



Alberta RCMP - Provincial Policing Report

Detachment Information

Detachment Name

Claresholm Detachment

Detachment Commander

Sgt. Perry Pelletier

Report Date

February 5, 2026

Fiscal Year

2025-26

Quarter

Q3 (October - December)

Community Priorities

Priority #1: Enhance Road Safety**Updates and Comments:**

During this third Quarter, 21 charges for speeding were laid along with 3 charges for Cell Phone usage. In total, 132 traffic-related (non-Criminal Code) complaints/files were received, resulting in 45 charges. Overall target value (100) has been exceeded with 1 Quarter remaining in the APP Cycle.

Priority #2: Crime Reduction**Updates and Comments:**

During this Quarter, at least 5 conditions checks were conducted, 2 foot patrols within the Town of Claresholm, 3 bar walk-thrus, 7 dedicated rural patrols and 12 in-town patrols as well as the Claresholm Airport/Industrial areas.

Claresholm currently has 24 persons on various court-imposed conditions or on Warrant status. Some of the conditions range from firearm prohibitions, driving prohibitions, no-go to certain places, no contact with certain persons, curfews, as well as other.

Overall target value (40) is being met and on-track.

Priority #3: Communicate Effectively – Build and Maintain Positive Relations**Updates and Comments:**



During this Quarter, 17 various Media Releases/Public Advisories were completed and submitted to local media. This also includes monthly Policing Reports being provided in order to keep the communities informed on local Policing activities.
Target status Cumulative currently at 52.

Priority #4: Drug Enforcement

Updates and Comments:

During this Quarter, there was only 1 report/complaint received under the Controlled Drugs and Substances Act. The information provided came from an anonymous source and no further follow-up could be conducted.

With this said, Claresholm and the surrounding MD's have had very few "drug-related" issues. The Detachment area has been very fortunate to have not had any reported drug-related overdoses!
Target value (4) for the year.





Community Consultations

Consultation #1

Date	Meeting Type
January 26, 2026	Community Connection
Topics Discussed	
Upcoming priorities and the new CPP process being implemented.	
Notes/Comments:	
Correspondence was emailed to all Mayors, Reeves and/or CAO's to consult about the upcoming CPP process and for consultation with stakeholders/community members about concerns and suggested Police/Community priorities. Will be brought up a next council meetings.	





Provincial Service Composition

Staffing Category	Established Positions	Working	Soft Vacancies	Hard Vacancies
Regular Members	7	5	2	0
Detachment Support	2	3	0	0

Notes:

1. Data extracted on December 31, 2025 and is subject to change.
2. Soft Vacancies are positions that are filled but vacant due to maternity/paternity leave, medical leave, etc. and are still included in the overall FTE count.
3. Hard Vacancies reflect positions that do not have an employee attached and need to be filled.

Comments:

Police Officers: Of the seven established positions, five officers are working and two officers are on Medical leave. There are no hard vacancies at this time. However, as of February 2, one of the members on long-term Medical Leave has since resigned from the RCMP. This will open up a position that should be actioned in due course.

Detachment Support: Of the two established positions, three resources are currently working. One position has two resources assigned to it. There are no hard vacancies at this time.

During this Quarter, the Claresholm Detachment received 602 complaints/files, 42 of which were deemed as "Unfounded" resulting in 560 files with 194 still under investigation and 71 various charges laid.

All set Targets/Priorities remain on-track and some are expected to be exceeded.

