontline officers with high risk domestic violence investigations and investigated or provided assistance for sexual offence files involving children.

Sex Crimes

During this quarter, the Sex Crimes unit received information from the BC Integrated Child Exploitation Unit (BC ICE) of six separate reports of possession of child pornography. Each investigation requires a significant amount of time to complete production orders, execute search warrants and, where the evidence supports, prepare charge packages for Crown Counsel.

Missing Persons

The Missing Person coordinator provides support and guidance to front line officers on high risk missing person investigations. The Corporal supervisor is responsible to monitor all missing person investigations daily for quality assurance and provide follow up action as necessary.

During this quarter the Missing Person coordinator investigated a historical missing person file leading to the person being located in Merritt.

TARGETED POLICING

In an effort to continue to work closely with partner agencies and stakeholders, the Targeted Policing Unit met regularly with numerous partner agencies including Interagency, Community Outreach and Mentally Disordered Offenders.

During this reporting period Targeted Policing worked six shifts together to conduct enforcement and enhance police presence in identified problem areas, including streets around the downtown core of Vernon, Linear Park, Polson Park, Justice Park, Highway 6 and homeless camps at the north end of Vernon. Numerous investigations were completed relating to open drug use, drug possession, driving offences, weapons possession and arrest warrant executions. The following are some examples of the success of this initiative:

- 15 files generated where drugs or drug paraphernalia were seized;
- 3 files generated for offences under the Motor Vehicle Act;
- 12 files generated for the execution of arrest warrants;
- Seizure of weapons such as a bb gun, bear spray, knives and carbon fibre knuckles;
- Investigations into prohibited driving, possession of a controlled substance for the purpose of trafficking and firearms possession.

The following investigations of interest were completed as part of this initiative:

On May 4th, officers stopped a vehicle of persons associated to drug trafficking. This investigation led to the seizure of large quantities of cash, cocaine, fentanyl and methamphetamine.

On May 5th, officers stopped a vehicle of persons associated to drug trafficking leading to the arrest of one man on a warrant and the seizure of over 1500 fentanyl pills.

On May 6th, officers conducted a traffic stop of persons associated to a drug trafficking residence. The investigation led to the arrest and charges of two people for possession of a stolen vehicle, possession of drugs for the purpose of trafficking and possession of a semi automatic handgun.

On May 26th, officers located and arrested a male wanted for assault. Further investigation led to charges of possession of fentanyl and methamphetamine for the purpose of trafficking.

Drug Section

During this quarter, Drug Section participated in joint enforcement with the Crime Reduction Unit and completed the following investigations of interest:

In May, Drug Section officers completed an investigation into a drug trafficking group with the arrest of three subjects and execution of one residential search warrant. Investigation resulted in seizure of a large quantity of cash, over five ounces of fentanyl and over 18 ounces of cocaine. All three arrested subjects face drug trafficking charges.

In June, Drug Section officers completed an investigation into drug trafficking. This investigation resulted in the seizure of fentanyl and cocaine packaged for street level trafficking. The subject is facing drug trafficking charges.

Crime Reduction Unit (CRU)

The Crime Reduction Unit encompasses the plainclothes investigators in the Prolific Offender Unit and uniformed officers in Downtown Enforcement Unit. CRU performs a significant role in the biweekly comparative statistics meeting where emerging crime trends, hot spots of criminal activity, problem premises, priority prolific offenders and social chronic offenders are identified and tasks are assigned to various units to help reduce crime.

In April, CRU investigated a person suspected of drug trafficking from a scooter. The investigation resulted in the seizure of a large quantity of cash, approximately half an ounce of fentanyl, over two ounces of cocaine and half an ounce of methamphetamine.

Prolific Offender

A Prolific Offender is identified as an adult or youth offender with an established pattern of persistent Criminal Code and/or Controlled Drugs and Substances Act offenders, identified by current intelligence to be criminally active and assessed by police and partner agencies as medium to high risk to re-offend. These offenders reside within our detachment area and are capable of causing a disproportionate amount of crime in the community. At the conclusion of this reporting period there are 17 Prolific Offenders identified for monitoring in the Vernon North Okanagan. Of those, ten are currently in custody and seven are not in custody. The seven not in custody reside in Vernon.

Downtown Enforcement

During this reporting period the Downtown Enforcement Unit (DEU) liaised with the street entrenched population, provided referral information and conducted enforcement action. During the course of their duties, DEU executed 57 warrants of arrest and recommended 14 investigations for charge approval.

Opioid Pilot Project

The Opioid Pilot Project commenced on December 8th, 2018, to improve service for people suffering from addiction issues, which often lead to their involvement in criminal behaviour. Partnered with Interior Health, Mental Health and Substance Service and the BC Centre for Disease Control, the Vernon North Okanagan RCMP offer Naloxone kits to those at risk of overdose. In addition, frontline officers provide

referral to and information regarding local harm reduction services. The goal of the project is to save lives and reduce crime associated to addiction. This pilot project is in the process of being brought to the communities of Enderby and Armstrong.

Month	Card given	Referral made	Video shown	Kit provided
April	22	5	2	33
May	71	11	0	61
June	63	7	0	64
Total (Quarter)	156	23	2	158
Year to Date	305	77	5	311

NORTH OKANAGAN RURAL

OPERATIONS

The below tables are the total number of calls for service with Criminal Code offences and property crime extracted for the 2nd quarter of 2022.

Category	Armstrong				Spallumcheen				Enderby			
	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021
Calls for Service	275	-2.4%	503	-7.8%	369	-4.6%	673	+1.6%	544	-4.5%	1065	+8.5%
Criminal Code	63	-41.1%	143	-26.6%	50	-47.3%	113	-28.9%	129	-29.1%	245	-18.9%
Property Offences	38	+8.5%	87	+36%	21	-40%	54	-10%	54	-8.47%	112	-4.4%

Category	Falkland				Lumby				Westside			
	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021	Q2	(+/-) % 2021	Year to Date	(+/-) % 2021
Calls for Service	106	+9.2%	239	+38.9%	271	-7.8%	482	-8.1%	298	+39.9%	510	+30.1%
Criminal Code	9	-59%	29	-23.6%	45	-47.6%	84	-40%	52	-5.4%	97	-19.8%
Property Offences	4	-42%	13	N/C	22	-35.2%	43	-15.6%	28	+180%	54	+80%

Below is a table of the total charges forwarded to Vernon and Salmon Arm Crown Counsel, the total prisoners held in the North Okanagan cellblock and the Police Dog Service intervention.

Category	North Okanagan	
	Q2	Year to Date
Charges Forwarded	62	116
Prisoners	39	92
PDS Interventions	8	9

FRONT LINE POLICING

Armstrong

On April 27th frontline officers responded to a report of a collision involving a vehicle and pedestrian near York Avenue and Okanagan Street. It was determined that a female had been struck while crossing the street. A violation ticket was issued to the driver of the vehicle for failing to yield to a pedestrian under the Motor Vehicle Act.

On May 23rd police received a report of an alarm at a business in the 2500 block of Pleasant Valley Boulevard. Through investigation it was determined that the business had been broken into. Items stolen included rifle scopes, replica firearms, an air rifle, knife sets and ammunition. Unfortunately, a suspect could not be identified.

On May 26th frontline officers stopped a vehicle on Highway 97A and Rosedale Avenue after several reports of erratic driving. Through investigation it became evident that the driver was impaired by drug use. A 24 hour driving prohibition and violation ticket for not having a valid licence was issued under the Motor Vehicle Act.

On May 29th police stopped a vehicle near Pleasant Valley Boulevard and Okanagan Street. A mandatory approved screening device breath demand was made, which the driver refused. After numerous attempts to obtain a breath sample the driver was issued a 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition and 30 day vehicle impoundment.

Enderby

On April 16th police responded to a report of an all terrain vehicle accident on the Cooke Creek Forest Service Road. Investigators learned that two men had left an area campground for an ATV ride when their vehicle went off road and rolled down an embankment. Unfortunately one of the occupants, a 27 year old Vernon man, was found deceased at the location.

On April 27th frontline officers executed a Controlled Drugs and Substances Act search warrant at a residence in the 2700 block of Canyon Road. Items were seized to support this investigation which is ongoing.

On May 20th while patrolling Canyon Road a frontline officer conducted a traffic stop with a parked vehicle. Through investigation, it was determined that the driver's ability to operate the vehicle was impaired by alcohol. It was also determined that the driver was prohibited from operating a motor vehicle. A 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition was issued to the driver along with a 30 day vehicle impoundment. The driver was also issued an Appearance Notice with a future court date.

On May 28th police received a report of someone lighting fires to trees and bushes on Highway 97A near Danforth Road. Police located a suspect who was arrested for arson and held for a future court date. A 44 year old Kelowna woman was charged with intentionally or recklessly causing damage by fire or explosion to property. This matter is currently before the court.

Falkland

On May 2nd police received a report of a potential arson in the Douglas Lake Road area. Frontline officers attended the area in an attempt to locate a suspect reported to be starting fires in the area. The suspect was not located at the time and this file remains under investigation.

On May 7th while conducting enforcement on Highway 97 near Madeline Lake Road police observed a vehicle traveling at a high rate of speed. The vehicles' speed was measured at 137 km/h in a posted 90 km/h zone. The vehicle was stopped, the driver issued a violation ticket for excessive speeding under the Motor Vehicle Act and their vehicle impounded for seven days.

On May 14th police attended to a report of a collision on Highway 97 near Pinaus Lake Road. Through investigation it was determined that the driver and passenger were on court ordered conditions not to be together. The passenger was arrested and a subsequent search located drugs. A 42 year old Kamloops man has been charged with breaching a Probation Order and possessing a controlled substance. This matter is currently before the courts.

Lumby

On April 10th frontline officers were called to assist with a situation involving a man in a mental health crisis threatening to harm himself, who was believed to have a firearm and had barricaded himself inside a building. The Southeast District Emergency Response Team and Police Dog Service Team were deployed. With the assistance of a police service dog the man was safely taken into custody, apprehended under the Mental Health Act and transported to a hospital for further assessment.

On April 14th a frontline officer was conducting radar speed enforcement on Highway 6 near Dure Meadow Road. A vehicle was observed to be travelling at a high rate of speed, measured at 120 km/h in a posted 80 km/h zone. The vehicle was stopped, the driver issued a violation ticket for excessive speeding under the Motor Vehicle Act and their vehicle impounded for seven days.

On April 30th a frontline officer conducted a traffic stop with a vehicle on Shuswap Avenue. Through investigation, it was determined that the driver's ability to operate their vehicle was impaired by alcohol. The driver was issued a 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition, their vehicle impounded and a violation ticket issued for no drivers licence and illegal use of an auxiliary lamp under the Motor Vehicle Act.

Spallumcheen

On April 3rd police responded to a report of a collision on Highway 97A and McLeod Road involving a motorcycle and SUV. The operators of the motorcycle received serious injuries requiring one of them to be transported by helicopter to hospital. The highway was closed while the investigation was conducted. The driver of the SUV was issued a violation ticket for driving without due care and attention under the Motor Vehicle Act.

On May 2nd a frontline officer was conducting traffic enforcement on Highway 97A near Greenhow Road when a vehicle was observed driving at a high rate of speed. The officer determined that the vehicle was driving at 153 km/h in a 100 km/h posted zone. The vehicle was stopped, a violation ticket issued for excessive speeding under the Motor Vehicle Act and the vehicle impounded.

On May 5th a frontline officer observed a SUV towing a travel trailer on Highway 97A near Greenhow Road. The officer was aware that the travel trailer had been reported stolen from Kelowna a few days prior. The driver of the SUV was arrested and through further investigation it was determined that the driver was also breaching court ordered conditions. A 36 year old Alberta man has been charged with numerous counts of possessing stolen property and one count of failing to comply with a release order. This matter is currently before the courts.

Westside

On April 13th frontline officers received a report of an assault with a weapon on Irish Creek Road. Prior to police attendance at the residence the suspect had departed. The victim was transported to hospital for treatment of non-life threatening injuries. A 31 year old OKIB South man has been charged with assault, assault causing bodily harm and forcible confinement. There is currently a warrant outstanding for this man.

On April 24th police attended the Terrace Mountain Forest Service Road near La Casa Resort alongside North Westside Fire Department for a report of a suspicious fire. An investigation was conducted at the scene and remains ongoing.

On May 18th police received a report of a female who wanted to harm herself in the 11000 block of Westside Road. Police attended along with a police service dog as the female had departed the area. The female was located, apprehended under the Mental Health Act and transported to hospital for further assessment.

On June 1st a frontline officer conducted a traffic stop with a vehicle near Westside Road and Komasket Road. Through investigation it was determined that the driver's ability to operate was impaired by alcohol. The driver was issued a 90 day Immediate Roadside Prohibition and their vehicle impounded for 30 days.

GENERAL INVESTIGATION SECTION

The following is a synopsis of some of the recent investigations conducted by the Rural General Investigation Section and does not reflect all the tasks the two officers are working on, nor does it include information that could affect ongoing police investigations.

In April the Rural General Investigation Section conducted an investigation into a breach of probation order and arrested a suspect in a shooting that occurred in the Lumby area in 2019.

In May the Rural General Investigation Section assisted the Southeast District Major Crime unit with a homicide that occurred on Six Mile Creek Road.

TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT

North Okanagan Rural

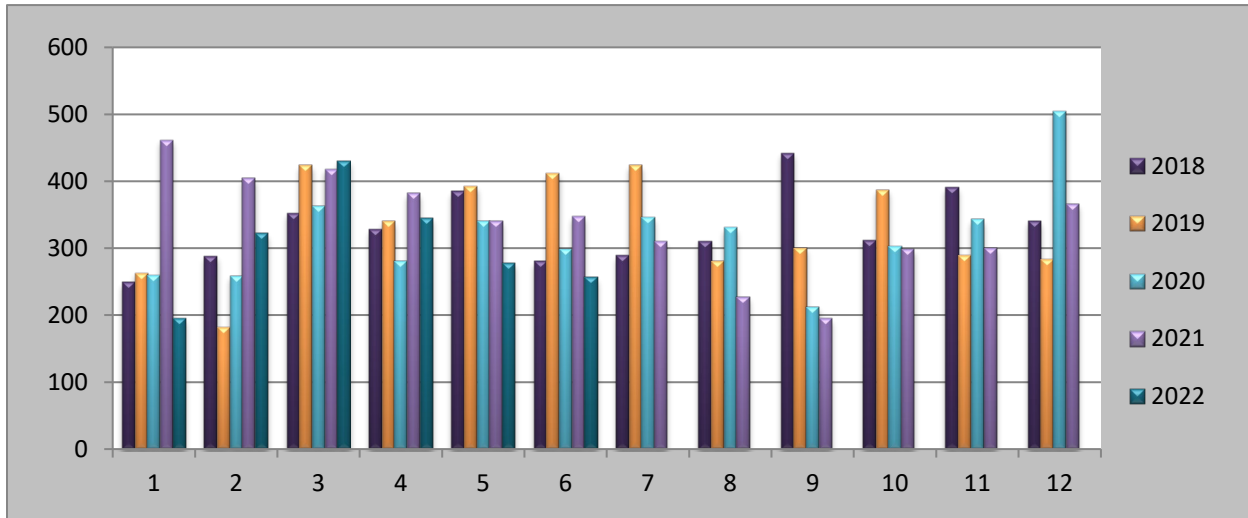
- Road Check Stops: 3
- Impaired Drivers taken off the road by way of suspension or charge: 32
- Distracted Driver Charge: 0

Area	Violation Ticket	Warning	Year to Date
Armstrong	40	26	56 (VT) / 61 (Warn)
Enderby	22	13	40 (VT) / 26 (Warn)
Falkland	17	10	24 (VT) / 25 (Warn)
Lumby	42	115	58 (VT) / 161 (Warn)
Spallumcheen	89	18	158 (VT) / 38 (Warn)
Westside	11	17	19 (VT) / 36 (Warn)

Vernon/Coldstream

- Road Check Stops: 0
- Impaired Drivers taken off the road by way of suspension or charge: 24
- Distracted Driver Charge: 0

Area	Violation Ticket	Warning	Year to Date
Vernon	312	405	638 (VT) / 830 (Warn)
Coldstream	40	89	90 (VT) / 194 (Warn)
Vernon Rural	7	1	19 (VT) / 14 (Warn)



This graph depicts the total traffic enforcement (Tickets and Warnings) results for the Vernon, Coldstream & Vernon Rural area.

FORENSIC IDENTIFICATION SECTION

The Vernon North Okanagan Integrated Forensic Identification Section (IFIS) is operating with three members in a full time rotation (2 specialists and 1 apprentice). During the second quarter, IFIS provided investigative assistance for 31 files, identified 10 fingerprints and supplied 27 preliminary associations. As well IFIS collected 94 friction ridge impressions, 7 footwear impressions, 30 DNA swabs and 2 tire impressions.

Call for Service	Vernon/Coldstream	North Rural
Break and Enter	5	3
Theft over \$5000	0	0
Theft under \$5000	0	0
Theft from Vehicle	2	0
Theft of Vehicle	0	0
Mischief	1	1
Possession of Stolen Property	5	8
Homicide	1	1
Robbery	0	0
Firearms Offences	0	0
Assault	1	0
Arson	1	0
Drug Offences	1	0
Other offences	1	1
Total	18	14

Vernon FIS Calls for Service encompass Vernon, Vernon Rural and Coldstream.

The North Rural calls for service include Armstrong, Enderby, Falkland, Lumby & Westside.

POLICE DOG SERVICE (PDS)

The Vernon Police Dog Service consists of two handlers and their police dogs, Hawkes and Jagger. New puppy, Pebbles, continues to be raised by a Vernon North Okanagan Detachment member. Over the past quarter, these valuable teams provided assistance to the frontline, conducting tracks for suspects and searching for items. In total, PDS had 18 calls for service and successfully located four individuals in Vernon. This quarter PDS assisted with break and enter investigations, suicidal persons, missing persons and homicides.



RESERVE CONSTABLE PROGRAM

Currently, the Reserve Constables program at the Vernon North Okanagan detachment has five participants who provide a variety of functions. These experienced police officers provide assistance with traffic enforcement, coverage for personnel shortages in front line policing and FIS and crime scene security, as required.

AREA	PATROLS	VIOLATION TICKET	WARNING	Year to Date
Vernon	24	109	43	53 Patrols / 270 VT / 121 Warn
Coldstream	22	34	72	49 Patrols / 88 VT / 160 Warn

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER

The School Resource Officer is an effective part of the School District 22 team, collaborating with teachers, administrators, parents, students and other community partners to enhance safety and security in our schools. During this quarter School Resource Officer, Constable Horne, liaised with School District 22 on suspension hearings, no trespass orders and provided guidance for school level issues. Constable Horne also planned and organized this years' Jean Minguy Memorial RCMP Youth Academy, arranging for delivery of material, presenters and the graduation. In total 27 youth from around the Okanagan attended and took part in this week long camp.

COMMUNITY POLICING

Community Safety Office

The volunteers of the Community Safety Office assisted 1234 members of the public, fielded 169 phone calls and returned 290 Police Information Checks. The following programs and initiatives were undertaken during this quarter:

- A total of 438 hours were undertaken by volunteers between April and June 2022.
- A total of 1260 entries were made into the pawn program data base as part of Operation Cat's Paw.
- The Folks on Spokes PEER Outreach worker, Clean Team, and Ambassador Team were trained and began working in April. 20 PEER's from throughout the community were trained.

- The Anti Tag Team were hired and began working in late May. Their role is to document incidents of unwanted tagging and graffiti and work with property and business owners to remediate the problem. 1370 incidents of unwanted graffiti and tagging were documented.
- Volunteers also participated in the annual Jean Minguy Memorial RCMP Youth Academy.

Community education included a bike safety and skills rodeo at Ecole Beairsto, internet safety at Mara House, personal safety to the Cubs and Outreach Services and Culturally Safe Naloxone kits alongside the Indigenous Policing Services to the OKIB. One Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design Audit was requested by victim's assistance.

Vernon RCMP Volunteers

During this past quarter, the 32 volunteers participated in 1558 hours with the Vernon RCMP Volunteer Program. The volunteers drove 4831 kilometers, worked 65 vehicle patrol shifts, issued 82 Crime Prevention Notices for expired insurance decals and conducted 49 speed watch operations, targeting 12634 vehicles to slow down. In addition, volunteers completed 15 cell watch deployments and eight marine vessel safety pre-check and invasive mussel operations. Volunteers also took part as actors in the Jean Minguy RCMP Memorial Youth Academy and were recognized for their 2021 milestones with a volunteer recognition event. There are currently 86 active Block Watches in Vernon.

VICTIM SERVICES

On March 1st Archway Society was awarded a contract for taking over the role of Victim Services for the Vernon North Okanagan Detachments. Currently there are two Victim Services employees working from the Lumby Detachment with one more position in the process of being filled. Victim Services continue to be supported by Kamloops and Archway's community based victim services.

HUMAN RESOURCES

Established Levels

Vernon North Okanagan Detachment is currently at 103 Regular Members: 56 City of Vernon; 30 Provincial; 4 City of Armstrong; 7 District of Coldstream; 4 Township of Spallumcheen, 1 Splants'in First Nation and 1 Okanagan Indian Band (OKIB).

Funded Levels

As of June 30th, 2022, the Vernon North Okanagan Detachment billed 55.9 City of Vernon; 26.11 Provincial; 3 City of Armstrong; 6.94 District of Coldstream; 4 Township of Spallumcheen, 1 Splants'in First Nation and 1 Okanagan Indian Band (OKIB).

QUARTERLY STATISTICS

The following pages contain the police statistics for the 2nd quarter of 2022, April to June, with a comparison for the same month of the previous year. The activity types selected are a sampling of the 15 most commonly reported Crime Codes which have the greatest impact on communities and provide police with valuable insight into crime activities and trends. Currently, there are over 700 Crime/Survey Codes utilized by Canadian policing agencies in the reporting of crime to the Canadian Centre for Justice in Ottawa.

2 nd Quarter Statistics – City of Vernon						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	1740	1450	1759	1698	1603	1740
Robbery	1	2	3	3	5	-
Assault (Includes DV)	50	36	37	56	41	65
Domestic Violence	9	9	11	17	12	12
Sex Offence	9	5	7	6	11	11
B&E Residence	7	3	6	8	4	10
B&E Commercial	7	12	16	9	6	9
Theft of Vehicle	23	6	6	10	9	11
Theft From Vehicle	64	43	60	45	34	39
Theft Over \$5000	4	-	3	4	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	85	94	89	94	78	112
Drug Offence	52	29	46	44	17	20
Liquor Offences	21	9	29	13	12	7
Impaired Driving	15	12	12	8	13	13
24 Hour Driving Suspension	11	1	15	4	8	1
Motor Vehicle Accidents	44	39	37	41	51	33

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Vernon Rural						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	150	101	132	125	134	149
Robbery	-	-	-	-	1	-
Assault (Includes DV)	5	3	4	1	2	1
Domestic Violence	4	1	1	1	1	-
Sex Offence	-	1	-	2	1	2
B&E Residence	1	-	-	2	1	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	-	2	1	3	1
Theft From Vehicle	4	5	3	2	3	1
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	2
Theft Under \$5000	1	3	3	2	3	3
Drug Offence	-	-	1	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	1	-	-	1	1	-
Impaired Driving	-	2	1	-	2	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	1	1	-	-	2	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	6	4	10	1	5	10

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Silver Star						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	2	7	5	4	9	8
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	-	-	-	-	1	-
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	-	-	1	1	-
Theft From Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	1	-	-	-	1	-
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impaired Driving	-	-	-	-	-	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	-	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	2	-	1	-	-

2 nd Quarter Statistics – District of Coldstream						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	119	94	134	149	143	137
Robbery	-	-	-	-	2	-
Assault (Includes DV)	2	2	5	3	3	2
Domestic Violence	-	1	-	1	1	-
Sex Offence	2	-	1	1	2	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	6	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	1	-	-	1	-
Theft of Vehicle	3	-	1	-	-	1
Theft From Vehicle	1	1	2	4	1	3
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	3
Theft Under \$5000	2	-	3	3	2	-
Drug Offence	-	-	1	-	4	1
Liquor Offences	1	-	-	-	4	-
Impaired Driving	1	2	-	3	1	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	3	-	-	-	1	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	1	-	4	3	5

2 nd Quarter Statistics – City of Armstrong NR4100 and NR4101						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	87	86	100	78	86	94
Robbery	1	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (includes DV)	5	5	1	1	4	3
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	2	1	1	-	1	1
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	1	1	-	-	1	3
Theft From Vehicle	3	1	3	-	2	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	2	2	4	-	7	6
Drug Offence	-	-	3	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	3	-	4	1	1	1
Impaired Driving	1	2	-	-	1	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	2	1	-	-	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	2	1	-	1	3

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Spallumcheen NR4200						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	108	102	151	108	117	130
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	3	1	1	3	2	4
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	1	2	-	1	1
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	1	1	1	1	2	-
Theft From Vehicle	1	-	7	1	-	1
Theft Over \$5000	-	1	-	1	5	-
Theft Under \$5000	3	5	2	2	1	1
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	1	-
Liquor Offences	3	-	-	-	1	-
Impaired Driving	6	2	4	1	2	4
24 Hour Driving Suspension	1	-	2	3	-	1
Motor Vehicle Accidents	5	4	4	7	6	11

2 nd Quarter Statistics – City of Enderby NR1200 and NR1201						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	83	73	121	116	100	124
Robbery	-	-	-	1	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	6	1	9	3	2	2
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	2	-	2	-	-	1
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	1	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	1	-	1	-	1	4
Theft From Vehicle	1	-	1	-	3	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	1	4	5	3	3	2
Drug Offence	-	1	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	5	2	4	3	1	-
Impaired Driving	-	-	1	1	2	2
24 Hour Driving Suspension	1	1	-	1	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	2	-	2	-	3

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Enderby Rural NR1202 to NR1204						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	102	65	99	62	75	75
Robbery	1	-	1	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	-	-	-	4	-	2
Domestic Violence	1	-	-	-	2	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	1	-	2	1	1	-
B&E Commercial	2	-	1	-	2	1
Theft of Vehicle	1	1	2	2	1	-
Theft From Vehicle	2	1	1	-	2	-
Theft Over \$5000	1	1	1	-	4	1
Theft Under \$5000	3	3	1	3	-	1
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	-	1
Impaired Driving	2	1	-	-	-	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	1	1	1
Motor Vehicle Accidents	6	-	2	1	3	1

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Village of Falkland NR1300 and NR1301						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	15	11	15	10	23	11
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	-	-	1	-	-	-
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	-	1	-	-	-
Theft From Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	1
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	-	-
Impaired Driving	-	-	-	1	1	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	-	1	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	1	1	-	-	-

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Falkland Rural NR1302 and NR1303						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	29	53	51	47	45	56
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	-	-	-	1	-	1
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	1	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	1	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	1	1	1	-	-
Theft From Vehicle	1	-	1	-	1	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	1	-	-	-	1
Theft Under \$5000	-	2	4	-	1	1
Drug Offence	-	-	-	1	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	1	-
Impaired Driving	-	-	1	-	-	1
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	-	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	3	3	5	-	1	1

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Village of Lumby NR1400 and NR1401						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	57	45	50	42	42	55
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	1	1	2	1	4	5
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	2	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft From Vehicle	-	-	3	-	1	-
Theft Over \$5000	2	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	-	-	1	-	-	1
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	2	-	-	-	-	2
Impaired Driving	-	-	-	-	2	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	1	1	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	-	1	-	-	-	-

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Lumby Rural NR1402 and NR1403						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	67	40	61	49	71	55
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	1	2	2	1	1	1
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	1	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	3	-	1	-	2	1
Theft From Vehicle	2	-	1	-	1	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	-	-	5	1	2	1
Drug Offence	-	-	-	1	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	1	-
Impaired Driving	1	1	-	-	1	3
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	-	1	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	5	3	4	2

2 nd Quarter Statistics – OKIB NR8000, NR8001, NR8101, NR8102						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	74	60	53	40	85	62
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	3	4	3	3	2	2
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	2	-	-	2	-	1
Theft From Vehicle	-	-	-	-	-	1
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	1	-	1	2	1	1
Drug Offence	-	1	-	-	1	-
Liquor Offences	1	-	1	-	2	-
Impaired Driving	1	-	-	-	2	2
24 Hour Driving Suspension	1	-	-	-	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	2	1	-	-	2	2

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Splatsin NR8100 and NR8200						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	35	40	43	34	34	41
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	2	1	5	1	2	3
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Commercial	1	-	-	-	2	-
Theft of Vehicle	1	-	-	-	-	1
Theft From Vehicle	-	-	1	-	1	-
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	1	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	-	1	-	-	-	1
Drug Offence	-	5	1	1	-	2
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	-	1	-
Impaired Driving	-	1	-	-	-	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	2	-	-	-	1
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	1	2	2	2	2

2 nd Quarter Statistics – Westside Rd NR1000						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	40	23	48	49	49	62
Robbery	-	-	-	-	-	-
Assault (Includes DV)	-	2	-	-	1	1
Domestic Violence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sex Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
B&E Residence	-	-	-	-	3	-
B&E Commercial	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft of Vehicle	-	-	-	3	-	-
Theft From Vehicle	-	1	1	-	1	1
Theft Over \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Theft Under \$5000	-	-	-	-	-	-
Drug Offence	-	-	-	-	-	-
Liquor Offences	-	-	-	1	-	-
Impaired Driving	-	-	-	-	1	-
24 Hour Driving Suspension	-	-	-	-	-	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	-	1	2	1	1

2 st Quarter Statistics – Spallumcheen Hwy 97/97A						
ACTIVITY TYPE	Apr 2021	Apr 2022	May 2021	May 2022	June 2021	June 2022
Total Files	17	13	25	22	24	27
Impaired Driving	1	-	-	1	-	1
24 Hour Suspension	-	-	1	1	-	-
Drug Offences	-	-	-	-	1	-
Motor Vehicle Accidents	1	2	2	-	2	5
Collision over \$10000	-	-	-	-	-	1
Collision non-fatal injury	-	-	1	-	1	2
Collision Fatal	-	-	-	-	-	-
Traffic moving offences	8	7	19	12	13	10
Driving Complaints	-	1	-	5	-	2
Liquor Offences	2	-	-	-	-	-