



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT

PERIOD: 12 Dec 16 to 18 Dec 16

EMBC Region	Search and Rescue			Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills	Motor Vehicle Incidents	Other (floods fire etc.)	General Enquiries and Info
	Air	Land	Inland Water				
Van Island	0	5	0	11	4	5	65
South West	0	7	0	28	9	7	71
Central	0	4	0	4	17	9	50
South East	0	3	0	6	12	3	50
North East	0	1	0	13	8	3	40
North West	0	0	0	7	8	1	31
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	1	307
Provincial Weekly Totals	0	20	0	69	58	29	614
Provincial Year to Date	32	1069	203	2701	1588	576	28059
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	Search and Rescue						

	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	176	6169
Protection Order Registry	103	5388
Problem Wildlife	391	26733
Wildlife Enforcement	76	6524

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 12 DEC 16 TO 18 DEC 16

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	EMBC REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# EMBC VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
12 15:11 161286	SEA	LAND	1	27	1			4 Creston SAR, 3 Cranbrook SAR, 6 Castlegar SAR and 10 Kimberley SAR members along with 4 PEP Air members responded to an RCMP request to search for a runaway overdose patient in Creston. SAR was stood down after RCMP received a creditable report of a sighting of the subject at a gas station in the area.
12 15:19 161287	SWE	LAND	2	5	2			5 North Shore Rescue members responded to assist hikers who were stuck at the helipad on Bowen Island due to snowfall. The Bowen Island Fire Dept found the subjects and escorted them out.
12 15:18 161288	CTL	LAND	1	15	1			11 Vernon SAR and 4 CORD SAR members responded following a Spot Beacon activation in the Graystoke Snowmobile area. A helicopter attempted to access the area but low fog did not allow its use. Members from both teams responded from opposite directions by snow machine and rescued the patient who was subsequently transferred to a BCAS crew for further assessment, treatment and transport.
14 09:59 161289	SWE	LAND	1	1	1			11 Squamish SAR members responded to rescue an injured heli skier in the Squamish Valley. SAR was stood down when the subjects contracted a helicopter company directly for extraction.
14 18:33 161290	CTL	LAND	1	18	1			18 Shuswap SAR members responded to search for snowmobiler 2 kms south of the Sicamous Chalet. The snowmobiler was located by members of the local snowmobile club and the SAR team was stood down.
14 19:14 161291	CTL	LAND	1	1	1			1 Princeton SAR member was called to rescue an overdue hunter off of Highway 3 A, near Keremeos. SAR was stood down prior to mustering when the subject was located by RCMP.
14 21:00 161292	SWE	LAND	1	17	1			17 Whistler SAR members responded to search for an "out-of-bounds" snowboarder on Whistler Mountain. The hypothermic patient was rescued by SAR members and transferred to the Whistler Medical Clinic.
15 13:46 161293	CTL	LAND	1	8	1			8 Vernon SAR members responded rescue a male suffering from a cardiac arrest in the Monashee Mountains, near Vernon. The subject was rescued, stabilized and transferred to BCAS at the Vernon Airport.
15 14:10 161294	NEA	LAND	2	14	2			8 North Peace SAR and 6 South Peace SAR members responded to rescue 2 subjects in a vehicle over an embankment at the Kiskatinaw Bridge and Highway 97, near Dawson Creek. The subjects were rescued and were both in good condition.
16 11:30 161295	SWE	LAND	1	10	1			10 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for a missing dementia patient in the area of Ketch Avenue in Abbotsford. SAR members found the subject unharmed.

16 13:10 161296	SWE	LAND		5				5 Pemberton SAR members responded to an 'Inreach' beacon signal from the Pemberton Glacier. SAR was stood down when the signal was confirmed to be a false activation and the subject was not in need of assistance.
16 15:00 161297	VIR	LAND	1	12	1			12 Campbell River SAR members responded to Marble River Provincial Park to assist a female hiker suffering an ankle injury. SAR successfully transferred the subject to BCAS.
17 16:16 161298	SWE	LAND	2	10	2			10 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue two stranded skiers in the Suicide Gully region of Mount Seymour in North Vancouver. SAR was stood down when the 2 subjects managed to make their own way out.
17 18:01 161299	VIR	LAND	4	22	4			12 Juan de Fuca SAR, 7 Cowichan SAR and 3 Metchosin SAR members responded to rescue 4 lost and injured hikers on the Boneyard Main, up the Bulter Main Line near Sooke. The subjects were located in good condition.
17 19:06 161300	SWE	LAND	1	10	1			10 Coquitlam SAR members responded to search for a female with mild dementia/Alzheimer's in the Grant Street area (Willingdon area) of Burnaby. The SAR team was stood down when the Vancouver Police located the subject in Vancouver.
18 01:22 161301	VIR	LAND	1	45		1		7 Alberni Valley Rescue, 9 Campbell River SAR, 3 Arrowsmith SAR and 26 Comox Valley SAR members responded to search for a missing kayaker in the Courtenay area. The kayaker was located deceased by the RCMP dive team.
18 13:07 161302	SEA	LAND	1	4	1			4 Revelstoke SAR members responded to assist BCAS with a male suffering a chest injury. SAR was stood down when BCAS were able to land and load the patient.
18 13:40 161303	VIR	LAND	2	14	2			14 Campbell River SAR members responded to search for a father and son that missing while out cutting firewood in the O'Connor Lake area near Port McNeill. The SAR team was stood down, when the subjects were rescued by a passer by, after they had driven their vehicle off the road.
18 17:11 161304	VIR	LAND	1	16	1			16 Juan de Fuca SAR members responded to assist a female and her dog that were overcome by darkness in Broomhill Park in Sooke. The subject was located alive and well and was escorted out by the SAR team.
18 19:33 161305	SEA	LAND	2	7	2			7 Revelstoke SAR members responded to search for 2 missing sledders on Boulder Mountain in the Sugar Bowl area. The subjects were located alive and well and were brought out by the SAR team. The subject's machines were down a gully and were left there.
WEEK TOTAL		20	27	261	26	1	0	ELT - 0
YEAR TO DATE		1305	1728	13940	1581	69	78	ELT - 33

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DANGEROUS GOODS

On 12 Dec, an incident was opened due to a sewer force main breaking in Kamloops at Lorne Street. The incident impacted up to 1000 homes and was still not under control as of an hour later. The Ministry of Environment Response Officer (MOE RO) raised the incident to Code 2 (urgent status).

On 16 Dec, a large water main ruptured at the Helmcken Road off-ramp on the Trans-Canada Highway, in View Royal. Both inbound lanes were shut down to the road affected while crews worked to repair the break. The Capital Regional District activated their EOC to monitor the situation and provide public information. The MOE RO raised the incident to Code 2 for notification purposes with an immediate downgrade.

On 17 Dec, a well site fire spread to condensate storage tanks causing one to explode and others to burn, at an oil field close to Braden Road, in the Peace River Regional District. Condensate water leaked from one of the tanks and berms were used to contain the material on the lease. One person suffered a minor injury and was sent to the hospital with slight burns and the remaining crew was evacuated. The Oil and Gas Commission and the MOE RO attended with the RCMP and an industrial fire fighting team was brought in to extinguish the fire. The incident was classified by OGC as a Level 2 incident and was raised to Code 2 (urgent status) by the MOE RO.

ENVIRONMENTAL

On 12 Dec, a task number was issued to the Thompson/Nicola Regional District due to localized flooding in the Dixon Creek Road area of Barriere.

On 13 Dec, a task number was issued to the Thompson/Nicola Regional District due to an ice jam on Cache Creek.

On 15 Dec, a task number was issued to Sicamous/Columbia Shuswap Regional District due to an ice jam on the Owl Head Creek near the Eagle River, east of Sicamous by Kerr Road.

On 15 Dec, a task number was issued to Prince George Fire Department for the activation of the EOC to Level 1 for an ice jam on the Nechako River near Prince George.

On 15 Dec, the EMBC Southeast PREOC was activated due to several ice jams, resulting in localized flooding, affecting several communities within the region.

On 16 Dec, the Fraser Fort George Regional District activated their EOC due to an ice jam on Canoe River with at least one residence affected.

On 18 Dec, the Thompson/Nicola Regional District advised that their EOC was activated due to a flooding event near 328 Bernard Road in Vavenby.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 12 Dec, 12 Nanaimo SAR members responded to assist BCAS with a dialysis patient off White Rapids Road in Nanaimo. The patient experienced shortness of breath, and the snowplow/grader was unable to reach him and BCAS crews were unable to respond. SAR accessed the patient with a UTV and brought them out to the BCAS crew.

On 16 Dec, a family of three with a 3 month old baby from Pitt Meadows was provided two night's accommodation due to a ruptured fire suppression water line in their condo building.

On 17 Dec, a task was issued to Tofino ESS in support of an evacuation of members from the Ahousaht First Nations in response to house fires and lack of water in the community.

On 18 Dec, the ESS team for Sparwood responded to the local hospital to provide emotional support after the hospital declared a code orange due to a large influx of patients from an MVI in the area.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
12 Dec 16	Merritt	1 Person
13 Dec 16	Kamloops	8 People
13 Dec 16	Burns Lake	3 People
13 Dec 16	Squamish	12 People
13 Dec 16	Richmond	4 People
15 Dec 16	Surrey	5 People
15 Dec 16	Pender Harbour	1 Person
15 Dec 16	Revelstoke	3 people
16 Dec 16	Courtenay	2 people
16 Dec 16	North Vancouver	3 people
16 Dec 16	North Vancouver	1 people
17 Dec 16	Vernon	1 people
17 Dec 16	Penticton	3 people
18 Dec 16	Armstrong	2 people
18 Dec 16	Cumberland	5 people