



# WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT

PERIOD: 30 Apr 18 to 6 May 18

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	3	0	22	4	0	46
South West	1	5	1	33	3	2	58
Central	0	4	4	14	10	31	113
South East	0	3	1	11	1	1	22
North East	0	1	1	15	6	11	55
North West	0	1	1	8	3	8	16
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	1	702
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	17	8	103	27	54	1012
Provincial Year to Date	4	91	21	512	138	206	3986
	Air	Land	Inland Water	Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills	Motor Vehicle Incidents	Other (floods fire etc.)	General Enquiries and Info
	Search and Rescue						

	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	210	972
Protection Order Registry	114	725
Problem Wildlife	514	1869
Wildlife Enforcement	176	735

## **WEEKLY INCIDENT REPORT April 30 – May 6th 2018**

### **Dangerous Goods**

On 30 April, a fish kill was reported and found to be caused by a turbidity plume of sediment that entered the water from a nearby construction project in West Vancouver. The MOE RO raised the incident to Code 2 (urgent status) due to possible media attention surrounding the fish kill.

On 3 May, 20 railcars from a CN train derailed along a CP track near Boston Bar. 2 of the railcars were transporting diesel but both remained upright and no dangerous goods leaked. The other derailed cars were empty. The MOE RO raised the incident to Code 2 (urgent status) for notification purposes with immediate downgrade to Code 1.

### **ENVIRONMENT**

On 30 April, a road wash out of Heimlich Road near Kelowna threatened critical infrastructure and a gas line.

On 30 April, an incident was opened for flooding of the Upper Nicola Indian Band IR2, near Merritt.

On 30 April, an incident was opened for flooding concerns in the Swan Lake and Pouce Coupe area of the Peace Region.

On 30 April, an incident was opened for flooding of Ootsa Nadina Road near the Nachako Reservoir.

On 30 April, a road wash out was reported in Anaham (Alexis Creek) on Anaham Meadows Road, impacting the First Nations band Tl'etinqox.

On 30 April, a dam was damaged due to flooding of Anaham Creek impacting the Tl'etinqox First Nations.

On 30 April, a road washout occurred on IR #18, Tl'etinqox, due to flooding.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for the CSRD due to flooding at Neusome Creek, in Sorrento.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for a dam incident at Gold Creek Dam 15 Km North of Cranbrook.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for flooding of the Bulkley River in Houston.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding on Smith Creek in the Central Okanagan Regional District.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding on McDougall Creek in the Central Okanagan Regional District.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for flooding of Telachick Creek in the Fraser Fort George area, west of Prince George.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for flooding of Nazko Road on Nazko First Nation land.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for a landslide of Glen Canyon near Powers Creek Water Treatment Plant.

On 01 May, an incident was opened for flooding of the Stumbles Creek area of the Lower Nicola.

On 02 May, a request sandbags was received for flooding on the Upper Mud River in Prince George.

On 02 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Wolf Cub Creek area of Oliver.

On 02 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Cluculz Lake area in the Bulkley Nechako Regional District.

On 02 May, an incident was opened for flood response for the Village of Lumby.

On 02 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding of Chevans Creek in the Cariboo Regional District.

On 03 May, an incident was opened for flooding in Fraser Lake area in the Bulkley Nechako Regional District.

On 03 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Francois Lake area in the Bulkley Nechako Regional District.

On 03 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Guiscon/Mammoth Lake area in the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 03 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding in Quesnel due to increased water flow on Baker Creek.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for a landslide in Peachland.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding in the Tumean area of Princeton.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding in the Okanagan Indian Band area of Vernon.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Nicola area of the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Pinantan Lake area of the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for flooding within the Westbank First Nations, in West Kelowna.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding for the Shacken Indian band in Merritt due to the Nicola River.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding in the east end of Pioneer Way area of Burns Lake.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Stern Subdivision and Gerow Island in the Burns Lake area.

On 04 May, an incident was open for flooding in Salmon Valley in the Fraser Fort Regional District.

On 04 May, an incident was opened for flooding on the Atnarko River in the Central Coast Regional District..

On 05 May, an incident was opened for flooding on Campbell Creek in Kamloops.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for a landslide event in Agate Bay.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for localized flooding in Topley in the Bulkley Valley Regional District.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for flooding within the WestBank First Nations, along Smith Creek.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Mill Creek area, in the Thompson-Nicola Regional District.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Silver Creek area in Salmon Arm.

On 05 May, an incident was opened for flooding in the Clapperton Creek area of the Thompson Nicola Regional District.

On 06 May, a incident was requested for flooding of the Okanagan Indian Band #2, at Bonneau Road, Equesis River in the Vernon area.

On 06 May, an incident was opened for general flooding in the Peachland area.

On 06 May, an incident was opened for a landslide that occurred at Silver Creek on the 4 May in the Salmon Arm District.

### **MISCELLANEOUS**

On 02 May, an annual task number was generated to track all requests for RCM-SAR responses by multiple agencies through the ECC.

On 03 May, a task number was issued as a result of a vehicle hitting a house in Vernon. 4 people were provided with ESS.

On 05 May, a Princeton SAR was tasked by the OSRD to stand by as safety numbers on China Creek while crews tried to clear a debris field further up on the creek.

On 05 May, due to flooding in the Faulder area of the Okanagan Similkameen Regional District, Penticton SAR was tasked to distribute evacuation alerts to 80 homes.

**URBAN FIRE (S):**

<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>LOCATION</u></b>	<b><u>IMPACTED</u></b>
02 May	Vernon	1 person
04 May	West Kelowna	1 person
04 May	Vancouver	1 person
06 May	Coquitlam	2 people

**SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 30 APR 18 TO 6 MAY 18**

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	EMBC REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# EMBC VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
30 11:45 180091 RCMP# 2018-1751	VIR	LAND	2	15	2			15 Juan de Fuca SAR members responded to an RCMP request to locate 2 overdue hikers in the Jordan River area near Sooke. Subjects self rescued in good condition.
30 12:12 180092	SEA	LAND	1			1		17 Grand Forks SAR while conducting a training exercise located new evidence for an existing incident. RCMP intervened and a SAR was opened to assist with the incident. A skull and major bones were found and this SAR is now closed
30 12:44 180093 BCAS# 238078	CTL	LAND	1	9	1			9 Penticton SAR members responded to a BCAS request to assist an injured hiker on the KVR near Summerland. The subject was extricated and transferred to BCAS.
30 16:20 180094 RCC# 662	SWE	AIR	0ELT	4				4 PEP Air members responded at the request of JRCC, to locate an ELT sounding at the Pitt Meadows Airfield. The ELT was found and turned off.
30 22:12 180095 RCMP# 18-6419	VIR	LAND	2		2			13 Metchosin SAR members responded to a RCMP request to assist in locating 2 missing hikers on Mt. Blinkhorn. RCMP stood SAR down and advised that the hikers had been located
1 08:36 180096 RCMP# 4312	NWE	LAND		4				4 Bulkley Valley SAR members responded following a request from the RCMP to assess the snow pack in preparation of a renewed search for a mushroom picker that went missing back in Oct 2017 in the area of Kitsequelcla Lake Road, Rocky Ridge Resort, Smithers. SAR attended on 2 separate days but the area was still inaccessible due to snow. SAR activities for this search will be postponed until the area becomes accessible.
1 18:04 180097 RCMP# 18-2486	SWE	LAND	2	21	2			21 Squamish SAR members responded to rescue 2 stranded hikers in Shannon Falls Provincial Park. SAR was stood down when the subjects managed to make it to the gondola, in good condition.
02 16:42 180098 RCMP# 2018-16907	SWE	LAND	1	12	1			12 Chilliwack SAR members assisted RCMP with a despondent female off of Wellington avenue. The subject was retrieved and handed off to RCMP
2 18:22 180099 BCAS# 243014	VIR	LAND	1	9	1			9 Nanaimo SAR members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the Roller Coaster Mountain Bike Trail in Nanaimo. SAR was stood down when BCAS were able to reach the subject.
03 20:03 180100 RCC# 18-	SWE	INLAND WATER	0	10				10 Kent Harrison SAR members responded to investigate reports of a suspicious object in Hammersley Slough in Agassiz. An object was found and identified as a teddy bear.
03 19:36 180101 RCMP# 18-2177	CTL	LAND	1	2	1			2 Oliver SAR members assisted RCMP with a male hiker stranded on an impassable trail in Oliver. The subject was successfully retrieved by the SAR team and was passed to RCMP.
03 21:06 180102 RCMP# 18-23132	CTL	INLAND WATER	0	3				3 Peachland Fire and Rescue members assisted RCMP in locating a strobe from a possible boat in distress on Okanagan Lake. Rescuers found the boat was not in distress.

05 00:39 180103 RCMP# 2018-23406	CTL	LAND	1	5	1		5 COSAR members responded to an RCMP request to rescue a mountain biker who was stuck in Angel Springs. The subject was assisted out to his car.
05 0831 180104 RCC# 18-00694	NWE	LAND	ELT				1 PEP Air, 2 Central Cariboo SAR members, and 1 South Cariboo SAR member were contacted to assist with an ELT sounding at the 108 Mile Airport. The South Cariboo SAR member liaised with airport staff who checked the area and did not find anything and couldn't pick up a signal.
05 1037 180105 RCMP# 18-15442	SWE	LAND	1	16	1		16 CFV SAR members responded to search for a missing elderly male who became separated from his wife on the trail system in Campbell Valley Park. SAR stood down when the subject self rescued.
05 11:51 180106 RCMP# 18-6392	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	8	1		4 Okanagan Falls and 4 Penticton Fire Rescue members responded to rescue a wind surfer in distress on Skaha Lake. SAR was stood down when witnesses saw the windsurfer swim back to shore.
05 14:17 180107 RCMP# 18-1440	SEA	INLAND WATER		5			5 Castlegar SAR members responded after a vehicle went down an embankment and into the Kootenay River off Brilliant Road. A dog that was in the vehicle surfaced but no other occupants made it out. SAR was stood down and the RCMP Dive Team was called to respond.
05 14:34 180108 BCAS# 248684	SWE	LAND	1	10	1		10 Squamish SAR members responded to rescue a male suffering severe leg cramps on The Chief. His hiking party provided hydration, food and rest but were not able to pack the subject out. SAR team located the subject and brought him to safety.
05 15:23 180109 BCAS# 248821	SEA	LAND	1	2	1		2 Golden SAR members responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on Mount Swansea. The subject was successfully retrieved and transferred to BCAS.
05 15:47 180110 RCMP# 18-1192	NWE	INLAND WATER	1	4	1		4 Nechako Valley SAR members responded to rescue an occupant onboard in a sinking boat near Sandy Beach, Vanderhoof. SAR was stood down when the subject managed to reach the beach on his own.
05 17:17 180111 RCMP# 18-23512	CTL	INLAND WATER	2	4	2		4 Kelowna Marine Rescue members responded to rescue 2 swimmers in distress on the Okanagan Lake, Kelowna. SAR was stood down when the subjects were brought back to shore by a kayaker.
05 22:16 180112 RCMP# 18-4322	NEA	INLAND WATER	4	13	4		13 North Peace SAR members responded to locate 4 overdue kayakers that failed to return from a 2 hour trip on the Beatton River. The subjects were located safe and were escorted out by SAR.
06 15:09 180113 RCMP# 18-1946	SEA	LAND	1	2	1		2 Kaslo SAR members responded to a request for assistance with a missing 7 year old girl, who was last seen at the River Trail. RCMP located the subject and stood down the SAR team.
06 180114 RCMP# 18-10991	SWE	LAND	1	14	1		14 North Shore Rescue members responded rescue a stranded male at the bottom of a cliff on Mount Fromme. The subject was rescued safely without injury.
06 180115 RCMP# 18-934	CTL	INLAND WATER					2 Penticton Marine Rescue and 3 Naramata Marine Rescue members responded to investigate a report of an overturned boat on Okanagan Lake near Summerland. Responders found an old boat with

								nothing in it and towed to shore.
06 2006 180116 RCMP# 18-23733	CTL	LAND	1	20	1			20 COSAR members responded to search for a missing 13 year old girl. SAR was stood down while enroute when the subject was located safe and sound by the RCMP.
<b>WEEK TOTAL</b>		26	26	192	25	1	0	ELT - 2
<b>YEAR TO DATE</b>		<b>116</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>1098</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>ELT - 5</b>