

WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 10 Apr 06 to 16 Apr 06

PEP Region	Se	arch and	l Rescue	Dangerous Goods and		Other	General Enquiries	
FEF Kegion	Air	Land	Inland Water	Oil Spills	Accidents	(floods fire etc.)	and Info	
Van Island	2	2	0	19	4	3	33	
South West	0	3	0 29 2		2	7	44	
Central	0	2	2	5	5 14		37	
South East	0	3	0	4	4	5	52	
North East	0	0	0	15	7	2	15	
North West	1	0	0	4	0	2	6	
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	1	338	
Provincial Weekly Totals	3	10	2	76	31	22	525	
Provincial Year to Date	4	26	4	166	61	46	1138	
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	144	307
Protection Order Registry	179	428
Problem Wildlife	135	332
Wildlife Enforcement	53	123

SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 10 APR 06 TO 16 APR 06

DATE/TIME	PEP		ELT/	# PEP	1	OCATE	D	
INCIDENT #	REGION	INCIDENT						COMMENTS
10 17:17 600020	SWE	LAND	1	5	1			5 Whistler SAR members responded to assist with an injured snowmobiler whose arm got caught in the tracks of the snowmobile in the Brandywine area near Whistler. The team, accompanied by a nurse
								and a mechanic, managed to free the subject from the vehicle and transported him out of the area.
12 09:35 600021	CTL	LAND	1	9	1			7 Kamloops and 2 Logan Lake SAR members assisted BCAS in transporting an injured hiker off of a trail to waiting ambulance at the south end of Deep Lake in the Westside area. The hiker suffered a knee injury and couldn't walk.
13 03:25 600022	VIR	AIR	ELT	1				1 PEP Air member responded to locate an ELT sounding near the Victoria Airport. JRCC stood down the search when the signal ceased to sound.
13 10:51 600023	SEA	LAND	1	4	1			4 Golden SAR members responded to rescue a snowmobiler who had fallen into a crevasse in the Fairy Meadows area. She was flown out by helicopter and transported to hospital.
15 04:52 600024	VIR	LAND	1	10	1			10 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to search for a missing exchange student that had walked away from the home she was staying at in Qualicum Beach. Comox Valley and Nanaimo SAR members were contacted for mutual aid. They were stood down when the student returned home on her own.
14 13:14 600025	CTL	INLAND WATER		3				3 Kelowna Fire Dept members responded to a report of a boater in distress on Okanagan Lake. They were stood down when no boat could be located.
14 14:55 600026	CTL	LAND	1	15	1			15 Penticton SAR members responded to rescue a climber who had fallen 30' on Skaha Bluffs. She was airlifted out of the area and transported to hospital by ambulance.
14 16:04 600027	SEA	LAND	2	3	2			3 Columbia Valley SAR members responded to search for 2 missing skiers out-of-bounds in the Panorama Ski area. SAR members were stood down when the two skiers walked out on their own.
15 12:32 600028	NWE	AIR	ELT	2				2 PEP Air members responded to a JRCC request for an ELT sounding in the Prince Rupert area. They were stood down after the signal was traced to an area near the dump.
15 16:05 600029	SWE	LAND	1	6	1			6 members of Mission SAR responded to rescue a person over an embankment on Florence Lake Road. The team was stood down when RCMP discovered the person over the embankment was actually a goat farmer herding his goats.
15 18:56 600030	VIR	LAND	4	3	4			3 Powell River SAR members responded to search for a male, his two sons and his son's friend, who became lost in the Duck Lake Road area. The two boys, aged 13 and 14, apparently walked out to get help after the father and a 10 year old boy failed to

								return to their truck. SAR members, by way of giving directions through cell phone contact, assisted the father and his son in walking out of the bush.
15 19:22 600031	VIR	AIR	2	19		2		19 Alberni Valley Rescue Squad members responded to search for a Cessna, with two people on board, that was last seen on radar in the Horne Lake area of Port Alberni. The Cormorant and Buffalo were dispatched to the area and SAR teams were called out to conduct a ground search. The debris of the plane was located on a ridge near the last known point. SAR members assisted with recovering the two deceased occupants and turning them over to the custody of the Coroner.
15 22:54 600032	SWE	LAND	1	23	1			23 North Shore, Coquitlam, Lions Bay, Squamish and Ridge Meadows SAR teams searched Grouse Mountain for a missing snowboarder. He was located by some snowshoers as he was walking out of the area on 16 Apr. He was mildly hypothermic and was transported to hospital by BCAS.
16 16:34 600033	CTL	INLAND WATER	1	15	1			15 Peachland Fire Dept members responded to rescue the occupant of an overturned kayak on Okanagan Lake. The kayaker was brought to shore safely.
16 18:50 600034	SEA	LAND	2	11	2			11 Beaver Valley SAR members responded to search for two missing 11 year old boys in the Fruitvale area. The boys were located alive and well.
WEEK TOTAL		15	18	129	16	2	0	ELT - 2
YEAR TO DATE		34	41	328	35	4	2	ELT - 3

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FLOODING

On 10 Apr 06, a debris flow was washed down Clement Creek north of Greenwood resulting in a deposit of mud and debris to be deposited on the Boundary Creek Road. The Emergency Program Coordinators for the City and Regional District were advised and conducted a site inspection to assess the damage and risk to public safety. A highway's maintenance crew responded and closed a portion of the road to vehicle traffic until the debris could be removed from the road surface and it was safe to resume regular traffic flow.

On 12 Apr 06, Hosmer Creek was approaching over bank flood levels with the potential to impact a number of homes. The SEA PREOC and PECC were activated to Level 1 in support of the Regional District to conduct remediation works by removing the gravel buildup and reduce the immediate threat of flooding.

On 14 Apr 06, Fruitvale Creek in Fruitvale, broke over its banks shortly after noon impacting 2 homes and a business. Municipal work crews managed to clear debris from the creek and associated culverts which reduced some of the impact. At least 2 other flood sites were reported, including Marsh Creek at Champion Lakes Road and Kenny Road at Beaver Creek. Local officials are responding to all flood sites. The SEA PREOC activated to Level 1 in support of local governments and sent two TEAMS members to the flood site to assist the local government crews with damage assessment. Bank armouring was completed by public works crews along Beaver Creek adjacent to municipal sewage lagoons. The PECC activated to level 1 to provide support and advice.

EVIDENCE SEARCH

On 14 Apr 06, Surrey SAR assisted the RCMP with an evidence search. Nothing was located and they were stood down.

MISCELLANEOUS

On 13 Apr 06, New West ESS responded to assist with the evacuation of 5-7 suites (20 people) due to a police incident.

URBAN FIRE (S):

DATE	LOCATION	<u>IMPACTED</u>		
10 Apr 06	North Vancouver	0 people		
10 Apr 06	Surrey	6 people		
12 Apr 06	Nanaimo	1 person		
15 Apr 06	Surrey	5 people		