



May 8th, 2025

Abe Tinney
CAO
Claresholm, AB

Dear Abe,

Please find attached the quarterly Community Policing Report covering the period from January 1st to March 31th, 2025. This report provides a snapshot of human resources, financial data, and crime statistics for the Claresholm Detachment.

As we approach summer, I would like to highlight the preparations that the Alberta RCMP have made to address what may be another busy wildfire season. The wildfire seasons of 2023 and 2024 have provided our organization with many lessons on the best ways to handle the unpredictability of wildfires. In March, we began planning for the 2025 wildfire season and this included the early staffing of our Division Emergency Operations Center (DEOC). In the past two years, DEOC has been the cornerstone of the police response to the wildfires in Alberta. The members and staff in DEOC are able to process information from various sources to determine the most optimal way to deploy police resources in areas under threat of wildfires.

Depending on the severity of the fire season, it may be necessary to draw resources from your police service to ensure the safety of people and property in affected communities. I want to assure you that the Alberta RCMP will keep the needs of your community in mind and will work to deploy only the resources which will not adversely impact the security of our own community. The Alberta RCMP remains ready to respond to wildfires in coordination with other provincial resources to protect our citizens and communities.

Thank you for your ongoing support and engagement. As your Chief of Police for your community, please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

P.M. (Perry) Pelletier, Sgt.
NCO i/c
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