

DELTA POLICE BOARD

OPEN MEETING AGENDA

Date 2024-06-19
Time 09:00 AM
Location North Delta Centre for the Arts - 11425 84th Avenue



A. CALL TO ORDER	Land Acknowledgment: This meeting is taking place on the shared, traditional, ancestral, and unceded territories of the sc̓áw̓aθ̓ən (Tsawwassen), x̓ʷməθk̓ʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), and other Coast Salish Peoples. We extend our appreciation to these First Nations for the opportunity to hold this meeting here today.	
B. ADOPTIONS ■	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Adoption of the Open Agenda - June 19, 2024 2. Adoption of the Open Minutes - May 15, 2024 	<p>AD AD</p>
C. PRESENTATIONS & DELEGATIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Recognition of Delta Police Board Service: Annette Garm 	
D. CONSENT AGENDA ■	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Action Document 2. Crime Statistics and Maps - May 2024 3. Police Board Events Calendar 4. Updated Police Board Meeting Calendar 5. DPD News Releases 6. Compliments for the DPD Team 7. Reappointment of Board Member Lara Victoria 	<p> </p>
E. REPORTS & PRIORITY ITEMS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Chief's Reports <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Chief Constable Monthly Activity Report: May 2024 ■ b. E-Comm Sustainable Funding: Implementing a Cell Phone Levy ■ c. Cops for Cancer 2024 ■ d. CSWP: Community Navigator Updates ■ e. 2024 Annual Awards Ceremony ■ 2. BCAPB Updates <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. BCAPB May Open Minutes ■ 	<p> </p>
F. NEW BUSINESS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any additional items as requested 	
G. CONTINUE MEETING IN PRIVATE	<p>In accordance with the <i>Police Act (S.69(2))</i>, a portion of a meeting may be held in private if any of the following are expected to arise:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a) a matter concerning public security, the disclosure of which could reasonably be expected to seriously impair effective policing or law enforcement; b) a matter concerning a person's financial or personal affairs, if the person's interest in the matter outweighs the public's interest in the matter; c) a matter concerning labour contract discussions, labour management relations, layoffs or another personnel matter; d) a matter concerning information that a person has requested he or she be allowed to give in private to the Board or committee 	

H. ADJOURNMENT Motion to adjourn the Open Meeting.

The next meeting of the Delta Police Board will take place on September 18, 2024.

OP B.2
DELTA POLICE BOARD
OPEN MEETING MINUTES

Date 2024-05-15
Time 09:00 AM
Location Council Chamber, Delta City Hall



Minutes of the Open Meeting held Wednesday, May 15, 2024 at 9:00am at City Hall in Council Chamber, 4500 Clarence Taylor Crescent, Delta, British Columbia.

PRESENT

Ian Tait, Acting Chair*
Sharan Oberoi*
Warren Dean Flandez*
Chief Laura Cassidy
Lara Victoria
Councillor Daniel Boisvert

Neil Dubord, Chief Constable
Michelle Davey, Deputy Chief
Harj Sidhu, Deputy Chief
Jassie Ram, Corporate Services Manager
Volker Helmuth, Legal & Risk Management Manager
Tracie Nunes, Board Secretary

***Attended Via Zoom**

REGRETS

Annette Garm, Firth Bateman

A. CALL TO ORDER

Meeting called to order at 9:00am.
The Chair began the meeting with the Indigenous land acknowledgement.

National Police Week Acknowledgement
The Chair provided a note of acknowledgement to DPD from the Board in recognition of Police Week.

B. ADOPTIONS

1. Adoption of the Open Agenda of May 15, 2024

MOVED/SECONDED

THAT the Delta Police Board approve the Open Agenda of May 15, 2024, as presented.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

2. Adoption of the Open Minutes of April 10, 2024.

MOVED/SECONDED

THAT the Delta Police Board approves the minutes of the Open Meeting April 10, 2024.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

C. PRESENTATIONS & DELEGATIONS

1. Appointment of New Police Board Member, Daniel Boisvert

Chief Dubord administered Oath of Office to Councillor Daniel Boisvert.

2. No Delegations

Items C.1 and C.2 received for information.

D. CONSENT AGENDA

1. Action Document
2. Crime Statistics and Maps - April 2024
3. Police Board Events Calendar
4. Updated Police Board Meeting Calendar
5. DPD Online Incident Reporting System Compatibility with DeltaConnect
6. DPD News Releases
7. 2023 Delta Police Board Meeting Honorarium Report
8. Compliments for the DPD Team

Items D.1 to D.10 received for information and approved where required.

E. REPORTS & PRIORITY ITEMS

1. Chief's Reports

- a. Chief Constable Monthly Activity Report: April 2024
As provided in agenda package.
 - b. Community Safety and Well-Being Plan: 2024 Q1 KPIs
DC Sidhu provided clarification with respect to the Priority 1 response time, noting that there have been delays with dispatching calls from E-Comm, but once calls are dispatched, DPD is within the target time of 9 minutes to respond to calls. DPD continues to work with E-Comm to ensure calls are dispatched in a timely manner.
 - c. Body Worn Cameras Program Update
Chief provided an update on the DPD's Body Worn Cameras Program noting that the Patrol Pilot is progressing well.
 - d. Cell Phone Levy Request - E-Comm Funding
Chief provided an update on request to implement a cell phone levy to ensure a sustainable funding model for E-Comm. This initiative has been endorsed by BC Association of Chiefs of Police and taken to the province, as presented in the agenda package.
 - e. Stanley Cup Playoffs
Chief provided an update to the Board on Stanley Cup playoff games, noting the following:
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- i. No issues have been identified with community viewing parties at Social Heart Plaza
 - ii. Regular closures of intersection at 72nd Avenue and Scott Road are being managed by patrol officers following winning games, as a result of large celebrations spilling into the intersection.
 - iii. Cost of overtime is approximately \$6,000 per game.
- f. Community Engagement Events
- i. Youth Leadership Conference
Chief provided an update to the Board on the Youth Leadership Conference, which is a partnership between DPD, City of Delta and Delta School Board, noting that it was a successful event with 130 students attending the event.
 - ii. Summer Solstice Run, Walk, Roll
Delta Police Foundation is hosting Summer Solstice Run, Walk & Roll on June 20th at 6:30pm.
- Action:** Staff to send details of event to Board.
- g. Axon Roadshow
Axon Roadshow will be taking place on May 27th at Delta Police Headquarters in the west parking lot beginning at 10am. Police officers and Board Members are welcome to register to attend event.

Item E.1 received for information.

2. Quarterly Finance Report - 2024 Q1

Quarterly finance report (2023 Q4) overview provided.

Item E.2 received for information.

3. British Columbia Association of Police Board (BCAPB) Updates

a. 2024-25 BCAPB Executive

Lara Victoria provided an update on the 2024 BCAPB conference, noting that she was elected president at the AGM. The next meeting of BCAPB will be on May 24, 2024.

BCAPB will be participating in focus groups to provide input to BCAMCP in the development of a Discussion Paper on regionalization.

Item E.3 received for information.

F. NEW BUSINESS

1. No New Business

G. CONTINUE MEETING IN PRIVATE

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MOVED/SECONDED

THAT the Delta Police Board continue the meeting in Private.

CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

H. ADJOURNMENT

Delta Police Board Open Meeting adjourned at
The next meeting of the Delta Police Board will take place on June 19, 2024.

<hr/> <p>Ian Tait Acting Chair</p>	<hr/> <p>Tracie Nunes Recording Secretary</p>
<hr/> <p>Date</p>	<hr/> <p>Date</p>



**DELTA POLICE BOARD
OPEN MEETING ACTION DOCUMENT**

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Green	In progress

ACTION ITEM	Meeting Date	Assigned to	Status
E.1fii Chief’s Reports – Summer Solstice, Run, Walk, Roll Send details of event to Board.	May 15, 2024	Staff	Complete.

Monthly Police Board Statistics Report May 2024

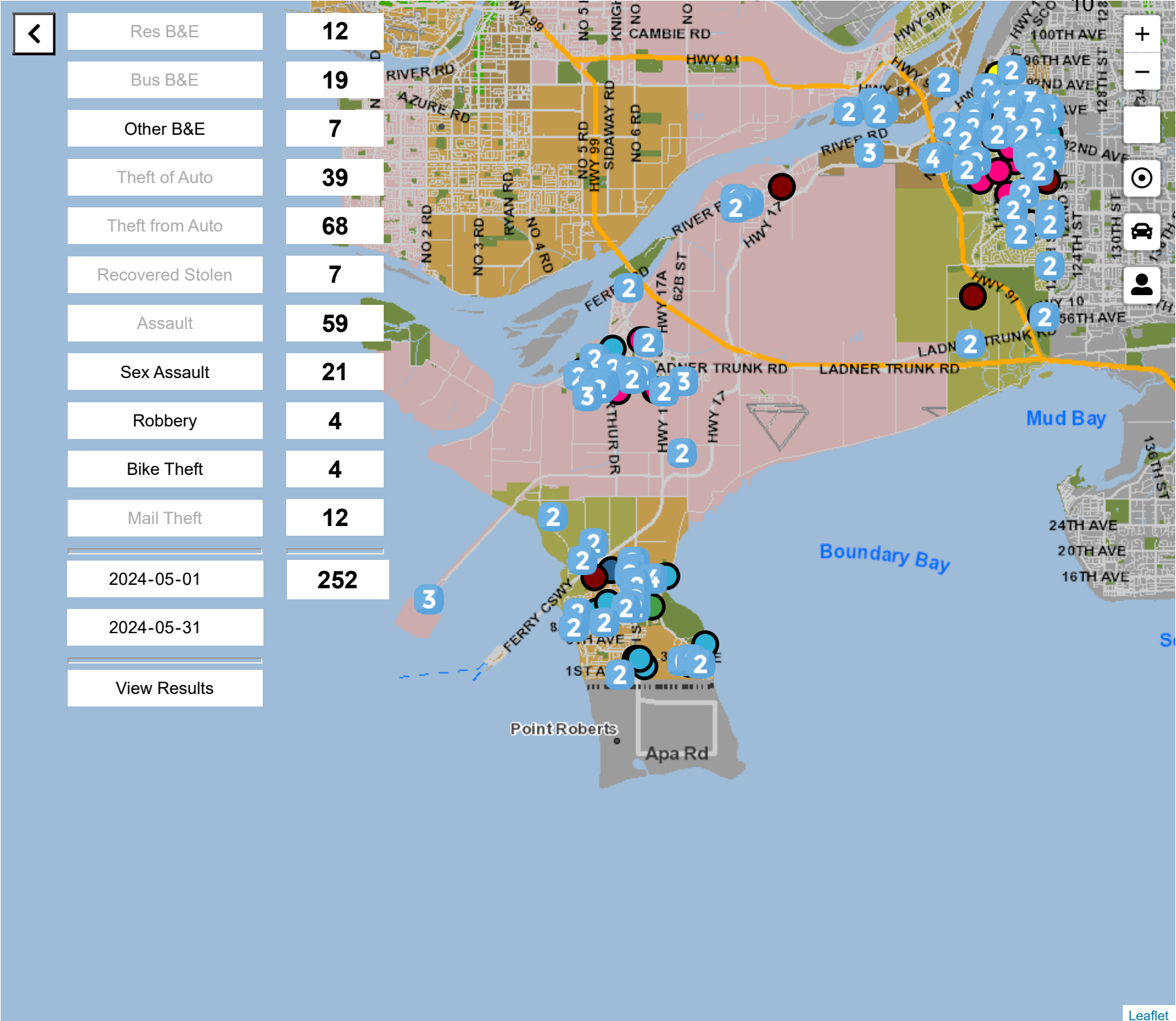


Crime Type	Apr-24	May-24	May 3YR AVG	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	YTD 3YR AVG	Trend	YTD % Change 3YR Avg
Person Offences								
Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	▶	0%
Attempted Homicide	0	0	0	1	0	0	▶	0%
Sexual Assault (Level I)	3	7	7	25	23	26	▼	-12%
Sexual Assault (Level II, Level III)	0	1	2	10	10	9	▲	11%
Total Assaults (Common, Weapon, Aggravated)	31	20	35	197	132	160	▼	-18%
Robbery	8	0	2	15	10	12	▼	-17%
Violent Offences - Other	1	0	2	9	7	12	▼	-42%
Person Offences - Other	43	26	40	203	140	174	▼	-20%
Total Person Offences	83	53	87	449	312	383	▼	-19%
Property Offences								
Break & Enter - Commercial	10	9	11	41	44	45	▼	-2%
Break & Enter - Residential	7	7	8	43	33	45	▼	-27%
Theft of Vehicle	9	8	7	53	38	43	▼	-12%
Theft from Vehicle	36	28	54	287	139	297	▼	-53%
Theft Over/Under \$5000	95	84	79	473	447	405	▲	10%
Mischief to Property Over/Under \$5000	30	35	60	255	190	244	▼	-22%
Total Property Offences	233	217	260	1390	1145	1301	▼	-12%
Traffic Offences								
Fatal MVI	0	0	1	2	0	1	▼	-100%
Collisions (All)	101	103	107	521	477	490	▼	-3%
Other Offences								
Intimate Partner Violence	12	8	12	82	64	58	▲	10%
Youth (*Excludes Traffic Offences)	6	6	6	33	23	33	▼	-30%
Weapon Violations	1	3	11	31	12	40	▼	-70%
Cybercrime	70	73	66	331	324	299	▲	8%
False Alarms (Dispatched)	29	24	42	179	139	218	▼	-36%
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	2,005	2,209	2,706	12,733	9,806	12,136	▼	-19%

TFN (Zone 3) Statistics Report May 2024

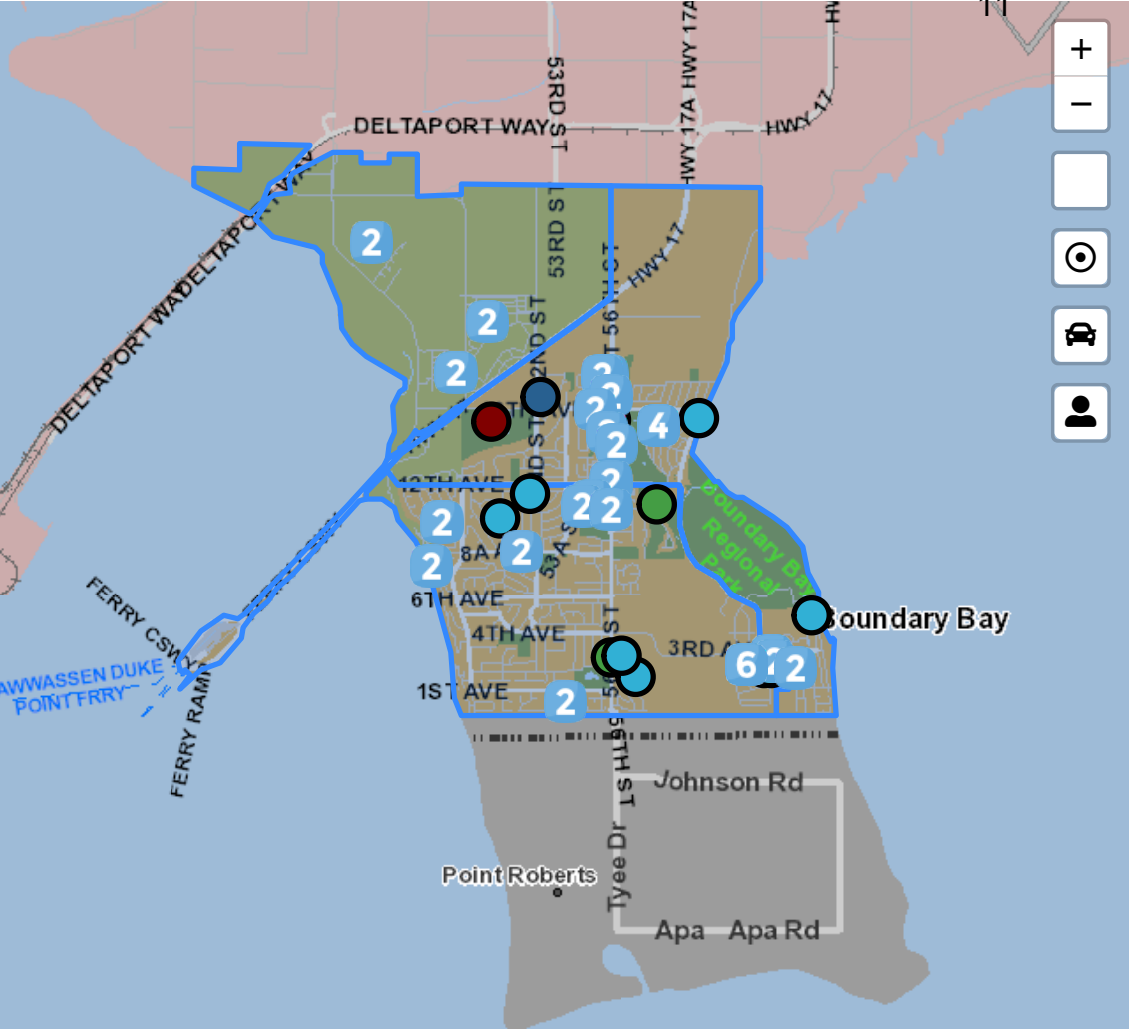


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Person Offences								
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Attempted Homicide	0	0	0	0	0	0	▶	0%
Sexual Assault (Level I)	0	0	0	0	0	1	▼	-100%
Sexual Assault (Level II, Level III)	0	0	0	0	1	1	▶	0%
Total Assaults (Common, Weapon, Aggravated)	1	0	2	11	7	8	▼	-13%
Robbery	0	0	0	1	1	1	▶	0%
Violent Offences - Other	0	0	0	2	0	1	▼	-100%
Person Offences - Other	1	3	3	5	6	8	▼	-25%
Total Person Offences	2	3	5	19	15	20	▼	-25%
Property Offences								
Break & Enter - Commercial	0	0	0	1	1	2	▼	-50%
Break & Enter - Residential	0	0	1	5	0	5	▼	-100%
Theft of Vehicle	0	1	0	1	4	1	▲	300%
Theft from Vehicle	3	1	1	6	5	8	▼	-38%
Theft Over/Under \$5000	22	14	15	104	108	80	▲	35%
Mischief to Property Over/Under \$5000	3	1	2	14	11	13	▼	-15%
Total Property Offences	30	17	21	142	138	113	▲	22%
Traffic Offences								
Fatal MVI	0	0	0	0	0	0	▶	0%
Collisions (All)	2	3	6	26	12	20	▼	-40%
Other Offences								
Intimate Partner Violence	1	0	1	4	3	3	▶	0%
Youth (*Excludes Traffic Offences)	1	2	0	2	4	3	▲	33%
Weapon Violations	1	1	1	2	3	4	▼	-25%
Cybercrime	2	2	2	11	9	10	▼	-10%
False Alarms (Dispatched)	2	5	3	18	17	21	▼	-19%
TOTAL CALLS FOR SERVICE	116	83	114	596	445	539	▼	-17%



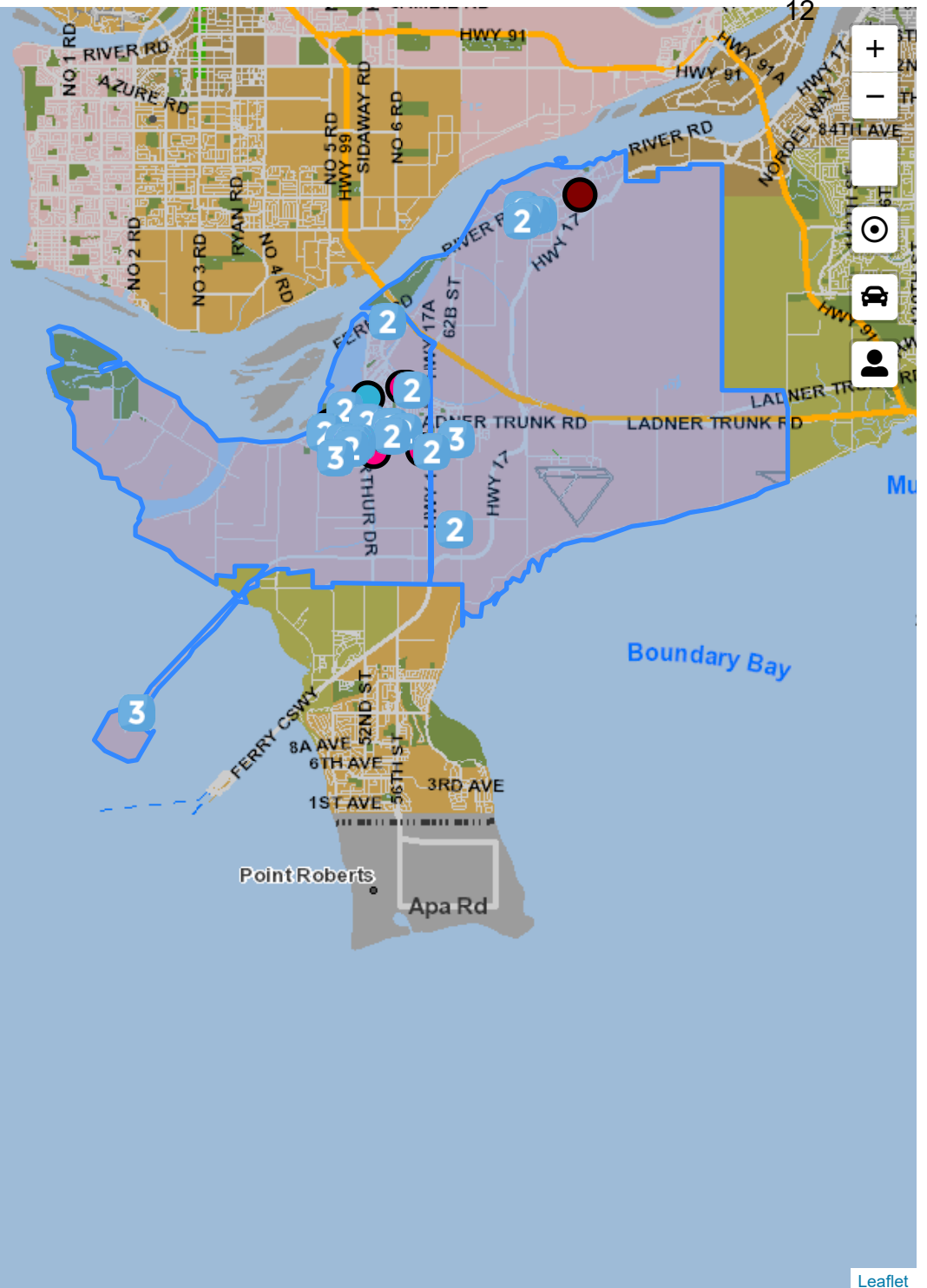
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	Other B&E	3
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	Theft from Auto	24
	Recovered Stolen	0
	Assault	7
	Sex Assault	2
	Robbery	0
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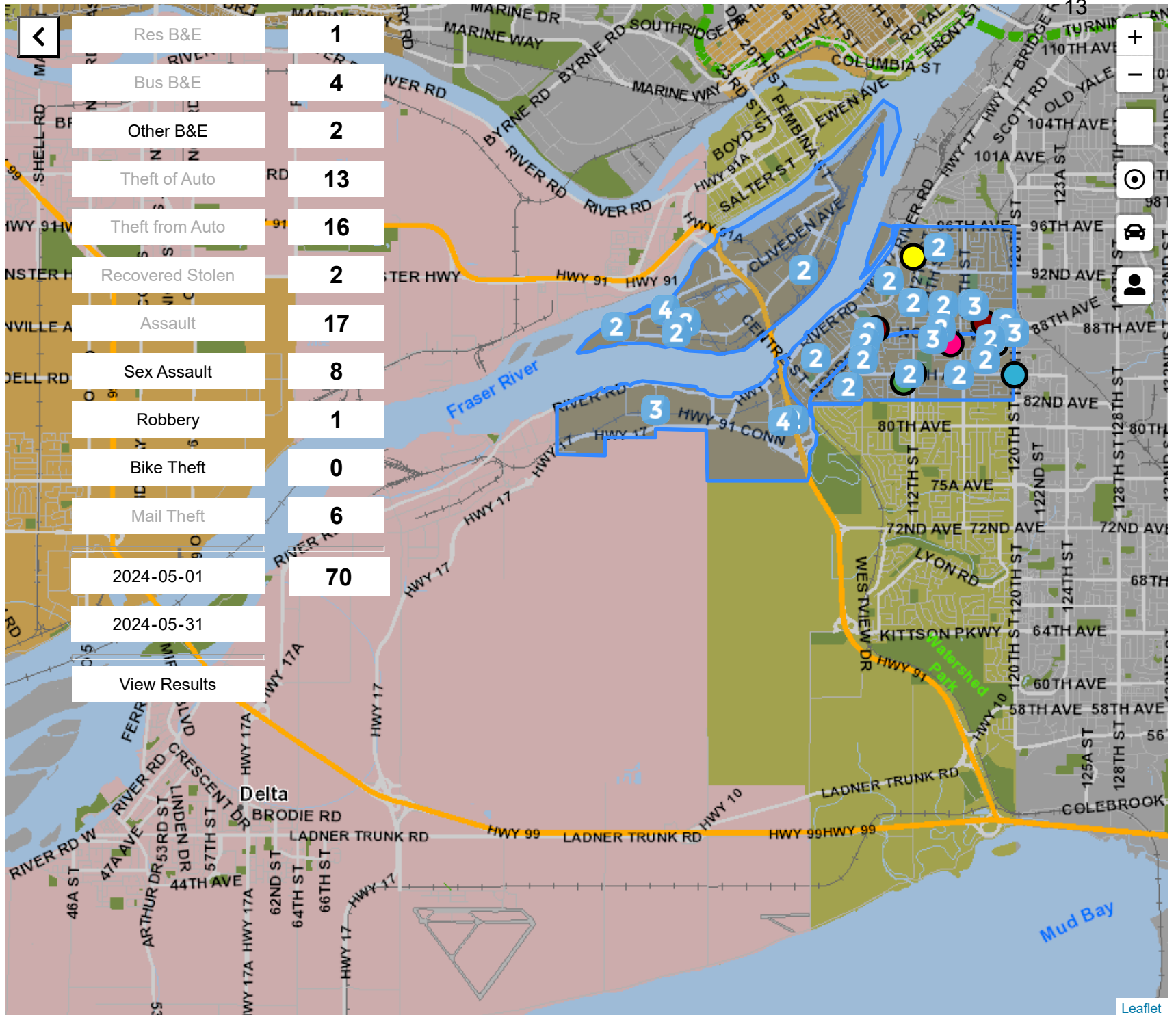


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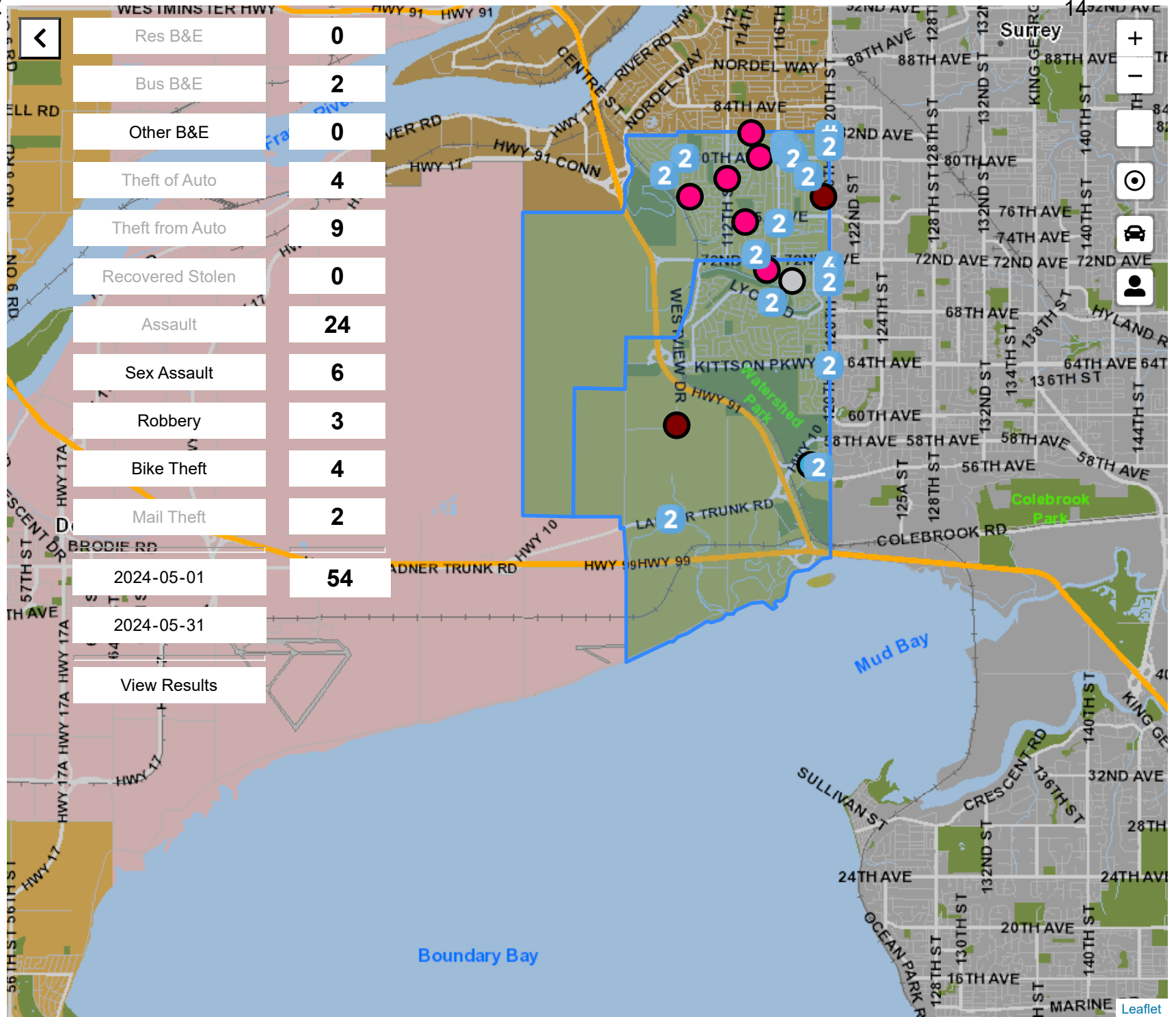
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June 2024



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			Police Board Meeting ND Centre for the Arts	DPF Run, Walk, Roll	National Indigenous Peoples Day	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
		Finance & Risk Management Committee	HR Committee Governance Committee	DPD Family Picnic Harris Barn		
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July 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
30	1 Canada Day	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Student Police Academy Graduation ND Arts Centre	12	13 Boundary Bay Airshow
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5	Notes				

August 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
4	5 BC Day	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21 Finance & Risk Management Committee	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
1	2	Notes				

September 2024



Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 Labour Day	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13 Barnside Harvest Festival	14 Barnside Harvest Festival
15 Barnside Harvest Festival	16	17	18 Police Board Meeting	19 Cops for Cancer BBQ - DPD HQ	20	21
22	23	24	25 HR Committee Governance Committee	26	27	28
29	30 National Day for Truth and Reconciliation	1	2	3	4	5
6	7	Notes				

January							February							March						
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July							August							September						
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21	22	23	24	25	26	27	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
28	29	30	31				25	26	27	28	29	30	31	29	30					

October							November							December						
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
27	28	29	30	31			24	25	26	27	28	29	30	29	30	31				

Board Mtg 9:00am Council Chambers	Board Mtg 9:00am NDCA	F&RM Comm 9:00 am	HR Comm 8:00 am	Gov Comm 9:00 am	Public Holiday	BCAPB Vancouver
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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Delta Police Foundation Presents 3rd Annual Summer Solstice Run, Walk, Roll Event

Delta, BC – May 9th, 2024 – The Delta Police Foundation, in collaboration with the Delta Police Department (DPD) and the Run Inn, is excited to announce the 3rd annual Summer Solstice Run, Walk, and Roll (RWR). The RWR will be held on June 20th, 2024, starting at 6:30 PM at the DPD Headquarters, 4455 Clarence Taylor Crescent, Delta.

The RWR highlights the Foundation's commitment to supporting relationships and connections between the DPD and local community. Last year's turnout was exceptional, with over 200 participants, including children as young as 5 years old and seniors in wheelchairs.

The RWR is designed to be inclusive and accessible to all, serving as an opportunity to welcome the summer season while bringing our community together for a stroll, brisk run, or roll through Ladner alongside the DPD team. There will be live entertainment, food trucks and other refreshments - it's an event with fun for the entire family. Participants can choose from 2km or 5km routes. Proceeds from the event will enhance the Foundation's efforts to sponsor youth-oriented community initiatives, such as the Student Police Academy.

To register for the event, please visit [here](#).

Race packages can be collected in advance from the Run Inn, located at #125 – 1315 56th Street, Delta, BC, between Monday, June 17th, and Thursday, June 20th. Alternatively, they can be obtained on-site at the DPD Headquarters on the day of the event.

For media inquiries, please contact:

A/Insp. James Sandberg
Public Affairs Manager
Delta Police Department
Email: media@deltapolice.ca



NEWS RELEASE

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For Immediate Release

Decrease in Crime Noted in Delta for 2024

Delta, BC – May 13th, 2024 – The Delta Police Department (DPD) is set to present crime data for the first quarter of 2024 at the upcoming Delta Police Board meeting on May 15th, 2024. Noteworthy decreases in both property and violent crimes have been observed in Delta, and we're eager to share these statistics with the public.

DPD's ongoing monitoring of crime reporting indicates a positive trend, with crime rates declining in the first quarter of 2024. Chief Dubord states, "I am proud of the work our team continues to do in ensuring the safety and well-being of our community. Our community-first policing approach, which prioritizes the needs and expectations of our community, remains at the forefront of our efforts."

Property Crime:

- Commercial break and enters decreased by 23% compared to Q1 2023 and by 14% compared to the three-year average.
- Residential break and enters dropped by 20% compared to Q1 2023 and by 26% compared to the three-year average.
- Instances of "theft of vehicle" decreased by 42% compared to Q1 2023 and by 25% compared to the three-year average.
- "Theft from vehicle" plummeted by 64% compared to Q1 2023 and by 61% compared to the three-year average.

Crime Type	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	YTD 3Yr Avg	YTD% Change 3 Yr Avg
BNE - Commercial	31	24	28	-14%
BNE - Residential	25	20	27	-26%
Theft of Vehicle	36	21	28	-25%
Theft from Vehicle	201	73	188	-61%
All Property Offences	892	691	800	-14%

Violent Crime:

- Assaults in Q1 2024 decreased to 80 from 107 in Q1 2023, marking a 25% decrease, and down 9% compared to the three-year average.

- Robberies saw a significant reduction from 9 to 2 during the same period, constituting a 78% decrease, and down 71% compared to the three-year average.
- Other "persons" offences, such as uttering threats and harassment, decreased by 38% compared to the previous year and by 28% compared to the three-year average.
- However, intimate partner violence reported an increase of 19% compared to the three-year average.

Crime Type	YTD 2023	YTD 2024	YTD 3Yr Avg	YTD% Change 3 Yr Avg
Assaults	80	107	88	-9%
Robberies	9	2	7	-71%
Other Persons Offences	114	71	98	-28%

Sexual Offences:

- Level 1 sexual assaults decreased by 13% compared to the three-year average, but level 2 and 3 sexual assaults increased slightly from 7 to 10 compared to Q1 2023. The three-year average for these assaults is 6.

Other Notable Trends:

- Collisions in Delta are 7% below the three-year average.
- Violent offences involving youth are down by 55% compared to the three-year average.

These statistics reflect a positive shift in the safety and security of Delta, demonstrating the effectiveness of ongoing efforts to combat crime. Partnership with our community members increases the effectiveness of our crime reduction strategies, and we encourage our community to continue to help us with the goal to reduce crime. The DPD remains committed to ensuring the continued safety and well-being of the community.

A/Insp. James Sandberg



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

The Axon Roadshow is Returning to Delta May 27, 2024

Delta, BC – May 14th, 2024 – On May 27th, 2024, the Delta Police Department (DPD) will be hosting the Axon Roadshow at Dugald Morrison Park, 5575 Mountain View Boulevard, Delta, BC (immediately adjacent DPD Headquarters in Ladner).

Event Details:

Date: May 27th, 2024

Time: 10 am - 2 pm

Media are invited to demo products from 10 am to 11 am

Industry partners are invited to demo products from 10 am to 2 pm

At this event, you will experience the latest developments in law enforcement technology. Learn how Axon's Ecosystem keeps people safe and enhances the ability of our officers.

Product demonstrations include:

- The latest in Virtual Reality Training
- Conducted Energy Weapons including Taser 7 and Taser 10 devices
- Axon Air Flight Studio
- Axon Body Worn Cameras
- Fleet 3 in-car camera with Automated License Plate Reader (ALPR) technology
- Evidence.com

If you are a law enforcement partner, or if you are media and are interested in attending, please register at:

<https://www.axon.com/en-ca/events/roadshows>





NEWS RELEASE

The Axon Roadshow is Returning to Delta | May 27, 2024



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Swatting Incident at Burnsvew Secondary School

Delta, BC – May 16, 2024 – Today at 11:55 a.m., the Delta Police Department (DPD) received a report of an individual with a firearm at Burnsvew Secondary School. In response, the school administration was requested to initiate a lockdown and subsequent hold and secure protocol.

DPD officers arrived swiftly to assess the situation and ensure the safety of students and staff. Officers determined that the report was false and there was no threat. This incident has been classified as a "swatting call."

Understanding Swatting:

Swatting involves making a false report of a critical incident to elicit an urgent and substantial police response.

Duty to Respond:

The preservation of life is the primary duty of law enforcement. All calls reporting potential threats are taken seriously and treated as genuine until verified otherwise. Consequently, a significant police presence is deployed to ensure safety.

Public Mischief Investigation:

Filing a false report is a criminal offence under the Criminal Code, classified as mischief. The DPD has launched an investigation to identify the individual responsible for the swatting call.

Social Media:

We urge the public to avoid spreading unverified information on social media, as it can cause unnecessary alarm within the community.

Today's swatting incident posed no real threat to public safety.

For further information, please contact:

A/Insp. James Sandberg
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NEWS RELEASE

Swatting Incident at Burnsview Secondary School



Release Date: June 23, 2024

Subject: Public Safety Partners and Media Invited to Axon Roadshow Hosted by DPD

The Delta Police Department (DPD) is pleased to announce that it will host the Axon Roadshow on May 27, 2024. This event will showcase the latest advancements in public safety technologies designed to enhance safety and efficiency.

Axon, an international company headquartered in Arizona, specializes in public safety technology, training, and software designed to ensure the safety of both public safety professionals and the communities they serve.

Vishal Dhir, Axon's Senior Vice President for the Americas, notes that Axon will "be showcasing Fūsus by Axon, Fotokite, T10, Axon Body 4, Axon Records, and introducing our Canadian customers to Axon E-Notes and DraftOne. If you're interested in significantly reducing the time officers spend on writing reports and spending more time in their communities, these latest solutions will be fun ones to see and demo in person."

Our public safety partners are invited to the Roadshow (registration and other details below).

Additionally, the media is invited for a behind-the-scenes look at the Roadshow. From 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., media will have the opportunity to don VR headsets and immerse themselves in real-world scenarios used to train police officers in controlled environments. These demonstrations will highlight de-escalation techniques and the practice of split-second decision-making under the high-stress conditions of real fieldwork.

Chief Dubord notes, "Our strategic plan focuses on excellence through professionalization, technology, and innovation. Partnering with Axon for the Roadshow demonstrates our commitment to this goal. As the first in BC to deploy body-worn cameras, we continue to explore opportunities to enhance community safety and operational efficiency through technology. The Roadshow facilitates information sharing with public safety partners and the media, which is essential for modern policing that relies on technological innovation for effective operations."

The Roadshow is an opportunity to learn about the latest technologies that organizations across Canada, such as the DPD are deploying, including:

- Body-worn cameras
- Draft One, a software product that drafts high-quality police reports in seconds based on auto-transcribed body-worn camera audio
- The latest fleet of in-car cameras equipped with Automated License Plate Recognition (ALPR) software, helping combat Canada's unprecedented auto theft crisis
- Drones
- Digital Evidence Management (DEMS)

Event Details**Delta PD Roadshow Stop Date:** May 27, 2024**Media Demos:** 10:00 am to 11:00 am**Time:** 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.**Location:** Dugald Morrison Park, 5575 Mountain View Blvd, Delta BC, V4K 3E1**Registration for Media and Public Safety Partners:** <https://www.axon.com/en-ca/events/roadshows>**Axon Roadshow Backgrounder**

The Axon Roadshow, provided at no cost to host agencies, aims to inform public safety professionals about the Axon Ecosystem, with the primary goal of empowering first responders for enhanced safety and efficiency in the field. Beyond hardware and software demonstrations, the Roadshow offers a platform for agencies to provide direct product feedback and suggestions to Axon team members.

The 2024 Roadshow features various elements, including the TASER 10 Deployment Range, Axon Air Flight Center, Virtual Reality Simulator, and Axon Fleet 3 demonstration vehicle. These interactive experiences provide public safety professionals with firsthand exposure to Axon's innovative products. The Roadshow not only showcases Axon's technological advancements but also serves as a valuable platform for understanding the challenges faced by public safety officials, contributing to Axon's commitment to better serve communities and achieve its moonshot goal.



NEWS RELEASE

K-IN Public Safety Partners and Media Invited to Axon Roadshow Hosted by DPD



Tracie Nunes

From: Delta Police Department <webmaster@deltapolice.ca>
Sent: Sunday, May 19, 2024 9:02 PM
To: Office of the Chief Constable
Subject: New Message

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Recipient

Chief's Office

Subject

Great member

Message

Last night I was stopped by an officer named Ryan. He was very kind and genuine. He recognized the situation for what it was and without assumptions.

If the Delta a police force has members of his caliber, you are definitely doing things right.

Thank you.

I appreciate the kindness and fairness your department shows.

It mattered to me directly, and how officer Ryan handled the situation was stellar.

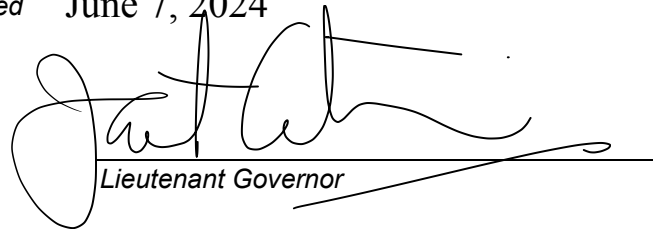
Thank you for being an honourable team.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

ORDER OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN COUNCIL

Order in Council No. 298

, Approved and Ordered June 7, 2024



Lieutenant Governor

Executive Council Chambers, Victoria

On the recommendation of the undersigned, the Lieutenant Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, orders that the appointments set out in the attached Appendices A to H are made.



Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General and
Deputy Premier



Presiding Member of the Executive Council

(This part is for administrative purposes only and is not part of the Order.)

Authority under which Order is made:

Act and section: Police Act, R.S.B.C. 1996, c. 367, ss. 23 and 24

Other: OIC 109/2022; OIC 235/2022; OIC 237/2022; OIC 312/2022. OIC 167/2023; OIC 281/2023
OIC 294/2023; OIC 322/2023; OIC 406/2023

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APPENDIX A
ABBOTSFORD POLICE BOARD

- 1 Effective June 30, 2024, Paula Joanne Olmstead and Mohinder Kaur Padda are reappointed as members of the Abbotsford Police Board for terms ending June 30, 2027.

APPENDIX B
CENTRAL SAANICH POLICE BOARD

- 1 The following appointments to the Central Saanich Police Board are made:
 - (a) Michael Alexander McKay and Mark Peter Robert Roman are appointed as members for terms ending June 30, 2025;
 - (b) effective June 30, 2024, Joanne Elizabeth Taylor is reappointed as a member for a term ending June 30, 2025;
 - (c) effective June 30, 2024, John Murray Wilson is reappointed as a member for a term ending June 30, 2026.

APPENDIX C
DELTA POLICE BOARD

- 1 Effective June 30, 2024, Lara Loraine Victoria is reappointed as a member to the Delta Police Board for a term ending June 30, 2025.

APPENDIX D
NEW WESTMINSTER POLICE BOARD

- 1 The following appointments to the New Westminster Police Board are made:
 - (a) effective June 30, 2024, Francisco Alejandro Diaz Guzman and Mary Lee-Ann Trentadue are reappointed as members for terms ending June 30, 2026;
 - (b) effective June 30, 2024, Heather Martina Boersma is reappointed as a member for a term ending June 30, 2027.

APPENDIX F
PORT MOODY POLICE BOARD

- 1 The following appointments to the Port Moody Police Board are made:
 - (a) Alison Jane Carstairs is appointed as a member for a term ending December 31, 2025;
 - (b) effective June 30, 2024, Abul Bashar Shahid Hussain is reappointed as a member for a term ending June 30, 2027.

- 2 Effective June 30, 2024, Chloe Owens Goodison, reappointed as a member of the Port Moody Police Board by the municipal council of the City of Port Moody, holds office for a term ending May 17, 2027.

**APPENDIX F
SAANICH POLICE BOARD**

- 1 Effective June 30, 2024, Gurcharn Beckett is reappointed to the Saanich Police Board for a term ending June 30, 2026.

**APPENDIX G
VICTORIA AND ESQUIMALT POLICE BOARD**

- 1 Effective June 30, 2024, Elizabeth Cull and Timothy Wanjao Kituri are reappointed as members of the Victoria and Esquimalt Police Board for terms ending June 30, 2026.
- 2 effective June 30, 2024, Holly Mae Courtright, reappointed as a member of the Victoria and Esquimalt Police Board by the municipal council of the Township of Esquimalt, holds office for a term ending June 30, 2026.

**APPENDIX H
WEST VANCOUVER POLICE BOARD**

- 1 Effective June 30, 2024, Wilson Mason Williams is reappointed to the West Vancouver Police Board for a term ending June 30, 2027.

DELTA POLICE DEPARTMENT BOARD MEMORANDUM



DATE 2024-06-04	
SUBMITTED BY Neil Dubord, OOM, AdeC Chief Constable	
SUBJECT Chief Constable Monthly Activity Highlights Period: May 2024	
ACTION For information	MEETING Open

Date	Activity
May 1, 2024	Attended POLCYB Global Cybercrime Management Executive Roundtable
May 2, 2024	Attended Family Night for New Recruits Class 174
May 4, 2024	Attended Mayor’s Charity Ball
May 6, 2024	Attended Delta City Council Meeting
May 7, 2024	Attended Chainalysis Meeting
May 8, 2024	Attended McHappy Day at Ladner McDonalds
May 12, 2024	Attended Heron Hospice Society’s Hike for Hospice
May 14, 2024	Attended Monthly BC Association of Municipal Chiefs Meeting
May 14, 2024	Attended City of Delta Staff Appreciation Lunch
May 15, 2024	Attended Monthly Police Board Meeting
May 15, 2024	Participated in panel discussion on Chainalysis at VPD
May 15, 2024	Attended DPD Retirement Dinner
May 16, 2024	Attended Blue Line Security Police Fire Career Expo at SFU
May 21, 2024	Attended Monthly Delta Police Foundation Meeting
May 26, 2024	Attended Ladner May Days Parade
May 27, 2024	Attended Progress Flag Raising Ceremony at City Hall
May 27, 2024	Attended Delta City Council Meeting
May 28-30, 2024	Attended Winning Mind Training
May 31, 2024	Attended Dare to Be Great Leadership Training

DELTA POLICE DEPARTMENT BOARD MEMORANDUM



DATE 2024-06-10	
SUBMITTED BY Neil Dubord, OOM, AdeC Chief Constable	
SUBJECT Impact of E-Comm Costs on Delta's Municipal Taxes	
ACTION <input type="checkbox"/> For information <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For action THAT the Delta Police Board determine a date to revisit the status of the potential of a cell phone levy after the provincial election.	MEETING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Committee

Introduction

Over the past few weeks, many in our community have received notices of the 2024 municipal property taxes. The overall municipal tax increase for 2024 stands at 7.75%. When examined and specifically speaking about the Delta Police Department (DPD) budget, there is one significant contributing factor that requires consideration: Emergency Communications for British Columbia Incorporated (E-Comm).

E-Comm provides essential public safety and emergency communication services throughout British Columbia (BC), supporting the Delta Police Department (DPD), various other police and fire organizations, and Emergency Health Services. It is a much needed and critical resource for emergency services.

Operational and Financial Challenges

Since the DPD’s transition to E-Comm in 2015, there have been numerous issues with E-Comm failing to meet the established service standards. Consequently, the DPD has had to manage non-emergency call-taking during peak hours (7 am to 7 pm). This has imposed significant operational and financial burdens on the DPD, necessitating training and equipping our staff—responsibilities that E-Comm was expected to handle. Furthermore, the DPD has not received any financial adjustments to the contract for taking back non-emergency call-taking during peak hours. Additionally, E-Comm continues to onboard additional clients across BC without first resolving its operational issues.

Financial Impact

More critically, the DPD—and by extension, our community—has faced annual fee increases from E-Comm, resulting in unplanned financial costs that exceed the budget projections provided by E-Comm. The current funding model for E-Comm is heavily reliant on the municipal tax base, placing a significant burden on local governments. E-Comm attributes these increases to growing call volumes and necessary, costly technology improvements. This unsustainable model is exemplified by the following levy increases over the past five years:

Year	E-Comm Levy Increase
2020	3%
2021	1%
2022	20%
2023	23%
2024	17%

These cumulative increases, particularly the 60% rise over the 2022-2024 period, place a considerable burden on our community and highlight the need for a more sustainable funding solution.

Proposed Solution

To address this issue, the DPD has been actively pursuing the implementation of a 9-1-1 cell phone levy throughout BC. Cell phone levies are already in place in several Canadian provinces, providing a stable and equitable funding source for emergency communication services. Examples include:

Province/Territory	Fee
Québec	\$0.52
Nova Scotia	\$0.43
P.E.I.	\$0.70
New Brunswick	\$0.97
Alberta	\$0.95
Saskatchewan	\$2.08
Newfoundland and Labrador	\$0.75
Northwest Territories	\$1.70

In other provinces, this levy has proven effective in enhancing public safety and emergency response capabilities without imposing additional financial burdens on municipalities. Implementing a similar levy in BC would ensure E-Comm's ability to meet the growing demands of our communities, invest in necessary technological advancements, and maintain the high standards of emergency communication services that communities throughout BC, including Delta, deserve.

Necessary Support for Change

Aligned with the Province's 2022 Safer Communities Action Plan, the 9-1-1 cell phone levy proposal directly supports the commitment to public safety. Community public safety begins from the moment someone picks up the phone to call for police or other first responder services. This levy will provide E-Comm 9-1-1 with stable, reliable funding, crucial for building safer communities without creating financial challenges for our local community tax base.

Action taken so far to advocate for this change includes:

1. The BC Association of Chiefs of Police (BCACP) has formally written to the Province, requesting the implementation of a 9-1-1 cell phone levy to ensure sustainable E-Comm funding.

2. Additionally, I am grateful to the Delta Police Board for being so attuned to this matter and for their advocacy. They have reached out to the BC Association of Police Boards (BCAPB), requesting that BCAPB also advocate for this change through the following resolution:
 - THAT the BCAPB advocate to the Province of British Columbia for the introduction of a 9-1-1 cell phone levy, following the successful models in other provinces, to provide stable, reliable, and equitable funding for E-Comm 9-1-1, that reduces the impact on municipal budgets, while ensuring the ongoing support and enhancement of critical emergency communication services for all British Columbians.

If this matter remains unresolved, it will continue to exacerbate the undue burden on our community through the property tax base in the future.

The proposal for a cell phone levy is currently before the provincial government. To support and sustain momentum for this request, it is recommended that the Delta Police Board and the DPD schedule a date to revisit the status of the potential of a cell phone levy after the provincial election.

DELTA POLICE DEPARTMENT BOARD MEMORANDUM



DATE 2024-06-05	
SUBMITTED BY Neil Dubord, OOM, AdeC Chief Constable	
SUBJECT 2024 Cops for Cancer	
ACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For information <input type="checkbox"/> For action	MEETING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Committee

Cops for Cancer, Tour De Valley, is an annual event where law enforcement and emergency services personnel embark on an eight-day, 800 km cycling journey across the BC coast to raise funds for childhood cancer research and support services at the Canadian Cancer Society.

This event takes on a special meaning for me as it began with the Edmonton Police Service in 1994, by Sergeant Gary Goulet. For several years, the Delta Police Department (DPD) has been actively supporting this event, and this year is no exception. Constables Steven Clarke and Darryl Krumbohls will proudly represent the DPD as participants in the ride, continuing our tradition of supporting Cops for Cancer.

The DPD team will be supporting Steven and Darryl throughout the ride and the associated fundraising events. Moreover, the DPD is excited to host a lunch for the Cops for Cancer riders and support team, cheering them on as they pass through Delta and stop at our Headquarters in September 2024.

The DPD takes great pride in our team members' involvement in this initiative, both in previous years and the present, as it is an important part of our commitment to community-first policing and contributing to the well-being of our community.

Fundraising pages for DPD riders can be accessed by clicking on the names below.

[Steven Clarke](#)

[Darryl Krumbohls](#)

DELTA POLICE DEPARTMENT BOARD REPORT



DATE 2024-06-10	
SUBMITTED BY Neil Dubord, OOM, AdeC Chief Constable	
SUBJECT Community Navigator Unit Update	
ACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For information <input type="checkbox"/> For approval	MEETING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Committee
RECOMMENDATION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For information	

PURPOSE

The purpose of this report is to provide a one-year update to the Delta Police Board (Board) on the Community Navigator Unit (CNU), which was implemented on May 1, 2023, as part of the Delta Police Department's (DPD) Community Safety and Well-Being Plan (CSWP), aligning with the priority of providing *support mental health and vulnerable individuals*. The CNU is the first of its type in BC policing.

DISCUSSION

Introduction

In 2022, the DPD began working on establishing the CNU, for the purpose of supporting police officers by connecting at-risk individuals, who frequently come into contact with the DPD due to social or behavioral health concerns, with essential services and resources. Following receipt of a referral from a frontline officer, the CNU's mandate is to guide these individuals through the complexities of the human services system and help them overcome barriers to access. The goal is to prevent future negative interactions with the police and promote the individuals' overall success and well-being.

To say the CNU has been a success, following operationalization in May 2023, is an understatement. In the first year of operation, the CNU received 257 referrals from officers, including:

- 137 referrals for women,
- 107 referrals for men, and
- 13 repeat referrals.

The primary needs identified in these referrals were housing, followed by substance use supports, and mental health services.

Case Study: Housing Support

▪ **Need**

An individual facing housing and other challenges had come into contact with DPD and was referred to the CNU for assistance.

▪ **Service Provided**

The support process involved extensive outreach and advocacy on behalf of the individual with BC Housing and third-party service providers, taking over 30 days. Delays were primarily due to a lack of available housing. During this waiting period, regular contact with the individual was essential. This included providing substance use and harm reduction support, addressing hygiene and clothing needs, and building trust with the CNU.

▪ **Outcome**

The individual successfully secured housing and continues engage with the CNU for further support and resources. This includes assistance with completing Canadian Pension Plan application paperwork, alcohol addiction support, and help preparing a resume for employment.

Year 1: Notable Observations and Learnings

- 1. Need for Continued Assistance:** The return of individuals for additional assistance was unanticipated at the onset of the implementation but has since become the norm. The CNU has found that many other support systems often struggle to resolve the issues that the individuals face. This means they become dependent on the DPD CNU. Individuals returning for assistance are typically those who have experienced a degree of success through the CNU in their initial challenge, with CNU assisting by advocating for them and connecting them with the necessary resources and services.
- 2. Challenges in Accessing Services:** Readily available access to services remains a challenge. For housing needs, shelter beds are limited and often at capacity. Timeliness is also a significant issue, as most unhoused individuals seeking shelter do not have phones. However, they are required to call the shelter at a specific time to secure a space when available, creating a barrier to access.
- 3. Addressing Mental Health Concerns:** The CNU often deals with individuals who suffer from mental health challenges with little or no insight into their condition. Due to their lack of understanding or acknowledgment of their condition, they are unable to properly consent to support and assistance. Participation in mental health services must be voluntary, but these individuals cannot form the intention to seek help. As a result, family members trying to support their loved ones often express frustration with the system. The CNU spends significant time working with families to inform them of the challenges involved.
- 4. Strategic Alignment with Mental Health Unit:** Given the prevalence of mental health concerns, the DPD continues to work on aligning the efforts of the CNU with the Mental Health Unit.
- 5. Positive Feedback:** The CNU has received positive feedback from both the individuals who have been assisted and their family members as well from the DPD frontline officers. Many community individuals express gratitude for the assistance they finally received after seeking help from numerous other sources without success. The feedback is often very personal and significant, with

many describing their situation before receiving help as being at 'rock bottom.' In addition, the success within the DPD team to have the right resource at the right time has proved to be invaluable. In fact, when CNU coverage was limited due to holidays, our frontline officers were asking how we could ensure continuous coverage.

CONCLUSION

The CNU's efforts align well with CSWP's priority of providing supports for mental health and vulnerable individuals. The first year of implementation has provided key takeaways that the DPD remains committed to addressing.

It is important to note that despite our best efforts, larger changes within our human services system are necessary to provide comprehensive support for vulnerable individuals and to ensure meaningful change. This includes making social and health services more readily available and reducing the many barriers to success that currently exist in our complex systems, amongst others.

DELTA POLICE DEPARTMENT BOARD MEMORANDUM



DATE 2024-06-05	
SUBMITTED BY Neil Dubord, OOM, AdeC Chief Constable	
SUBJECT 2024 Delta Police Awards Ceremony	
ACTION <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> For information <input type="checkbox"/> For action	MEETING <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Open <input type="checkbox"/> Private <input type="checkbox"/> Committee

At Delta Police Department (DPD), recognizing the achievements and dedication of our team is intrinsic to our organizational culture. This recognition comes in various impactful ways, one of them being a formal awards ceremony that is held every 18 months. This ceremony not only highlights our commitment to valuing the exceptional contributions that drive our success and positively impact our community but also gives us the opportunity to provide the public with a report on the outstanding work of our team.

The next awards ceremony is scheduled for October 3, 2024. We cordially invite all Police Board members to save the date and join us for this special event. Further details will be communicated by the Chief’s office as the date approaches. Your presence will be an excellent opportunity to witness firsthand the dedication and excellence that characterize the DPD.

Since opening the call for nominations in March, we have received numerous submissions. These nominations are currently under review by an awards committee comprised of both Deputy Chiefs and a diverse cross-section of staff from various sections of the department. The committee is diligently evaluating each nomination to ensure the most deserving individuals and teams are recognized.

The Police Board will be advised of final selections for award recipients at the September Police Board meeting.

**British Columbia Association of Police Boards
Executive Meeting**

Friday, May 24, 2024 (9:00am – 12:00pm) Zoom Meeting

OPEN AGENDA MINUTES

Participants: Lara Victoria, Delta Board, in the Chair
 Mandy Padda, Abbotsford Board
 Lena Horswill, Nelson Board
 Patrick Lalonde, New Westminster Board
 Lawrence Lewis, Oak Bay Board
 Manjit Aujla, Port Moody Board
 Murray Dinwoodie, SCBCTAP Board
 Jim Cambridge, Saanich Board
 Micayla Hayes, Victoria Esquimalt Board
 Peter Gibson, West Vancouver
 Yang Wang, West Vancouver
 Patricia Barnes, Vancouver Board
 Veronica Bandet, BCAPB

Regrets: Jen Klein, Central Saanich Board
 Rebecca Barley, St’at’l’imx Tribal Board

Delegates : Katie Charlton, Police Services
 Deputy Chief Tom Wolff von Gudenberg, BC Association of Municipal Chief of Police

ITEM	DRAFT MINUTES
1. Welcome:	L. Victoria provided Land acknowledgement and Introduction of Delegates at 9:01
2. Adoption Items:	
a) Agenda – May 24, 2024	MOVED by M. Dinwoodie/SECONDED by M. Padda THAT the May 24, 2024 Agenda be accepted as presented. <p style="text-align: right;">UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED</p>
b) Approval of January 26 and April 12, 2024 Minutes	MOVED by M. Dinwoodie/SECONDED by M. Padda THAT the January 26, April 24 and AGM Minutes of April 12, 2024 be accepted as presented. <p style="text-align: right;">UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED</p>
c) Minutes from AGM on April 12, 2024	UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED
3. Consent Agenda:	
a) Actions from the January 26 and April 12, 2024 meetings	MOVED by M. Dinwoodie/SECONDED by M. Aujla THAT the action items from January 26 and April 12, 2024 be accepted as presented. <p style="text-align: right;">UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED</p>
b) Treasurer’s Report (Attachment – Treasurer’s Report)	MOVED by L. Horswill/SECONDED by M. Aujla THAT the treasurer’s report be accepted as presented. <p style="text-align: right;">UNANIMOUSLY CARRIED</p>
4. Delegations:	

