



Morinville RCMP 2nd Quarter Report

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Purpose

To provide an update to Council on the operations of the Morinville RCMP Detachment.



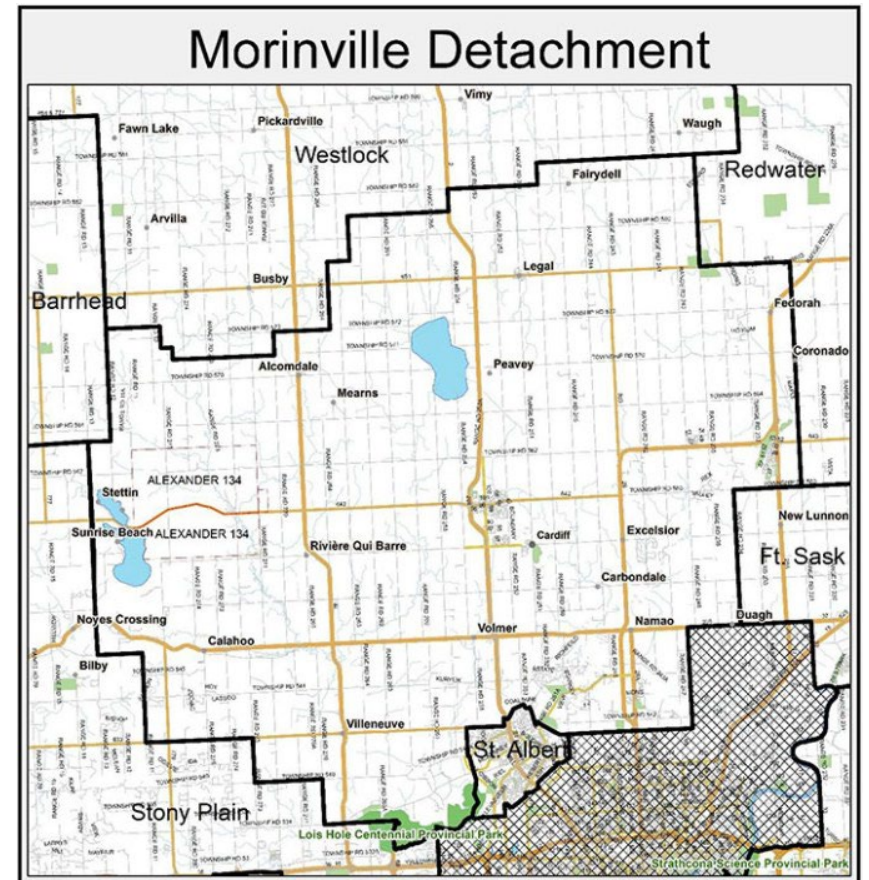
Priorities

Morinville RCMP Detachment Priorities	Sturgeon County Priorities
• Crime Reduction	• Rural Crime Reduction
• Enhanced Awareness and Education	• Community Engagement
• Employee Wellness and Respect	• Support for the Safe Communities Facilitator
• Enhanced Road Safety	

Jurisdiction and Call Volume

The Morinville R.C.M.P. Detachment provides 24-hour policing services to several municipalities and communities:

- Alexander First Nation
- Sturgeon County
- Town of Bon Accord
- Town of Gibbons
- Town of Legal
- Town of Morinville



Human Resources

Morinville Detachment is comprised of 40 personnel:

- 1 Staff Sergeant
- 1 Sergeant
- 5 Corporals
- 18 (+1) Constables including the School Resource Officer
- 4 Public Service Employees
- 4 Town of Morinville Full Time Employees
- 5 Town of Morinville Casual Employees
- 1 Reservist Constable

Officers are supported by Sturgeon Victim Services (9 in total) and 5 guards.

Remotely Piloted Aircraft System

Morinville selected in August 2024 as one of two new RPAS locations in Central Alberta District.

RPAS in use at Morinville Detachment since September 2024.

Remotely Piloted Aircraft System

RPAS are commonly known as Drones or UAVs (Unmanned Aerial Vehicles). They provide cost effective:

- Aerial photos
- HD video
- 3D imagery
- FLIR video/photos
- IR night vision
- Vegetation disturbance patterns, old burial sites
- Real-time situational awareness.

Remotely Piloted Aircraft System

When can an RPAS be used?

Examples of allowable use include:

- Traffic related investigations
- Emergency or disaster response
- Search and rescue
- Major crime scenes
- Investigations in areas where no expectation of privacy exists
- When a warrant has been obtained

Remotely Piloted Aircraft System

- Two members in Morinville Detachment currently trained as pilots.
- Used on 10 occasions since arrival.
- Used in cases of missing persons, vehicle thefts, and suspect pursuits.

Morinville Detachment Crime Statistics Sturgeon County

OFFENCE	Quarter 2 (July 1 to Sept 30)	Quarter 1 (April 1 to June 30)	Quarter 2 (July 1 to Sept 30 2023)	2024/25 YTD
Spousal Abuse	25	34	23	59
Mental Health Act	24	13	24	37
RPACT Referrals	4	3	4	7
Break and Enter (Residential)	10	14	13	24
Break and Enter (Commercial)	14	8	11	22
Theft of Vehicles	11	20	15	31
Fraud	14	2	19	16
Suspicious Persons	128	101	95	229
Impaired Driving	4	12	9	16

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Total RCMP Calls for Service within Sturgeon County

Quarter 2 (July 1 to Sept 30): 1,383

Year to Date (April 1 to Sept 30): 2,611

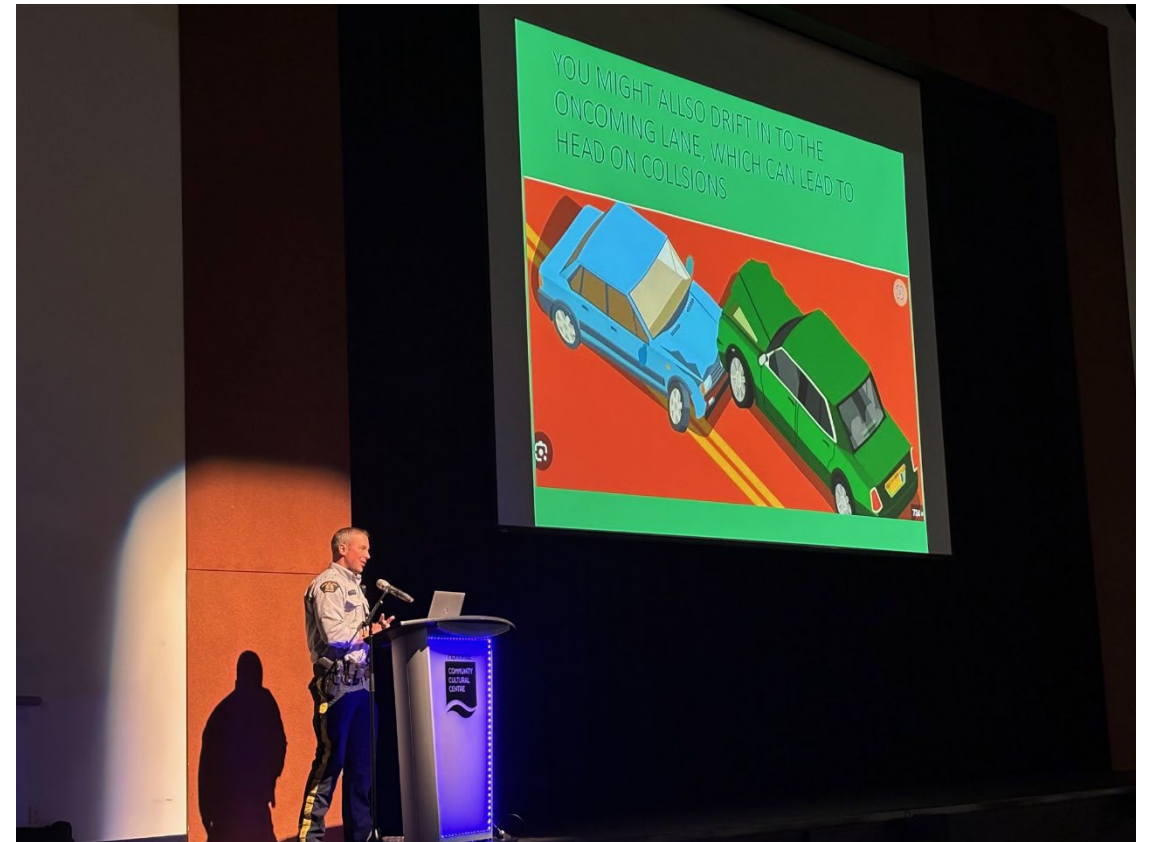
Previous Quarter (April 1 to June 30): 1,228

2023 Quarter 2 Comparison (July 1 to Sept 30): 1,255

2023 Year to Date Comparison (April 1 to Sept 30): 2,407

Collaboration with Safe Communities Facilitator

- Regular Touchpoint meetings
 - Coffee with a Cop - monthly
 - COP (Gibbons Presentation)
 - School Resource Officer
 - School events
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- Distracted Driving Presentation
 - Read In Week



Community Engagement

- Sturgeon Rural Crime Watch Meetings
- Coffee with a Cop – Pinewood, Calahoo
- Citizens on Patrol Meeting – Legal
- Communications Strategy
- School Resource Officer Program
- 2024/25 RCMP School Liaisons



Questions?

