



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 12 Jul 10 to 18 Jul 10

PEP 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	7	1	19	3	4	35
South West	1	10	5	30	4	2	94
Central	1	5	4	7	16	5	83
South East	0	6	2	6	7	1	32
North East	0	3	0	8	6	0	35
North West	0	0	1	2	4	1	13
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	822
Provincial Weekly Totals	2	31	13	72	40	13	1114
Provincial Year to Date	25	263	119	1067	544	160	11853
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	171	2178
Protection Order Registry	178	2693
Problem Wildlife	926	9607
Wildlife Enforcement	92	1559

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 12 JUL 10 TO 18 JUL 10

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
11 19:06 100360 UPDATE	SWE	INLAND WATER		24		1	-1	24 Mission SAR members continued to assist RCMP dive team over several days to search for the subject in the lake. Subject was located on the 14th of July and turned over to the Coroner.
12 00:34 100362	SEA	LAND	1	8	1			8 Castlegar SAR members responded to an RCMP request to search for a missing 82 year old male from the Castlegar area. SAR was stood down after RCMP located him wandering around the downtown area.
12 12:10 100363	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	7	1			3 Penticton and 4 Naramata Fire Rescue members responded to an RCMP request to rescue a reported boater in distress on Okanagan Lake. Due to weather the teams were having trouble getting to the kite boarder and a passing boater was able to successfully pick him up.
12 12:45 100364	SEA	INLAND WATER		1				1 Nelson SAR member responded to an RCMP request for a boater in distress near Troop Beach. Team was stood down prior to responding.
12 12:54 100365	VIR	LAND	2	1	2			1 Westcoast Inland SAR member was stood down prior to responding to locate 2 overdue hikers on Mt. Tom Taylor in the south Strathcona Park area. The subjects were located by police alive and well.
12 15:35 100366	SEA	LAND	1	11	1			5 Kaslo and 6 New Denver Fire Rescue responded to a vehicle over an embankment in the New Denver area. Teams used ropes to access the subject and bring to roadside.
12 19:56 100367	VIR	LAND	2	2	2			2 Westcoast Inland SAR members responded to rescue 2 stranded hikers in Pacific Rim National Park. The two hikers were located by National Parks staff and a SAR member and were assisted to Cox Bay where one of the hikers was transported to hospital to be treated for de-hydration.
13 17:30 100368	VIR	LAND	1	2	1			2 Courtenay SAR responded to RCMP request to search for an elderly female missing in the Comox area. Team was stood down by RCMP as the subject had been located.
13 18:56 100369	CTL	AIR	ELT	1				1 PEP Air member responded to a JRCC request to search for an ELT sounding in the Kelowna area. The ELT was located and silenced in a US helicopter in the Aero Tech Park in Westbank.
13 19:04 100370	SWE	LAND	1	10	1			10 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue a stranded hiker reported to be under the Red Tram on Grouse Mountain. The subject was located alive but dehydrated, and was escorted to the top of the mountain and placed on the gondola for the ride down.
13 19:44 100371	SWE	INLAND WATER		8				8 Hope SAR members responded to investigate report of a baby carriage floating in the river. Members searched all areas of interest to the RCMP with negative results and were stood down

								by RCMP.
14 04:42 100372	CTL	LAND	1	12	1			11 Kamloops SAR members and 1 PEP Air member responded to search for a patient from a local hospital that went for a walk in the afternoon and did not return. The subject was located alive and well in Calgary by local police.
14 13:49 100373	SWE	LAND	1	25	1			25 members of Squamish SAR and Lions Bay SAR responded to rescue a stranded BASE jumper on the face of the Chief in Squamish. Subject was rescued and transported down to a waiting BCAS Ambulance for assessment and transport to hospital.
14 16:16 100374	SEA	LAND	1	10	1			10 members of Castlegar SAR responded to rescue an elderly woman trapped in a vehicle at the bottom of an 80M steep incline. The 80 year old subject was rescued by SAR members after she had been in the car for approximately 2 days. She was passed to BCAS for assessment and transport to the hospital.
14 17:13 100375	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	16	1			16 Kent Harrison SAR members responded to assist with a female in the water at the Chehalis Bridge. SAR team reached subject via river raft and RCMP helicopter was able to conduct a hover access and transported subject to BCAS.
14 18:10 100376	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	2	1			2 Chilliwack SAR responded to rescue an injured cliff diver in the water on Cultus Lake. Upon arrival team discovered BCAS had been able to access the subject and SAR was stood down.
15 12:03 100377	SWE	AIR	ELT	2				2 PEP Air-SWE Region responded to investigate an ELT that had been intermittently sounding near the Pitt Meadows tower. No ELT was located and PEP Air were stood down by JRCC.
15 13:56 100378	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 members of Creston SAR responded to assist BCAS with an injured forest worker 900 meters from nearest road access. Subject was successfully brought out to BCAS for transport to Cranbrook Hospital.
15 20:52 100379	SWE	INLAND WATER		20				20 members of Sunshine Coast SAR responded to search for possible missing swimmers in Chapman Creek. The area of interest was searched for hours over extended operational periods with negative results and SAR members were stood down by RCMP.
15 20:53 100380	CTL	LAND	2	6	2			6 members of Oliver and Penticton SAR responded to search for a pair of missing hikers in the Mackintyre Canyon. SAR was stood down when the subjects returned to the trail head on their own.
16 07:24 100381	CTL	LAND		11				11 COSAR members and 3 Conservation Officers responded to investigate a report received from a campground in West Kelowna indicating a skirmish was heard the previous night that sounded like it involved an animal and a camper. RCMP decided to investigate although they had received no reports of a missing person. The search was stood down with

							no results.
16 09:26 100382	CTL	LAND		6			6 Pemberton SAR members responded to a report of a PLB sounding in the Lillooet area. The PLB had been activated by accident and was silenced and the SAR members were stood down.
16 09:55 100383	SWE	LAND		3			3 Hope SAR members responded to search for a missing Alberta couple by looking for their stolen vehicle near Hope. SAR members were stood down by the RCMP after nothing of interest was located.
16 16:00 100384	SWE	LAND	1	7	1		7 Hope SAR members responded to rescue an injured subject from over an embankment on the Fraser River. The subject was brought up to the waiting ambulance crew for assessment.
16 21:40 100385	SWE	AIR	1	27	1		14 PEP Air volunteers responded to conduct a 'ramp check' in Langley for an overdue US aircraft. Subsequently, 13 Ground SAR members from Ridge Meadows, Central Fraser Valley and Mission responded to search the corridor along the Fraser River from Mission to the Port Mann Bridge. SAR was stood down after the pilot closed off his flight plan and was confirmed to have arrived safely.
16 22:59 100386	SWE	LAND		12			12 Kent Harrison SAR members responded to assist with rescuing the occupants of a vehicle over a steep embankment on the East FSR at Harrison Lake. SAR was stood down when RCMP confirmed that the subjects were out of the vehicle and rescue was not required.
16 23:05 100387	NEA	LAND	1	9	1		5 Central Cariboo SAR and 4 PEP Air members responded to search for a male that was overdue returning from hunting in the Swan Lake/Place Lake area. SAR was stood down when the subject was located at his residence.
17 03:33 100388	VIR	LAND	2	1	2		Cowichan SAR was called out to rescue two people reported to be stranded over a cliff at the end of Grace Road by the Boy Scout Camp in Duncan. The subjects were able to self-rescue and SAR was stood down while mustering.
17 06:41 100389	NEA	LAND	1	3	1		3 Central Cariboo SAR members responded to rescue the occupant of a vehicle that went over an embankment on Hwy 20 near Sheep Creek and Toosey Reserve. The subject refused assistance and SAR was stood down on scene.
17 09:53 100390	SEA	LAND	1	12	1		12 Golden SAR members were called out to rescue an injured paraglider on Mount Seven west of the paraglider launch site. The subject was rescued by HETS and turned over to BCAS for treatment and transport to hospital.
17 10:21 100391	SEA	LAND	1	5	1		5 Columbia Valley SAR members responded to rescue an injured quad rider on the power line trail west of the Lake between Invermere and Fairmont. The subject was brought out to the staging area and transferred to BCAS.
17 15:10 100392	SWE	INLAND WATER		4			4 Kent Harrison SAR members were called to assist with the rescue of boaters in distress due to strong winds on the Lake. SAR was stood down when

								RCMP were able to tow the boat back to shore.
17 15:58 100393	VIR	LAND	1	12	1			12 members of Alberni Valley Rescue Squad responded to search for a male that walked away from his campsite near China Creek Marina in Port Alberni and failed to return. SAR was stood down after police confirmed that the subject had been seen in town.
17 16:07 100394	SEA	INLAND WATER	3	4	3			4 Arrow Lake SAR members responded to investigate reports of an SOS call in the Galena Bay area of Arrow Lake. A family of 3 were rescued and brought back to shore.
17 16:34 100395	SWE	LAND	1	27	1			22 Coquitlam SAR and 5 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue an injured hiker on the Diez Vista Trail near Buntzen Lake. The subject was rescued by HETS and transferred to BCAS.
17 19:23 100396	CTL	INLAND WATER	4	3	4			3 Kelowna Fire Rescue members were called out to rescue 4 occupants of a pontoon boat that was taking on water near the Eldorado on Okanagan Lake. The four subjects were assisted ashore without injury.
17 20:12 100397	NEA	LAND	1	5	1			5 members of Mackenzie Fire Rescue responded to rescue an injured hiker in the Bijoux Falls area of Mackenzie. The subject was picked up and transferred to BCAS for treatment and transport.
17 20:50 100398	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	6	1			6 members of Kent Harrison SAR responded to search for an overdue boater on the east side of Harrison Lake. SAR was stood down just as they were about to launch the boat when the subject returned on his own.
17 21:00 100399	SWE	LAND	1	3	1			3 members of Hope SAR were called out to search for a male hiker that was overdue returning from a hike in the Spirit Caves Trail area of Yale. The subject returned on his own and team was stood down.
17 22:12 100400	VIR	INLAND WATER	3	1	3			Cowichan Valley SAR was called out to search for 3 overdue fisherman on the Nitinat River near Red Rock pool. SAR was stood down while mustering as the subjects were located on the lake in good condition.
17 23:25 100401	NWE	INLAND WATER	9	10	9			6 Bulkley Valley SAR members and 4 PEP Air responded to rescue 9 rafters involved in an accident on the Morice River near Houston. Rafters were located and were escorted out of the area to safety by SAR members.
18 14:26 100402	CTL	LAND	1	25	1			25 Vernon SAR members responded to search for an overdue female who was travelling to Needles Ferry. SAR was stood down after RCMP determined that subject had gotten lost and returned to Calgary.
18 15:43 100403	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	3	1			3 Wells Grey SAR volunteers responded to rescue a person in the river in Clearwater. SAR was stood down after the subject was rescued by an employee from a raft company and was transferred to BCAS.
18 19:02 100404	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	7		1		7 Hope SAR volunteers responded following report of someone in the water at Lake-of-the-Woods. Subject was located deceased.

18 19:02 100405	VIR	LAND	3	15	3			14 Nanaimo and 1 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to search for three hikers lost on Mount Benson. The subjects were successfully located and escorted off the Mountain.
18 21:12 100406	CTL	INLAND WATER	6	11	6			11 Vernon SAR members responded to rescue 6 boaters in the water off Dell Cliff. SAR was stood down when they were rescued by other boaters in the area.
18 23:04 100407	VIR	LAND	1	1	1			1 Powell River SAR member was contacted regarding an injured camper at Dodd Lake. BCAS originally thought it was boat access only and had requested SAR assistance in this regard. The campsite is accessible by road and BCAS attended and picked the individual up for transport to hospital.
WEEK TOTAL		46	62	408	61	2	-1	ELT - 2
YEAR TO DATE		407	463	4512	420	23	20	ELT - 25

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BODY RECOVERY

On 15 July, Terrace SAR assisted the RCMP and Coroner's Office in recovering a body east of Terrace off Hwy 16.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 13 July, Cowichan SAR responded to search for evidence relating to the discovery of a body in the Glenora area of Duncan.

On 16 July, North Shore Rescue assisted the RCMP with an evidence search on Bowen Island.

INTERFACE FIRE (S)

On 12 July, Central Okanagan Regional District (CORD) opened its EOC in response to an interface fire at Seclusion Bay near Peachland. Evacuations were enacted for 50 – 100 people.

On 12 July, Central Region PREOC was opened in support of the fire in Seclusion Bay.

On 17 July, a fire that started in a structure in Lytton, jumped the Trans Canada Highway and temporarily threatened some residences and a resort. Ministry of Forests and Range (MoFR) personnel managed to get the fire under control quickly and no evacuations became necessary.

On 18 July, EOC's and a Reception Centre were activated in response to an interface fire in the Armstrong area. A Tactical Evacuation of 10 homes was carried out and Vernon SAR responded to assist. Ministry of Forests and Range (MoFR) personnel attended and brought the fire under control, residents were allowed to return home soon after.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 12 July, a task was generated to cover ESS volunteers while they responded to assist some displaced homeowners in Vernon.

On 13 July, ESS activated a reception centre in View Royal when a domestic dispute escalated and the RCMP Emergency Response Team (ERT) was brought in. The RCMP managed to diffuse the situation and residents were allowed to go back to their homes.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
12 July 10	Vernon	2 people
14 July 10	Cranbrook	4 people
14 July 10	Vancouver	3 people
16 July 10	Nanaimo	1 person
18 July 10	Mayne Island	1 person