



# WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 7 Sep 09 to 13 Sep 09

| 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                 | 3    | 0            | 17                             | 4                       | 2                        | 23                         |
| South West               | 0                 | 15   | 0            | 22                             | 3                       | 1                        | 57                         |
| Central                  | 0                 | 1    | 1            | 7                              | 10                      | 1                        | 48                         |
| South East               | 0                 | 3    | 0            | 5                              | 7                       | 0                        | 20                         |
| North East               | 0                 | 3    | 0            | 10                             | 6                       | 1                        | 25                         |
| North West               | 0                 | 0    | 0            | 6                              | 4                       | 1                        | 5                          |
| Headquarters             | 0                 | 0    | 0            | 0                              | 0                       | 0                        | 611                        |
| Provincial Weekly Totals | 0                 | 25   | 1            | 67                             | 34                      | 6                        | 789                        |
| Provincial Year to Date  | 51                | 416  | 158          | 1608                           | 857                     | 319                      | 18062                      |
|                          | Air               | Land | Inland Water | Dangerous Goods and Oil Spills | Motor Vehicle Incidents | Other (floods fire etc.) | General Enquiries and Info |
|                          | Search and Rescue |      |              |                                |                         |                          |                            |

|                           | Weekly | Year to Date |
|---------------------------|--------|--------------|
| Total Number of Incidents | 133    | 3409         |
| Protection Order Registry | 153    | 4271         |
| Problem Wildlife          | 520    | 11081        |
| Wildlife Enforcement      | 140    | 2377         |

**SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 7 SEP 09 TO 13 SEP 09**

| DATE/TIME<br>INCIDENT #             | PEP<br>REGION | INCIDENT        | ELT/<br>#VICTIMS | # PEP<br>VOL | LOCATED |      |    | COMMENTS   |
|-------------------------------------|---------------|-----------------|------------------|--------------|---------|------|----|--|
|                                     |               |                 |                  |              | ALIVE   | DEAD | NO |  |
| 21 17:18<br>900543<br><b>UPDATE</b> | NEA           | LAND            |                  | 11           |         |      |    | 11 Central Cariboo SAR members continued to search for a fisherman missing at the Gavin Lake Camp near Williams Lake. Nothing was located and the RCMP stood down the SAR on 10 Sep.   |
| 07 02:01<br>900600                  | SWE           | LAND            | 1                | 3            | 1       |      |    | 3 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for an elderly Alzheimer's patient who had gone missing in Abbotsford. The patient was located in good condition and the SAR team was stood down.  |
| 07 10:20<br>900601                  | SEA           | LAND            | 1                | 12           | 1       |      |    | 12 Nelson SAR members responded to rescue a 72 year old male with an injured ankle from Pulpit Rock. The subject was assisted off the trail and transferred to BCAS for assessment.  |
| 08 15:38<br>900602                  | SWE           | LAND            | 3                | 9            | 3       |      |    | 9 Pemberton SAR members responded to search for three missing campers in the Sloquet Hot Springs area. The 3 missing campers self-rescued and SAR was stood down.  |
| 07 20:54<br>900603                  | CTL           | INLAND<br>WATER | 1                | 3            | 1       |      |    | 3 Kelowna Fire Rescue members responded to rescue a stranded kite surfer off of Rotary Beach in Okanagan Lake near Kelowna. The stranded kite surfer self-rescued and Kelowna Fire Rescue was stood down.  |
| 07 23:37<br>900604                  | SWE           | LAND            | 1                | 4            | 1       |      |    | 4 Coquitlam SAR members were mustering to search for a missing female in Central Park, Burnaby when RCMP advised the subject was located and SAR was stood down.   |
| 10 00:30<br>900605                  | SWE           | LAND            | 3                | 6            | 3       |      |    | 6 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for three missing mountain bikers near the Trans Canada Trail. The missing mountain bikers were located alive and well in Hope.   |
| 09 17:00<br>900606                  | CTL           | LAND            | 1                | 23           |         | 1    |    | 23 Penticton SAR and 5 PEP Air members responded to search for a missing 83 year old diabetic man in the Naramata area. The subject was recovered deceased after his vehicle was discovered at the base of a steep embankment.                                 |
| 10 10:28<br>900607                  | SWE           | LAND            | 1                | 7            |         | 1    |    | 7 Whistler SAR members responded to provide medical rescue for an unconscious patient 3 km up the Garibaldi trail. Subject was pronounced deceased and handed over to BC Coroner Service.  |
| 10 15:50<br>900608                  | SWE           | LAND            | 1                | 5            | 1       |      |    | 5 Lions Bay SAR members responded with HETS to rescue one of their members who fell and was injured while installing an equipment cache on The Lions. The injured subject was successfully rescued.  |
| 10 19:46<br>900609                  | VIR           | LAND            | 1                | 33           | 1       |      |    | 33 Powell River SAR and PEP Air members responded to search for despondent male in the Powell River area. PEP Air located the subject near his broken down vehicle and radioed location to ground SAR who used ATV's to transport the subject out of the area. |
| 10 21:12                            | NEA           | LAND            | 1                | 5            | 1       |      |    | 5 members of Quesnel SAR, West Chilcotin SAR,  |

|                    |     |      |   |    |   |  |  |
|--------------------|-----|------|---|----|---|--|--|
| 900610             |     |      |   |    |   |  | Williams Lake SAR and 100 Mile House SAR responded to search for a missing fire fighter in the Alexis Creek area. SAR was stood down when the subject walked out of the bush on his own.   |
| 11 20:47<br>900611 | SWE | LAND | 1 | 12 | 1 |  | 12 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a stranded hiker on the other side of Cultus Lake near Chilliwack. The subject was assisted by other hikers in the area, prior to SAR arrival.   |
| 12 09:57<br>900612 | SWE | LAND | 1 | 7  | 1 |  | 7 Hope and Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue an injured hiker on the Zupjok Mountain Trail off the Coquihalla between the tunnel and the toll booth. Ground SAR members packaged the subject who was picked up by helicopter and transported to the hospital in Hope. |
| 12 18:47<br>900613 | NEA | LAND |   | 4  |   |  | 4 North Peace SAR members responded to search for a missing motorcyclist thought to have been involved in an accident near Fort St. John. Nothing was located and the RCMP stood the SAR Team down.  |
| 12 17:16<br>900614 | VIR | LAND | 2 | 1  | 2 |  | 1 Campbell River SAR member responded to search for an elderly couple on the Cranberry Main. The SAR team was stood down when the RCMP helicopter spotted the two subjects who were picked and brought out by RCMP patrol car.   |
| 12 17:54<br>900615 | SEA | LAND | 1 | 4  | 1 |  | 4 Golden SAR members responded following a distress call from a SPOT Beacon in the Lang Creek area near Kickinghorse. SAR members located a group of 12 hikers, one with a broken leg, who was airlifted out to the helipad and then transported to hospital by vehicle.       |
| 12 1851<br>900616  | SWE | LAND | 2 | 21 | 2 |  | 17 Coquitlam SAR and 4 North Shore Rescue HETS Team members responded to rescue two lost hikers in the Buntzen Lake area. The two hikers were located and airlifted out of the area.   |
| 12 22:13<br>900617 | SWE | LAND | 2 | 5  | 2 |  | 5 Squamish SAR members responded to locate two overdue hikers on The Chief. Members located the two overdue hikers on the trail that leads to the third peak alive and well.   |
| 13 11:33<br>900618 | SWE | LAND | 1 | 24 | 1 |  | 13 Coquitlam SAR, 8 Ridge Meadows SAR and 3 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue an injured hiker from the Widgeon Falls area. The injured hiker was rescued using HETS and was turned over to BCAS for assessment, treatment and transport.                         |
| 13 12:47<br>900619 | NEA | LAND | 1 | 5  | 1 |  | 5 North Peace SAR members responded to search for a hunter missing overnight in the King Mountain Ranch area. The hunter was located in good condition.  |
| 13 14:29<br>900620 | SWE | LAND | 1 | 10 | 1 |  | 10 Squamish SAR volunteers responded to rescue an injured mountain biker on the Peanuts Wild Ride Trail on the Diamond Head Hill. SAR members used a wheeled stretcher to bring the individual out and turned him over to BCAS for transport to hospital.                      |
| 13 15:19<br>900621 | SWE | LAND | 1 | 12 | 1 |  | 6 Kent Harrison and 6 Chilliwack SAR members responded to rescue a paraglider stuck in a tree on   |

|                                    |     |            |            |             |            |           |           |   |
|------------------------------------|-----|------------|------------|-------------|------------|-----------|-----------|---|
|                                    |     |            |            |             |            |           |           | Mount Cheam. A helicopter was used to transport SAR members in. The paraglider was rescued uninjured and brought out.   |
| 13 16:17<br>900622                 | SWE | LAND       | 5          | 8           | 5          |           |           | 8 North Shore Rescue members responded to rescue two stranded hikers from a steep canyon on Grouse Mountain. While rescuing the two hikers, three other lost hikers were located and brought out.   |
| 13 18:54<br>900623                 | SEA | LAND       | 1          | 9           |            |           | 1         | 9 members from Revelstoke and Salmon Arm SAR teams responded to search for a missing para-glider on Begbie Mountain. ONGOING  |
| 13 21:23<br>900624                 | VIR | LAND       | 1          | 1           |            |           | 1         | 1 Metchosin SAR member responded to assist RCMP with initiating a search for a missing male in the Triangle Mountain area. ONGOING.   |
| 13 21:35<br>900625                 | SWE | LAND       | 1          | 8           | 1          |           |           | 8 North Shore Rescue responded to rescue a mountain biker on the Baden Powell Trail. He was located in good health and was escorted out of the area.  |
| 6 18:30<br>900598<br><b>UPDATE</b> | CTL | LAND       | -3         |             |            |           | -3        | Information received from US Border Patrol indicated the story by the four individuals who were rescued had been recanted and the search for the other 3 subjects thought to have been missing was discontinued. SAR teams were stood down and the matter was turned over to the authorities for further investigation. |
| <b>WEEK<br/>TOTAL</b>              |     | 26         | 33         | 252         | 32         | 2         | -1        | ELT - 0   |
| <b>YEAR TO<br/>DATE</b>            |     | <b>625</b> | <b>761</b> | <b>6290</b> | <b>699</b> | <b>42</b> | <b>20</b> | <b>ELT - 42</b>   |

**WEEKLY INCIDENT REPORT 07 – 13 Sept 2009**

**URBAN FIRE (S):**

| <b><u>DATE</u></b> | <b><u>LOCATION</u></b> | <b><u>IMPACTED</u></b> |
|--------------------|------------------------|------------------------|
| 09 Sep 09          | Burns Lake             | 4 People               |
| 10 Sep 09          | Shawnigan Lake         | 4 people               |
| 11 Sep 09          | Vancouver              | 2 people               |
| 12 Sep 09          | Esquimalt              | 6 people               |
| 13 Sep 09          | Vernon                 | 4 people               |
| 13 Sep 09          | 100 Mile House         | 2 people               |