



WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 2 Aug 10 to 8 Aug 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	4	2	21	3	5	37
South West	1	12	4	23	4	6	147
Central	0	2	2	9	18	3	69
South East	0	2	1	4	9	2	31
North East	0	3	2	11	6	0	44
North West	0	0	0	5	3	0	14
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	739
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	23	11	73	43	16	1081
Provincial Year to Date	29	330	158	1287	674	210	13872
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	Search and Rescue						

	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	167	2688
Protection Order Registry	180	3216
Problem Wildlife	922	12467
Wildlife Enforcement	87	1854

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DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
02 09:10 100483	SWE	LAND	1	4	1			4 Squamish, Coquitlam & North Shore SAR members responded to rescue a stranded BASE jumper on the Squamish Chief. Several local climbers rescued the stranded base jumper and handed him over to BCAS and SAR members.
03 14:45 100484	SWE	LAND	1	3	1			3 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for a mentally challenged individual that wandered away from a care facility and went camping in the drainage of Mosquito Creek in North Vancouver. Subject was found hungry, but otherwise in good condition, and transferred to BCAS.
02 15:03 100485	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Arrow Lakes SAR members responded to rescue an injured ATV operator, with back and neck injuries, on Mountain Meadow behind Burton. Subject was located, packaged and transferred to BCAS.
02 15:41 100486	NEA	LAND	1	8	1			8 Robson Valley SAR, National Parks, and Jasper Alpine Specialists responded to a PLB near Mount Robson Park. Subject, with lower leg injury, was rescued and transferred to BCAS.
02 16:19 100487	CTL	INLAND WATER		9				9 Clearwater SAR members responded to search for overdue canoeists in the Clearwater Lake Road area. RCMP stood down SAR as the vehicle at the launch point was no longer there and they had received no further reports of anyone missing.
02 16:55 100488	SWE	LAND	1	21	1			16 Squamish SAR and 5 Whistler SAR members responded to rescue an injured 23 year old female hiker on the trail that leads to Garibaldi Lake near the Rumble Creek parking lot. HETS was performed and the subject was transferred to BCAS.
02 18:14 100489	SWE	LAND	1	9		1		9 Ridge Meadows SAR members responded to search for a missing 19 year old male that wandered away from the beach at Alouette Lake in Golden Ears Park near Maple Ridge. Subject was recovered deceased and transferred to the Coroner.
02 18:42 100490	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	41	1			9 Mission, 14 Central Fraser Valley, and 18 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a 25 year old male that fell over a 60 foot waterfall at Cascades Falls in Mission. Teams were able to package the subject and pack him out to the waiting ambulance, where he was flown to hospital with unspecified injuries.
03 15:21 100491	VIR	LAND	1	12	1			12 Juan De Fuca SAR members responded to rescue an injured female at Mystic Beach near Sooke. Subject walked out on her own and was treated by BCAS.
03 20:30 100492	SEA	INLAND WATER		1				1 Columbia Valley SAR member responded to search for possible missing people after a boat was found adrift on Lake Windemere with the keys still in the boat. Tasking was stood down by RCMP after

							the boat's owner was located and it was determined to be a non-incident.
04 12:31 100493	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	17		1	17 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a fisherman who had fallen into the outflow on Chilliwack Lake and was being swept down the Chilliwack River. The subject was located deceased and lifted out with a helicopter.
04 20:46 100494	VIR	LAND	2	11	2		11 members of Nanaimo SAR were tasked by RCMP to search for two lost hikers on Mount Benson. The hikers were located in good condition.
05 06:55 100495	SWE	AIR	ELT	2			2 PEP Air-SWE Region members were dispatched to locate an ELT transmitting at the Pitt Meadows Airport. The ELT was determined to be coming from an RCMP marine vessel located by JRCC at the harbour. The signal was turned off and PEP Air were stood down.
05 13:01 100496	SWE	LAND	1	37		1	37 Chilliwack, Kent Harrison and Central Fraser Valley SAR responded to search for a missing hiker in the mountain range of Chilliwack River Valley. He was located deceased on 06 Aug and was removed from the area by helicopter.
05 18:30 100497	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	6		1	6 Mission SAR members responded to a possible drowning on the Fraser River in downtown Mission. The subject was located deceased and handed over to the Coroner.
05 21:14 100498	SWE	LAND	1	5	1		5 North Shore Rescue members responded search for a lost hiker in Lynn Canyon. The subject was located and escorted out by a rescue member.
05 21:00 100499	VIR	INLAND WATER	1	15	1		15 Comox Valley SAR members responded to a missing tuber on the Puntledge River in Courtenay. The subject self-rescued and SAR was stood down.
05 21:52 100500	SWE	LAND	2	3	2		3 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for two females lost on Grouse Mountain. The hikers were located by a Grouse Resort staff member before the rescue team arrived.
05 21:33 100501	SWE	LAND	2	3	2		3 North Shore Rescue members responded to search for a male and female that got separated while cycling near Lynn Canyon. Both subjects were located in good condition.
05 23:38 100502	NEA	LAND	3	1	3		1 member of Robson Valley SAR and 2 convergent volunteers responded to locate two missing hikers in the Valemount area. Subjects were located alive and well.
06 00:30 100503	VIR	LAND	1	21	1		21 members of Metchosin SAR responded to search for a missing person in Saanich. SAR was stood down when subject was located in Rockland by others.
06 08:59 100504	SWE	LAND	2	15	2		15 Squamish SAR members responded to assist two injured hikers on Serratus Mt. HETS was used to rescue the subjects who were handed over to BCAS for transport to hospital in Vancouver.
06 14:39 100505	NEA	LAND	1	4	1		4 members of North Peace SAR responded to search for a missing parachutist near the confluence of the Pine and Peace Rivers in the Fort St. John

							area. SAR was stood down when the subject was found in good condition by the Fire Dept.
06 16:14 100506	SWE	INLAND WATER		14			Squamish SAR responded to a report of a submerged vehicle in the Squamish River. A helicopter was used to transport SAR members to the sandbar where the vehicle was located. The license plate of the vehicle was retrieved for the RCMP and a search of the vehicle with a pipe pole revealed there were no occupants inside.
06 18:26 100507	CTL	INLAND WATER	2	3	2		3 Kelowna Fire Dept personnel responded to rescue the occupants of a sinking boat on Okanagan Lake. Two boaters were rescued unharmed and taken to the Cove Lakeside Resort.
07 08:17 100508	SWE	LAND	2	6	2		6 members of Pemberton SAR responded to search for two missing hikers near Meager Creek. SAR members accessed the area by helicopter, located the hikers and airlifted them out.
07 16:14 100509	CTL	LAND	1	2	1		2 Vernon Fire Dept members responded with jaws of life to extricate an individual thought to have been trapped and injured while trying to unload his ATV. Subject sustained minor injuries.
08 00:01 100510	CTL	LAND	2	12	2		12 Shuswap SAR members responded to search for two hikers that had called police and reported they were lost in the bush off of Sunnybrae Road in Salmon Arm. The subjects were located cold, wet and hungry but otherwise fine, and were returned to the resort where they were staying.
08 04:56 100511	NEA	INLAND WATER	2	9	2		9 North Peace SAR members responded to search for two males that were tubing on the Beatton River and failed to arrive at their take-out point on Cecil Lake Road. The two subjects were rescued alive and well.
08 15:53 100512	SWE	LAND	1	10	1		10 members of Sunshine Coast SAR responded to assist BCAS with an injured hiker on the Honeymoon Bay trail near Sechelt. Upon arrival, the hiker was being loaded into BCAS's helicopter.
08 16:46 100513	SEA	LAND	1	8	1		8 Nelson SAR members responded to assist BCAS with an injured 56 year old female, 200 metres up a local trail. She was transported out and turned over to BCAS.
08 18:42 100514	NEA	LAND	1	13	1		Thirteen 100 Mile House SAR members responded to rescue an individual who had sustained serious injuries after jumping from a waterfall. The individual was airlifted out by BCAS.
08 18:55 100515	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	11		1	11 Hope SAR members responded following report of an overturned boat at Saddlerock near Yale. A helicopter was approved after it was determined that a 41 year old fisherman had fallen into the river. Ongoing>>>
08 22:16 100516	VIR	INLAND WATER	4	1	4		1 Arrowsmith SAR member was tasked with the rescue of a mother and her three children who had been tubing on the Englishman River near Parksville. The family was rescued by locals in the area while SAR was still mustering.
08 22:50	VIR	LAND	2	4	2		4 Juan de Fuca SAR members responded to search

100517								for two lost dirt bikers near Sooke. The search concluded when the two dirt bikers made it out on their own
WEEK TOTAL		35	45	348	40	4	1	ELT - 1
YEAR TO DATE		517	629	5549	572	32	25	ELT - 27

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DANGEROUS GOODS CODE 2

On 04 Aug 10, a 10 km long plume of dirt and mud sloughed off into the Similkameen River from a construction site where underground pipes were being installed at a mine. The incident was raised to Code 2 (Urgent status) by the Ministry of Environment Response Officer.

LANDSLIDE

On 06 Aug 10, a landslide occurred in the Lillooet River drainage which resulted in a blockage of Meager Creek and part of the Lillooet River. The Squamish-Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) activated their Emergency Operations Centre (EOC) in order to coordinate monitoring and response efforts. Pemberton SAR volunteers responded to rescue 14 forest service workers and recreational users that were trapped by the slide. Throughout the day water built up behind the blockage and a geotechnical overflight alerted officials of the imminent threat to the residents within the river drainage area should the blockage let go too quickly. A Declaration of a State of Local Emergency and Evacuation Orders for approximately 1500 residents were issued. The area included both the Village of Pemberton and the Lil'wat First Nation. The Provincial Regional Emergency Operations Centre (PREOC) and Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre (PECC) were activated to provide support to the local authority. The water released into the river overnight without causing any flooding and the orders were rescinded on 07 Aug.

INTERFACE FIRE

On 02 Aug 10, a tactical evacuation order was issued due to an interface fire at Spotted Lake in the Okanagan-Similkameen Regional District near Osoyoos. The order was lifted shortly thereafter and the residents returned home.

On 04 Aug 10, Lillooet Regional District activated their EOC because of an Interface Fire (K70361) near Moon Creek Road.

BODY RECOVERY

On 05 Aug 10, Arrowsmith SAR were requested by RCMP to provide use of their underwater colour camera and members to assist in a body recovery from Lake Cowichan at the Narrows.

On 07 Aug 10, Mission SAR were called out to the Norrish Creek Forest Service Road to recover a body for the RCMP and Coroner.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 05 Aug 10, RCMP requested the assistance of Surrey SAR to conduct an evidence search in the area of 140th Street and 62nd Avenue.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 02 Aug 10, Nelson and Rossland SAR members responded to rescue a dog that was trapped between two rocks down a 75' embankment. The dog was rescued and returned to its owner.

On 03 Aug 10, Penticton SAR mustered a team to conduct a compassionate rescue of a pet dog that was trapped under the big trestle bridge near the research station in Summerland. The dog was clear of the area by the time the SAR team arrived.

On 03 Aug 10, a task was issued to the Emergency Program Coordinator on Mayne Island for volunteer services following an incident where a B.C. Ferry crashed into the dock. Several passengers suffered injuries and were transported for medical treatment.

URBAN FIRE (S):

<u>DATE</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>	<u>IMPACTED</u>
02 Aug 10	Campbell River	2 people
03 Aug 10	Victoria	2 people
05 Aug 10	Nanaimo	1 person
05 Aug 10	Castlegar	1 person
07 Aug 10	Richmond	22 +people
08 Aug 10	Mission	2 people