



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT

PERIOD: 3 Aug 15 to 9 Aug 15

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	4	0	22	3	3	45
South West	0	24	1	21	1	5	101
Central	0	3	5	4	13	3	50
South East	0	9	1	4	14	0	39
North East	0	5	0	6	10	0	43
North West	0	1	0	5	4	0	7
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	509
Provincial Weekly Totals	0	46	7	62	45	11	794
Provincial Year to Date	17	489	142	1347	680	315	15444
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	171	2990
Protection Order Registry	129	2531
Problem Wildlife	575	10030
Wildlife Enforcement	164	3000

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 3 AUG 15 TO 9 AUG 15

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
03 10:32 150597	NEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Robson Valley SAR members responded to a BCAS request for assistance with a man with a broken leg up from Whitehorn Campground on Berg Lake Trail. The patient was airlifted to a waiting ambulance and transferred to hospital.
03 11:13 150598	SWE	LAND	1	9	1			9 North Shore Rescue and Squamish SAR members responded to rescue an injured camper at Lake Lovely Water. The patient was flown out and handed over to BCAS for transport to hospital.
03 11:17 150599	SEA	LAND		8				8 Castlegar SAR members responded to investigate a possible vehicle over an embankment across from Broadwater Road in Robson. It was determined to be a white sheet strung up in the trees with some broken glass near by. The SAR team was stood down.
03 13:24 150600	SWE	LAND	1	14	1			14 Sunshine Coast SAR members responded to an RCMP request for assistance reaching a parachutist in a tree. The SAR team stood down when it was determined the subject was safe.
03 14:14 150601	SWE	LAND	1	11	1			11 Whistler and Pemberton SAR members responded to rescue an injured woman at 2160 meters on Ashira Peak. The patient was packaged by SAR members and transported out to the Whistler Airport and handed over to BCAS for treatment.
03 14:16 150602	CTL	LAND	1	8	1			8 Kamloops SAR members responded to locate a missing 3 year old girl in the Paul Lake Provincial Park and were stood down while mustering. The child was located in good condition.
03 14:17 150603	SEA	INLAND WATER	1	6			1	6 Fernie SAR members responded to search for a missing 14 year old swimmer that was last seen jumping into the waterway from the West Fernie Bridge. The SAR team was stood down shortly after searching the entire river when nothing was found.
03 14:27 150604	SWE	LAND	1	2	1			2 North Shore Rescue members responded to assist a distressed hiker on the Grouse Grind. The SAR team was stood down while mustering when the subject was assisted down the hill by passing hikers.
03 16:20 150605	SWE	LAND	4	18	4			10 Kent Harrison and 8 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a group of 4 teenagers from several hundred feet vertically up a cliff in the Harrison Hot Springs area. One of the subjects suffered head injuries from falling rocks but was conscious and alert. All 4 subjects were airlifted out via HETS and were transferred to a waiting BCAS crew.
03 17:48 150606	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Whistler SAR members responded to rescue a female hiker, suffering from abdominal pains on the Garibaldi Lake Trail near Taylor Meadows. The patient was airlifted using HETS and was brought to the Whistler Medical Clinic for treatment.
03 18:51 150607	SWE	LAND	3	1	3			1 Kent Harrison SAR member responded to search for 3 overdue climbers on Mt Clark near Chehalis Lake. BC Provincial Wildfire aircraft assets were

								requested to look for the subjects vehicle as the trail head was located within a wildfire area being fought by the BC Wildfire Service. The SAR team was stood down when it was learned the subjects had made it to their vehicle and were driving north to Pemberton.
03 20:30 150608	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Whistler SAR members responded to rescue an injured 78 year old hiker near the Singing Creek Campground on the Cheakamus Lake FSR. The subject was flown to safety and transported to the Whistler Medical Clinic for treatment.
03 21:04 150609	SWE	LAND	1	6	1			6 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue a female hiker, suffering chest pains, on the Grouse Grind. The patient was assessed, packaged and transported out to a waiting BCAS crew.
03 21:38 150610	SWE	LAND	4	12	4			9 Lions Bay SAR and 3 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue 2 injured hikers near The Lions above Lions Bay. Upon the teams arrival, 4 people required assistance, and all 4 were turned over to BCAS in good condition.
03 21:40 150611	SWE	LAND	4	9	4			9 Lions Bay SAR members responded to search for 4 lost hikers located somewhere in the Mt Brunswick/Magnesia Creek area. 3 subjects self rescued and one was assisted by the SAR team. All were in good condition.
04 04:52 150612	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	6		1		6 Shuswap Lifeboat 1 members responded to rescue an overdue swimmer in Mara Lake. The subject was recovered deceased by the RCMP dive team assisted by SAR, and was turned over to the Coroner.
04 11:07 150613	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Cranbrook SAR members responded to an injured mountain biker in the Cranbrook Community Forest. The patient was located and transferred to BCAS.
04 11:35 150614	NEA	LAND	1	4	1			4 Robson Valley SAR members responded to rescue occupant of a vehicle that had fallen 20 yards over a shale embankment. The subject was brought up the slope by the SAR team and was pass to BCAS for transport to hospital.
04 13:57 150615	VIR	LAND	1	11	1			11 Comox Valley SAR members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the Bear Bait Trail near Courtenay. The SAR team hiked in and packaged the patient who was brought out and passed to BCAS for transport to hospital.
04 19:10 150616	SEA	LAND	2	14	2			14 Columbia Valley SAR members responded to locate a group of lost hikers, one of which had sustained a head injury. The subjects were airlifted out and passed to a waiting BCAS crew, in fairly good shape.
04 19:06 150617	CTL	LAND	1	6	1			6 Lillooet Rescue members were cancelled while en route to rescue a fisherman who suffered a head injury at the confluence of the Bridge and Fraser Rivers.
05 12:23 150618	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	14	1			11 Penticton SAR and 3 Penticton Marine Rescue members responded to search for a missing 10 year old boy in Lackawanna Park. The SAR members and marine rescue members were stood down shortly after, when the boy was located on the beach, by RCMP Members.
05 15:03	NEA	LAND	5	3	5			3 Prince George SAR members responded to

150619								search for a tracked vehicle with five occupants missing in the Table River area. The subjects were located in good condition.
05 15:27 150620	NEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 North Peace and Fort Nelson SAR members responded to search for a missing hunter and his dog in the Peterson Creek area. The hunter was located in good condition and was subsequently interviewed by the RCMP
06 19:00 150621	VIR	LAND	1	18	1			18 Campbell River SAR members responded following a PLB activation south of Gold River. One subject was located and retrieved successfully with the help of the 442 Cormorant and SAR members.
06 10:03 150622	SWE	LAND	1	7	1			7 Lions Bay SAR members responded by helicopter to rescue a female with a knee injury on Howe Crest Sound Trail. The patient was airlifted out to the parking lot, treated by paramedics and released.
06 12:23 150623	CTL	INLAND WATER		5				5 Kamloops SAR members responded following a report of 4 boaters stranded on a riverbank south of Cache Creek. The boaters were not stranded and the SAR team returned to their base.
06 14:55 150624	VIR	LAND	1	8	1			8 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to rescue a 13 year old girl who had gone over the bank of the Lower Falls Trail in the Englishman River Provincial Park. The SAR members were stood down while en route when the local fire department personnel were able to rescue the subject.
06 14:51 150625	SEA	LAND	3	10	3			6 Cranbrook and 4 Kimberley SAR members responded to search for 3 missing berry pickers 20 km up Lamb Creek Road outside of Cranbrook. The SAR teams were stood down when the individuals were located by the RCMP.
06 18:15 150626	SWE	LAND	1	3	1			3 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for a despondent male on the north side of Mount Fromme in the North Vancouver area. The team was stood down when the individual was located by the RCMP in Vancouver.
06 18:44 150627	NEA	LAND	1	1	1			1 North Peace SAR member was stood down while mustering to respond to assist an injured zipliner in Fort St. John. The individual was rescued by people on scene.
06 19:09 150628	SEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 Cranbrook SAR members responded to search for a missing 16 year old quad rider at Tie Lake. The SAR team was stood down while mustering when the individual was located by family members .
06 21:25 150629	VIR	LAND	1	1	1			1 Nanaimo SAR member was stood down prior to mustering a team to search for a missing male with Downs Syndrome. The RCMP located the individual at the Nanaimo Ferry Terminal.
06 21:28 150630	SWE	LAND	2	22	2			22 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for a missing elderly couple with Alzheimer's in Abbotsford. Both subjects were located in good condition.
07 14:19 150631	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Sunshine Coast SAR members responded to rescue a 70 year old male who collapsed while hiking on the Skookumchuk Narrows Trail. The patient was brought out and passed to BCAS for transport.
07 15:06 150632	SWE	LAND	1	8		1		8 Squamish SAR members responded to search for a missing despondent male on The Chief. The male

								was located deceased, and was packaged and airlifted out to the landing zone where he was turned over to the RCMP and the Coroner.
07 19:46 150633	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	14			1	14 Kent Harrison SAR members responded to a BCAS request for assistance with a woman who was pulled from the water on Cogburn Beach. The team was stood down while en route, as the subject was deceased.
08 01:21 150634	CTL	INLAND WATER		3				3 Kelowna Marine Rescue members were called by the RCMP following a report of two boats involved in a collision near West Bay Rd, West Kelowna. The team was stood down prior to responding.
08 1104 150635	SEA	INLAND WATER		5				5 Revelstoke SAR members responded following a report of a kayak floating on Revelstoke Lake. The SAR team was stood down as the kayak was found to be a dingy that blew off shore and was claimed by the owner.
08 11:54 150636	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	7			1	7 Vernon SAR members responded following a report of a person floating in Kalamalka Lake. The subject was recovered from the water deceased.
08 12:52 150637	SWE	LAND	1	10	1			10 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue an injured 13 year old girl on Cypress Mountain. The SAR team assisted the patient out and turned her over to BCAS for treatment.
08 1453 150638	SWE	LAND	1	15	1			12 Sunshine Coast SAR and 3 North Shore Rescue members responded to assist with a 20 year old male that fell at the Langdale Creek Falls. The injured male and his hiking partner were airlifted out of the area via HETS and were delivered to a waiting BCAS crew for further assessment and transport.
08 18:05 150639	SEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 Golden SAR members responded to rescue a 53 year old female suffering from chest pains in the back country of the Purcell Mountains . The SAR team assisted the subject out of the area via helicopter and delivered her to the hospital in Golden.
08 21:13 150640	SWE	LAND	1	65			1	65 Surrey, Central Fraser Valley and Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to search for a missing quadriplegic subject in a motorised scooter. After extensive searching, the SAR teams were stood down pending further investigation by the RCMP.
09 02:22 150641	SEA	LAND	1	1	1			1 Revelstoke SAR member responded to search for a missing person, allegedly in the area of Martha Creek. The RCMP 'pinged' the individuals cellphone and located him in his back yard.
09 09:30 150642	SEA	LAND	3	14	3			9 Sparwood, 4 Elkford and 1 Cranbrook SAR member responded to investigate an emergency spot beacon activation on Phillips Peak. Three subjects were located, one with a knee injury, and were flown out to safety.
09 09:38 150643	SWE	LAND	1	22	1			13 Kent Harrison, 4 Hope and 5 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for a missing 16 year old female near the Harrison Hot Springs Hotel. The subject was located safe and sound.
09 10:48 150644	SWE	LAND	1	6	1			6 Whistler SAR members responded to rescue a fallen hiker on the Comfortably Numb Trail. The patient was brought out and turned over to BCAS.
09 15:08	SWE	LAND	1	11	1			11 Squamish SAR members responded to assist a

150645								21 year old male suffering from cramps on The Chief Trail. The patient was assessed and flown out of the area.
09 1518 150646	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	8	1			8 Kelowna Marine Rescue members responded to rescue an unconscious male that had been pulled from the lake. Kelowna Marine Rescue reached the individual, a pulse was restored and the patient was flown to the hospital by helicopter
WEEK TOTAL		50	67	483	61	4	2	ELT - 0
YEAR TO DATE		646	878	6919	798	37	43	ELT - 16

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09 19:00 150647	NWE	LAND	3	5			3	1 Terrace SAR and 4 Prince Rupert SAR members responded to search for 3 overdue hikers on Mount Hays. All subjects were assisted safely out of the location.
09 1955 150648	SWE	LAND	1	12	1			12 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue an exhausted 19 year old male on Crown Mountain. The subject was located and flown to the safety of his own vehicle.
09 2036 150649	SWE	LAND	2	17	2			17 Coquitlam SAR members responded to search for a lost female hiker in the Buntzen Lake area. 2 subjects walked out from the Westwood Plateau and were picked up and brought back to SAR Command where their vehicle was located.
WEEK TOTAL		3	6	34	3	0	3	ELT - 0
YEAR TO DATE		649	884	6953	801	37	46	ELT - 16

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BODY RECOVERY

On 09 Aug 15, Saltspring SAR responded to an RCMP and Coroner's Service request for a body recovery on the West side of Mt. Maxwell.

DANGEROUS GOODS

On 04 Aug 15, a motor vehicle incident on the Coquihalla Highway occurred, involving a vehicle with a container of Argon Gas on board. The vehicle overturned and caught fire closing the highway. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) event by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to media attention.

On 04 Aug 15, a derelict vessel in Bella Coola at the Government Wharf sank. Material was floating around the harbour and there was a report of fuel leaking out. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) event by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the reported amount of fuel on board and spillage. The vessel was reported to have 9,000 litres of fuel and oil on board. Booms and pads were deployed using Coast Guard supplies on scene and more were requested. Coast Guard vessels were scheduled to respond to area on 06 Aug.

On 05 Aug 15, a tug with a pusher barge carrying fuel tanks and trucks went aground on Tesco Rock in Surge Narrows near Quadra Island in the Campbell River area. The barge had on board 49,000 litres of diesel and 3,000 litres of gasoline. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of extensive pollution. Coast Guard crews responded, and in conjunction with other resources, the situation was resolved without any pollution.

On 05 Aug 15, a 20 foot abandoned tank trailer was reportedly leaking propane on a road near Powell River with houses nearby. Powell River Fire Rescue was dispatched to secure the scene and investigate. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of an evacuation and heightened media attention. Upon arrival, firefighters could not locate anything and the incident was downgraded to Code 1.

On 07 Aug 15, a slick was reported in False Creek, at the Fisherman's Wharf. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) event by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of heightened media attention. The spill was investigated and found to be minor in nature, and the incident was downgraded to Code 1.

On 07 Aug 15, an alleged spill of gasoline in front of Kitsilano Beach was reported. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of heightened media attention. The City of Vancouver investigated and found no sheen or odour and the incident was downgraded to Code 1.

On 08 Aug 15, a large oil slick was reported near the pier at the shipyard in front of Lonsdale Avenue in North Vancouver. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent

status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of heightened media attention. Upon investigation the slick was found to be minor in nature and the incident was downgraded to Code 1.

On 08 Aug 15, a 350 square metre hydrocarbon sheen was reported in Coal Harbour. The incident was upgraded to a Code 2 (urgent status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer due to the possibility of heightened media attention and was downgraded to Code 1 within the hour.

URBAN INTERFACE FIRES

On 04 Aug 15, the Fraser Valley Regional District (FVRD) opened their EOC to Level 1 in support of operations for the Wood Lake Fire (V10370) near Harrison Hot Springs. At the time only tactical evacuations had been conducted for campers and people using the area.

On 08 Aug 15, the Kamloops Fire Centre reported an interface fire (K50554) in the Keremeos area. There was one mobile home burned that was located on First Nations land.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 05 Aug 15, Nanaimo SAR responded by water taxi to assist BCAS Paramedics with retrieving a male suffering from a concussion on Decourcy Island. The patient was brought back to Nanaimo for further transport to hospital.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
04 Aug	Abbotsford	2 people
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05 Aug	Merritt	1 person
05 Aug	Bowen Island	4 people
07 Aug	Vernon	3 people
08 Aug	Langford	6 people
09 Aug	Port Moody	4 people