



# WEEKLY INCIDENT SITUATION REPORT



PERIOD: 19 Oct 09 to 25 Oct 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	1	5	0	22	3	2	38
South West	0	9	1	26	4	2	27
Central	0	4	0	7	15	2	45
South East	0	2	0	4	8	0	13
North East	0	2	1	9	20	1	33
North West	0	1	0	2	2	0	8
Headquarters	0	0	0	0	0	0	533
Provincial Weekly Totals	1	23	2	70	52	7	697
Provincial Year to Date	58	519	175	1951	1073	365	22065
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	Weekly	Year to Date
Total Number of Incidents	155	4141
Protection Order Registry	146	5223
Problem Wildlife	493	15154
Wildlife Enforcement	175	3296

**SEARCH AND RESCUE INFORMATION - WEEKLY PERIOD: 19 OCT 09 TO 25 OCT 09**

DATE/TIME INCIDENT #	PEP REGION	INCIDENT	ELT/ #VICTIMS	# PEP VOL	LOCATED			COMMENTS
					ALIVE	DEAD	NO	
19 15:15 900727	SEA	LAND	1	7	1			7 Arrow Lake SAR members were stood down while mustering in response to request by RCMP to search for a mushroom picker in the Fish River area near Nakusp.
19 18:40 900728	SWE	LAND	1	24	1			24 Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for an 11 year old boy that went missing near Watson Elementary School in Chilliwack. The boy was discovered by SAR about one block away from the school.
19 19:39 900729	SEA	LAND		4				4 Elkford SAR members responded to investigate report of beacon signals sounding from the Elk Lake Forest Service Road area near Elkford as requested by RCMP. In conclusion after discussing the possibility of the beacon used accidentally tasking was concluded by RCMP pending further investigation.
31 16:13 900580 <b>UPDATE</b>	CTL	INLAND WATER		6				6 Vernon and Kamloops SAR members responded at the request of RCMP to reopen search for an individual who went overboard into Kamloops Lake on 31 August 2009. The SAR teams used boats, underwater cameras and side scan sonar equipment over the week-end with negative results.
20 17:21 900730	VIR	LAND	2	17	2			17 Arrowsmith SAR members responded to search for 2 subjects missing from the scene of a motor vehicle incident on Fisher and Winchester Roads in Parksville. SAR were stood down when subjects were located by RCMP walking down a logging road.
20 21:49 900731	NWE	LAND	1	12	1			12 Terrace SAR members responded to search for a mushroom picker missing from near the Terrace Airport. The next day the subject walked out to a power line clearing after hearing search and rescue members in the area.
21 10:33 900732	SWE	LAND	1	8	1			8 Hope, Kent Harrison and Chilliwack SAR members responded to search for a male mushroom picker overdue from a trip 30-50 miles up the Nahatlach near Boston Bar. The subject was located by RCMP and was overdue because his vehicle had mechanical difficulties.
21 21:06 900733	SWE	LAND	1	25	1			18 Whistler and Pemberton SAR members, 7 convergent volunteers and an RCMP helicopter searched for a 55 year old female missing from Lost Lake Park in Whistler area over a two day period. The subject was located the next day alive and well.
22 09:59 900734	CTL	LAND	1	26		1		26 Vernon, Revelstoke, Shuswap and Kamloops SAR members responded to search for a 96 year old male gone missing from his residence in Enderby. Subject was located deceased approximately one kilometer from his residence by SAR and turned over to the coroner.
22 14:59	SWE	LAND	1	7	1			7 North Shore Rescue members responded to

900735								search for a hiker missing on Holyburn Mountain. They were assisted by an RCMP Dog Handler, 2 West Vancouver Parks members and Air 1 and Talon helicopters. The subject was located escorted from the area by North Shore Rescue.
22 14:58 900736	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	8			1	8 Quesnel SAR members responded to search for an elderly male that had reportedly fallen down an embankment and into the Fraser River while bent over cutting down a tree. Subject was located deceased down river by SAR team.
22 18:39 900737	VIR	LAND	1	18	1			18 Port Alberni, Arrowsmith, Nanaimo, West Coast and Comox Valley SAR members responded to search for a mushroom picker missing from the Beaver Creek Road area near Port Alberni. The subject was located and escorted from the area by SAR.
23 06:44 900738	CTL	LAND	1	9			1	6 Kamloops and 3 Logan Lake SAR members responded to investigate report of hunter missing from the accident scene where he had crashed his vehicle and then called a tow truck. The subject was located deceased by SAR and turned over to the Coroner.
23 06:50 900739	SWE	LAND	1	1	1			1 North Shore Rescue member was contacted in response to an injured hiker halfway up the Grouse Grind. The hiker was escorted from the area by the Fire Department and SAR were not required.
23 07:18 900740	SWE	LAND	1	6	1			6 Central Fraser Valley SAR members responded to search for a female Alzheimer's patient reported missing from her residence in Abbotsford. Subject was located by SAR sitting inside a vehicle in a nearby parking lot in good condition.
23 09:57 900741	SWE	LAND	1	17			1	17 Sunshine Coast SAR members responded to search local trails and Coast guard provided a shore line search in response to report of a male missing since Tuesday from the Halfmoon Bay area. RCMP stood down SAR pending further investigation.
23 15:57 900742	SWE	INLAND WATER	1	1			1	1 member of Coquitlam SAR was contacted in response to kayaker reportedly swimming to shore from his overturned kayak on Sasmat Lake at White Pine Beach. The RCMP boat on scene initiated call out to RCMP dive team and SAR were stood down.
23 16:09 900743	VIR	LAND	2	3	2			3 Duncan SAR members responded as requested by RCMP to assist two hikers from Mount Tzuhalem near Duncan. The hikers walked out on their own and SAR were stood down by RCMP.
23 17:28 900744	CTL	LAND		1				Kamloops SAR team were contacted by RCMP to search for a 15 year old auto theft suspect near Clinton. Tasking for SAR response was denied in consideration of safety and health of responders.
23 23:08 900745	NEA	LAND	1	12	1			12 100 Mile House SAR members responded to search for a hunter missing in the Horse Lake area. SAR members searched on ATV's through the night and the hunter was located uninjured the morning of 24 Oct.
24 16:30	SWE	LAND	1	12	1			12 Coquitlam SAR members responded to search

900746								for a 4 year old child last seen playing in the front yard of the family residence. While SAR were mustering the child was located in a tree a short distance from home.
24 20:03 900747	CTL	LAND	1	7	1			7 Oliver and Osoyoos SAR members were stood down by RCMP while mustering to search for an Alzheimer's patient who had wandered away from a residential care home in Osoyoos. The subject was located by the RCMP at his mother's home alive and well.
24 20:29 900748	VIR	AIR	ELT	2				2 PEP Air members responded to assist JRCC in locating an emergency locator transmitter sounding near Comox landfill. PEP Air members located the unit in a garbage bin. It was an EPIRB (Emergency Position Indicating Radio Beacon) from a vessel and was taken to the Coast Guard for destruction.
24 21:07 900749	NEA	INLAND WATER	1	17	1			17 Prince George SAR members responded to search for an overdue canoeist on a river near Bear Lake. Subject had flipped out of the canoe and by the next morning when located was suffering from stage two hypothermia. Subject was transported to BCAS for assessment.
25 15:04 900750	SWE	LAND	1	21			1	21 Sunshine Coast SAR members responded to search for a female missing from her residence near Soames Hill in Gibsons. The Coast Guard Auxiliary were called out to conduct a shoreline search. RCMP stood down SAR pending further investigation.
25 17:25 900751	VIR	LAND	1	14	1			14 Campbell River SAR members were stood down while mustering to search for a male who had called RCMP to report he had flipped his vehicle near the Quinsam River. RCMP stood down SAR response after locating the individual alive and well.
25 19:30 900752	VIR	LAND	1	29			1	29 Saanich, Victoria and Metchosin SAR members responded to a request from Saanich Police to search for a missing elderly male in the Cordova Bay/Gordon Head area. SAR were stood down by the police pending further investigation.
<b>WEEK TOTAL</b>		26	25	314	18	3	4	ELT - 1
<b>YEAR TO DATE</b>		752	897	7808	820	50	27	ELT - 48

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**URBAN FIRE (S):**

<b><u>DATE</u></b>	<b><u>LOCATION</u></b>	<b><u>IMPACTED</u></b>
19 Oct	Vernon	3 people
19 Oct	Oliver	5 people
19 Oct	Chilliwack	1 person
20 Oct	Port Alberni	1 person
24 Oct	Dawson Creek	1 person
25 Oct	Surrey	1 person
25 Oct	Victoria	4 people