



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT

PERIOD: 29 Jun 15 to 5 Jul 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	2	0	18	10	7	82
South West	1	9	5	25	3	8	89
Central	0	2	3	10	17	9	80
South East	0	9	3	13	10	8	96
North East	0	4	3	13	16	4	65
North West	0	1	1	3	5	0	25
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	665
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	27	15	82	61	36	1102
Provincial Year to Date	13	321	93	988	474	242	11167
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	Search and Rescue						

	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	222	2131
Protection Order Registry	133	1870
Problem Wildlife	484	7468
Wildlife Enforcement	156	2071

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 29 JUN 15 TO 5 JUL 15

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
28 18:30 150384 UPDATE	SEA	LAND	1	10	1			10 Revelstoke SAR members continued searching for a 57 year old female missing for 48 hours in the Revelstoke area. The subject was located by family members and the SAR team was stood down.
28 21:07 150385 UPDATE	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	11			1	11 Oliver Osoyoos and Penticton SAR members continued to search for a male missing at Osoyoos Lake after having fallen off his Sea-Doo. SAR was stood down when nothing was located and the RCMP Dive Team took over the search.
29 00:43 150386	SWE	INLAND WATER		8				8 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to investigate 3 flare sightings on the west side of Alouette Lake. After an extensive search of the area and interviewing campers, it was discovered that a group of campers in the area had towed a boat in distress to shore around the same time as the flare sightings were reported. SAR and RCMP believed that both events were related and SAR was stood down.
29 19:45 150387	SEA	LAND	1	13	1			13 Fernie SAR members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the Swine Flu Trail. The individual was assessed, packaged and carried out to a waiting BCAS crew for transport to the hospital.
29 21:21 150388	CTL	INLAND WATER		3				3 Kelowna Fire Dept Marine Rescue members responded following a report of a boater in distress on Okanagan Lake. Nothing was located and the rescue crew returned to their base.
30 05:39 150389	NWE	INLAND WATER	2	30	1		1	A total of 30 SAR members from Bulkley Valley, Houston, Terrace and Nechako Valley responded to rescue occupants of a vehicle that was in the water off of Morice River Road. One female was retrieved from the roof of the vehicle while SAR used boats and GSAR members to search the river downstream for a second vehicle occupant. ONGOING.
30 12:23 150378 UPDATE	CTL	INLAND WATER	2	31		1	1	31 Vernon SAR members responded to retrieve one deceased subject from Kalamalka Lake and to search for a second missing subject. The deceased individual was recovered and turned over to the Coroner. SAR continued to search for the missing subject through to 05 July with nothing located. ONGOING.
30 23:34 150390	SWE	LAND	1	2	1			2 Pemberton SAR members responded to rescue an injured female located a 2 hour hike in from the Phelix Creek Hut. The subject was located alive by SAR and was passed to BCAS.
30 12:49 150391	SWE	LAND	1	2	1			2 Squamish SAR members responded to a Fire Dispatch request for assistance with an uninjured hang glider caught up out of reach of the fire crew. The SAR team was stood down when the subject self rescued.
30 13:52 150392	SEA	LAND	1	12	1			4 Cranbrook and 8 Kimberley SAR members responded to search for a despondent elderly female missing at the Rock Creek campsite near Elko. The female was located in good condition by SAR members.
30 15:17	SEA	INLAND	5	3	5			3 Kaslo SAR members responded to assist a boat in

150393		WATER						distress on Kootenay Lake. Five subjects were located on the boat and brought to shore with assistance from the Conservation Officer.
30 23:55 150394	SEA	INLAND WATER	1	1	1			1 Columbia Valley SAR member responded to rescue a female who had fallen off her paddle board on Windermere Lake. The SAR was stood down while mustering when the female made it to shore on her own.
01 05:57 150395	SEA	LAND	2	3	2			3 Columbia Valley SAR members responded to rescue two overdue hikers in the Palacer Albert Rec Site campground area. The subjects were located safe and sound by the SAR crew.
01 08:50 150396	CTL	LAND	1	8	1			8 Kamloops SAR members responded to rescue an injured biker from Lac Le Jeune Road, Stake Lake. The subject was rescued and passed to a waiting ambulance.
01 13:45 150397	SWE	INLAND WATER	2	6	2			6 Squamish SAR members responded to rescue two individuals whose kayak overturned in the Squamish River. The occupants self rescued and SAR was stood down.
01 15:54 150398	SEA	LAND	1	16	1			11 Nelson and 5 Penticton SAR members responded to assist BCAS with an injured female at the top of the Pulpit Trail on the north shore of Nelson. The subject was located and packaged by SAR and was then transported down to BCAS.
01 16:37 150399	NEA	INLAND WATER	2	2	2			2 Prince George SAR members responded to rescue two females floating down the Nechako River calling for help. After SAR were contacted they learned the mother had jumped in and saved her own daughters and SAR was no longer required.
01 16:43 150400	CTL	INLAND WATER	2	4	2			1 Wells Gray SAR member and 3 Barriere SAR members responded to North Barriere Lake Resort to rescue 2 jet-skiers who were injured when they collided with a floating dock. Both of the subjects were brought to shore by boat and transferred to BCAS.
01 18:06 150401	SWE	LAND	1	10	1			10 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue a hiker with an ankle injury on the Whyte Lake Trail. The West Vancouver Fire Department responded and were able to escort the subject out.
01 17:30 150402	NEA	LAND	1	4	1			4 members of West Chilcotin SAR responded to search for an overdue hiker in the Rainbow Range area of Anahim Lake. The subject walked out of the bush on his own and SAR was stood down.
01 20:37 150403	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	34		1		34 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for a missing swimmer in Albert Dyck Park, Abbotsford. RCMP dive team discovered the subject deceased the next day.
01 22:52 150404	NEA	INLAND WATER	3	10	3			10 South Peace SAR members responded to rescue three tubers who became stranded on the Kiskatinaw River. The three subjects were located in good condition by the RCMP and SAR was stood down.
02 13:09 150405	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	5	1			5 Mission SAR members responded to rescue a female clinging to a flotation device near the Mission Bridge on the Fraser River. Upon arrival, SAR found that the subject had been rescued uninjured by a passing boater.
02 13:18	SWE	LAND	3	9	3			9 North Shore Rescue members responded to

150406								rescue three hikers stranded on the BCMC Trail in a canyon. The subjects were rescued via HETS and were flown out to rendezvous with BCAS.
02 13:37 150407	VIR	LAND	1	27	1			15 Comox Valley SAR, 6 Campbell River SAR and 6 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to the Medicine Bowl area of Comox to rescue an injured female. The subject was rescued using HETS and was brought out and transferred to BCAS.
02 15:06 150408	NWE	LAND	1	1	1			1 Terrace SAR member responded to rescue an injured female from a trail at Lakelse Canyon. The subject walked out on her own and SAR was stood down.
02 17:50 150409	SEA	INLAND WATER	1	6	1			6 Golden SAR members responded to rescue a male that had jumped off a rope swing into shallow water at Cedar Lake. Bystanders were able to float the patient across the lake to BCAS.
02 22:07 150410	SWE	LAND	1	12			1	12 Surrey SAR members responded to search for a missing patient who wandered away from Surrey Memorial Hospital. The subject was not located and SAR was stood down pending further investigation by RCMP.
03 09:29 150411	SEA	LAND	2	5	2			1 Castlegar SAR and 4 PEP Air members responded to search for a couple reported missing while travelling from Penticton to Nelson. The responding volunteers were stood down as the subjects were located unharmed.
03 09:41 150412	SWE	AIR	ELT	1				1 PEP Air member responded to JRCC's request for PEP Air to investigate an ELT sounding at the Pitt Meadows Airport. The member was stood down by JRCC after no signal was found.
03 10:34 150413	SEA	LAND	1	3	1			3 Fernie SAR members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the Lazy Lizard Trail. SAR brought the individual out to the end of the trail to be met by BCAS.
03 16:05 150414	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	28			1	28 Prince George SAR members responded to search for a missing boy in the Fraser River. A helicopter and jet boats were utilized. The RCMP Dive Team was brought in on 05 Jul and assistance was provided by a Conservation Officer to drive the BC Parks boat. Nothing was located and SAR was stood down.
03 18:04 150415	CTL	LAND	2	13	1	1		8 Princeton Fire Rescue and 5 Princeton SAR members responded to rescue two ATV riders over an embankment, 1 km up the Boulder Mountain FSR. One individual self rescued but the second individual was deceased. The Coroner requested assistance in retrieving the deceased individual.
03 19:39 150416	SEA	LAND	ELT	1				1 Elkford SAR member responded following a SPOT beacon activation near Elkford. RCMP stood SAR down while mustering when it was determined that the beacon was actually on the Alberta side of the border.
04 00:09 150417	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for an overdue hiker at Chilliwack Lake. SAR was stood down, when the subject returned back at camp on his own.
04 09:02 150418	VIR	LAND	1	8	1			8 Westcoast Inland SAR members responded by boat to search for a 9 year old boy missing since the previous night from the Village of Arousat. SAR was

								cancelled en route when the child was located by the RCMP and family members.
04 19:39 150419	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	3	1			3 Robson Valley SAR members responded to rescue a stranded boater in Kinbasket Lake. SAR was stood down when Valemount Marine Association sent a boat out to assist.
04 23:30 150420	SWE	LAND	5	11	5			11 Pemberton SAR members responded to rescue five overdue hikers in the Stein Valley. SAR was stood down on 05 Jul when RCMP located the hikers in Pemberton.
05 02:38 150421	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	4	1			4 Shuswap Rescue 1 members responded to Nielsen Beach to rescue a male. The subject was located and refused any assistance from attending members or BCAS.
05 13:45 150422	NEA	LAND	1	21	1			21 Quesnel, Central Cariboo and Prince George SAR members responded to assist an injured female located 4-5 km up the Yellow Hawk trail near Wells. The subject was escorted out and turned over to BCAS.
05 11:47 150423	NEA	LAND	3	6	3			6 West Chilcotin SAR members responded to search for three males who had failed to return home from a horse back riding trip in the Anville Mountain area near Alexis Creek. SAR were stood down while mustering when the RCMP advised that the subjects had returned home.
05 14:12 150424	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	3	1			3 Mission SAR members responded by boat to assist a participant in the "Pulling Together" RCMP/First Nations canoe group after she suffered heat stroke. The subject was transported downstream to the Mission/Abbotsford bridge and transferred to the care of the event safety staff. Mission SAR continued escort of the canoe group for the remainder of the day.
05 15:24 150425	SWE	LAND	1	18	1			18 Squamish SAR members responded to assist a hiker who wandered off a trail in Brohm Lake Park and became stranded on a ledge. The subject was brought up the bank by rope rescue team and was escorted out and turned over to the RCMP.
05 15:37 150426	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Cranbrook and Kimberley SAR members responded to search for an elderly male who wandered away on foot from his group of quad riders on Yahk Mountain. SAR was stood down after the subject was located by RCMP.
05 15:49 150427	SEA	LAND	1	6	1			6 Columbia Valley and Golden & District SAR responded to rescue an injured climber on the Bugaboo spire. The HETS team from Golden airlifted the climber out and transported them to the hospital in Golden.
05 22:50 150428	SWE	LAND	3	4	3			4 Squamish SAR members responded to search for three lost hikers and their dog on The Chief. SAR was stood down after RCMP advised they would be picking up the subjects.
WEEK TOTAL		43	66	433	58	3	5	ELT - 2
YEAR TO DATE		428	550	4860	494	22	34	ELT - 13

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BODY RECOVERY

On 2 July 15, Kamloops SAR responded at the request of the RCMP, to recover the subject of a fatal motorcycle accident.

On 1 July 15, Mission SAR responded at the request of the RCMP, to recover a body from the Fraser River.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 29 June 15, Prince George SAR were requested to assist the RCMP with an upcoming evidence search in the Prince George area.

On 30 June 12, Hope SAR responded, at the request of the RCMP, to assist with an evidence search near Richmond Hill.

URBAN INTERFACE FIRES

On 2 July 15, the Cowichan Valley Regional District activated an EOC in response to an evacuation caused by North Oyster Fire (V70258).

On 2 July 15, the Nanaimo Regional District activated an EOC in response to an evacuation resulting from the North Oyster Fire (V70258), as the fire crossed the boundary into Nanaimo.

On 2 July 15, Sechelt District opened an EOC in response an 8 Hectare fire burning 2 km north of Sechelt on the west side of Sechelt Inlet (V50256).

On 3 July 15, Central Okanagan Regional District has recommended an Evacuation Alert for the Huckleberry Road, Joe Rich area due to the threat of an interface fire (K50261).

On 3 July 15, a wildfire (V90270) burning at the west end of Mayor's Way in Port Hardy resulted in an evacuation order for approximately 100 residences. The Town of Port Hardy issued a State of Local Emergency and activated their EOC and a reception centre to support local residents.

On 4 July 15, a State of Local Emergency was issued for the Squamish Lillooet Regional District, Electoral Area C, to support an evacuation order resulting from the Boulder Creek Fire (V30241), 23 kms north of Pemberton. The evacuation order applied to 2 pumice mines in the area.

On 4 July 15, as a result of a wildfire near Cache Creek (K20267), approximately 300 people that had set up tents for a festival being held at a lot on Venables Valley Road in Ashcroft, were tactically evacuated.

On 4 July 15, the Alberni Clayoquot Regional District activated their EOC in response to the Dog Mountain wildfire (V70274) near Sproat Lake. A number of water access only recreational cabins were evacuated by the RCMP.

On 4 July 15, the Vancouver Island PREEC opened to support local authorities engaged in response to wildfires in the region.

On 4 July 15, Central Kootenay Regional District activated their EOC in response to a wildfire between Duhamel and Sitkum Creek (N70261). The CKRD issued an evacuation Alert for residents in the area between Sitkum Creek South and Willow Point (Six Mile Lakes Road).

On 4 July 15, East Kootenay Regional District activated their EOC in response to the Harrogate wildfire burning between the communities of Harrogate and Brisco (N20267). An Evacuation Alert was issued for several residents in the area of the fire.

On 4 July 15, East Kootenay Regional District issued an Evacuation Order for areas around Kragmont, and an Evacuation Alert for areas in Baynes Lake as a result of a wildfire (N10269) burning adjacent to the Elk River, 1.5 kms east of Highway 93 and the Community of Baynes Lake.

On 4 July 15, the Southeast PREEC opened to support local authorities engaged in wildfire response activities in the region.

On 5 July 15, an evacuation alert was placed for several residents in the Spallumcheen District as a result of the Harrogate wildfire (N20267) that extended into the Columbia Shuswap Regional District, Electoral Area A.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 03 July 15, the Columbia Shuswap Regional District activated their EOC to assist the RCMP who were dealing with an armed and barricaded individual in Annis Bay.

On 05 July 15, Sechelt Fire Department responded to a BCAS request for assistance with a male in cardiac arrest that had been trapped by a tree.

SEVERE STORM

On 29 June 15, a severe storm passed through central and southeastern British Columbia, resulting in intense winds, torrential rain and several lightening strikes. Several Emergency Operation Centres as well as the SEA Provincial Regional Emergency Operation Centre (PREEC) were activated throughout the region in response to the storm.

On 30 June 15, Kamloops activated their EOC when a severe storm resulted in a flash flood that affected 200 units at the Oak Hill trailer Park.

On 02 July 15, The City of Nelson and Regional District of Central Kootenay activated a combined EOC to address damage and flooding issues resulted from the severe storm that went through the area on June 29th.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
29 Jun 15	Cranbrook	1 person
30 Jun 15	New Westminster	1 person
01 July 15	Abbotsford	7 people
01 July 15	Vernon	1 person
01 July 15	Burnaby	1 person
02 Jul 15	Williams Lake	4 people
02 Jul 15	Fort St. John	1 person
03 Jul 15	Prince George	2 people
04 Jul 15	Sooke	15 people
04 Jul 15	Port Alberni	4 people
05 Jul 15	Kamloops	14 people