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Dear CAO Dyson

Re: Comox Valley Regional District Quarterly Report

January 1, 2021 to March 31, 2021

The Comox Valley Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) will be providing quarterly updates on policing in the community. This will include Calls for Service (CFS), crime types and Traffic statistics. Quarterly reporting reports will coincide with the Comox Valley RCMP Annual Performance reporting time lines in conjunction with Community priorities.

First Quarter: April 1<sup>st</sup> to June 30<sup>th</sup>  
Second Quarter: July 1<sup>st</sup> to September 30<sup>th</sup>  
Third Quarter: October 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>  
Fourth Quarter: January 1<sup>st</sup> to March 31<sup>st</sup>

## 2020-2021 4<sup>TH</sup> QUARTERLY COMMUNITY REPORT - CVRD

This report refers to Calls for Service data in the following communities in the Comox Valley Regional District (CVRD): Cumberland, Black Creek, Fanny Bay, Merville, Hornby Island, Union Bay, Royston, Denman Island, Mount Washington, and South Strathcona Park.

**CALLS FOR SERVICE IN THE CVRD**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 3009 Calls for Service in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 3020 Calls for Service in the CVRD. The difference represents an increase of 11 Calls for Service over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was a 24% increase in Calls for Service in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>2019</b>	267	211	210	243	295	303	302	321	257	217	181	202
<b>2020</b>	223	196	201	218	225	259	358	357	288	244	231	220
<b>2021</b>	217	234	315									

In the Fourth Quarter of the current year, 41 percent of Calls for Service in the CVRD were associated to Black Creek and Cumberland.

Municipality	2019	2020	2021
<b>BLACK CREEK</b>	731	668	184
<b>CUMBERLAND</b>	766	710	137
<b>DENMAN ISLAND</b>	117	104	29
<b>FANNY BAY</b>	387	429	113
<b>HORNBY ISLAND</b>	186	264	65
<b>MERVILLE</b>	279	315	77
<b>MT WASHINGTON</b>	101	105	46
<b>ROYSTON</b>	220	208	61
<b>SOUTH STRATHCONA PARK</b>	0	1	0
<b>UNION BAY</b>	222	216	54

**TRAFFIC**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 486 Traffic files in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 499 Traffic files in the CVRD. The difference represents an increase of 13 Traffic files over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was an increase of 29 Traffic files in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2019	31	32	35	40	45	49	51	53	51	30	31	38
2020	33	28	35	35	35	35	77	65	46	38	28	44
2021	38	37	50									

### **BREAK AND ENTERS**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 47 Break and Enter files in the CVRD and, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 63 Break and Enter files in the CVRD. The difference represents an increase of 16 Break and Enter files over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was a decrease of 4 Break and Enter files in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2019	6	1	1	3	6	4	6	8	2	3	4	3
2020	2	4	8	4	2	4	8	2	5	8	4	12
2021	5	1	4									

### **THEFT FROM VEHICLE**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 72 Theft from Vehicle files in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 49 Theft from Vehicle files in the CVRD. The difference represents a 32% decrease in Theft from Vehicle files over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was an increase of 7 Theft from Vehicle files in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
2019	7	3	3	5	7	8	8	13	10	4	3	1
2020	6	5	2	1	3	4	12	3	2	5	2	4
2021	4	6	10									

### **ASSAULT**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 70 Assault files in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 65 Assault files in the CVRD. The difference represents a decrease of 5 Assault files over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was a decrease of 4 Assault files in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>2019</b>	11	4	7	6	8	4	6	2	4	5	7	6
<b>2020</b>	6	4	7	5	3	3	5	7	5	11	5	4
<b>2021</b>	2	4	7									

### **SEX OFFENCES**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 21 Sex Offence files in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 18 Sex Offence files in the CVRD. The difference represents a decrease of 3 Sex Offence files over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was an increase of 3 Sex Offence files in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>2019</b>	2	1	3	1	1	3	3	2	1	1	1	2
<b>2020</b>	1	2	3	2	2	1	0	1	1	2	1	2
<b>2021</b>	4	3	2									

### **DOMESTIC (PARTNER/SPOUSAL) VIOLENCE**

Between January 1, 2019 and December 31, 2019, there were 60 files flagged for Domestic Violence in the CVRD whereas, between January 1, 2020 and December 31, 2020, there were 84 files flagged for Domestic Violence in the CVRD. The difference represents a 40% increase in files flagged for Domestic Violence over a Calendar Year.

Relative to the Fourth Quarter in 2020, there was decrease of 2 files flagged for Domestic Violence in the Fourth Quarter of the current year for the CVRD.

Year	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
<b>2019</b>	7	6	10	1	5	1	4	5	5	3	6	7
<b>2020</b>	7	5	6	11	3	6	2	11	7	14	6	6
<b>2021</b>	7	3	6									

Yours truly,

Insp. M.J. Kurvers  
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