

RE: MUNICIPAL POLICING - QUARTERLY REPORT

MUNICIPAL MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT the recommendation of the Officer in Charge, Burnaby Detachment, be received for information purposes.

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 MANAGER'S REPORT NO. 77  
 COUNCIL MEETING 85/12/09

MUNICIPAL POLICING - QUARTERLY REPORT

OFFENCES	REPORTED THIS QUARTER		REPORTED TO DATE		PERIOD		CONTRACT	STRENGTH	DATE SENT FORWARD	
	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	3rd quarter 1985	207				195
	POLICING OF Burnaby, B.C.		POLICING OF Burnaby, B.C.		3rd quarter 1985		207		85-12-04	
CRIMINAL CODE	6710	5987	18994	17342	Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		IN	7	9	
FEDERAL STATUTES	* 99	340	672	824	Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		CLEARED THIS QUARTER	CLEARED TO DATE		
PROVINCIAL STATUTES	9535	11466	29537	32875	Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR	THIS YEAR	LAST YEAR
TOTALS	16344	17793	49203	51041	Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		1026	1288	3286	3698
					Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		38	85	226	252
					Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		8695	10453	26755	30394
					Policing of Burnaby, B.C.		9759	11826	30267	34344

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS	ENFORCEMENT	THIS QUARTER	THIS YEAR.
PERSONS KILLED	TRAFFIC PROSECUTIONS	10562	29867
PERSONS INJURED	DRINK-DRIVING	158	517
PROPERTY DAMAGE OVER \$400	PARKING	5121	17110
TOTAL ACCIDENTS	ENFORCEMENT (INDEX)	25.2	25.1

PRISONER INFORMATION

PRISONER EXPENSES (MEALS)	2364	2481	6660	7482
PRISONER EXPENSES (GUARDS & MATRONS)	42072.17	35538.01	117801.33	95305.01
NO. OF PRISONERS	611	911	2859	3233

REVENUE

PARKING FINES COLLECTED	\$ 51597.	42432.	161867.	150003.
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POLICE MILEAGE

MILEAGE TRAVELLED R.C.M.P. TRANSPORT	537261	562575	1668177	1697927
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FILES AND RECORDS

NO. OF COMPLAINT AND ASSISTANCE CASES	16101	15143	47391	45425
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OVERTIME

WORKED ON STATUTORY HOLIDAY	983	2387
FOR COURT 8 TIME AND ONE-HALF	485.5	1391
FOR COURT 8 DOUBLE TIME	1026	3153
INVESTIGATION 8 TIME AND ONE-HALF	1911	3694
INVESTIGATION 8 DOUBLE TIME	1074	3103
TOTAL HOURS	8918	16582
LESS LIEU TIME TAKEN	1185	4402.5
TOTAL	7733	12179.5

\* This number varies greatly from comparison figure for 1984. This is due to the fact that previously the "Federal assistance" statistics were scored in this total, when in fact they should not have been. The factual yearly totals will be amended in the 4th quarter report so proper comparisons can be made when 1986 figures are reported. **116**

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During the third quarter Burnaby Detachment was inundated with a sudden increase in violent crimes against persons while its Officers, NCOs, and members were coordinating a lower mainland police task force in the search for a serial child molester/rapist. This required a marked shifting in manpower resourcing that met its objective in a high clearance rate in those areas e.g.,

On 85-08-23 a young offender shot and killed a convenience store operator at MacDonald and Hastings during a robbery attempt. A suspect has been arrested and is before the courts.

On 85-08-28 two women discovered the body of a young male in the 3800 block of Hastings Street. Two female and two male suspects have been arrested and are before the courts.

On 85-08-29 a young woman and her two children were slain in their apartment at 205 Beta Avenue. The deceased's estranged husband was arrested and is before the courts.

On 85-09-05 a young legal secretary was raped and stabbed to death in the 5300 block Willingdon while walking home. Unsolved.

On 85-09-27 an elderly man was found bludgeoned to death in his apartment at 9288 Cameron Street. Unsolved.

It should be noted here for the record that none of these violent deaths are related.

Between 85-05-01 and 85-09-20 Burnaby Detachment members and support staff (2 NCOs, 1 Constable, 1 Stenographer) spearheaded a task force of 14 detectives from various greater Vancouver police departments and detachments in an intense investigation into a series of child molestations and rapes. At times this task force was augmented by up to 40 additional members from our Division Headquarters. Their objective was to investigate 75 occurrences between 1977 and 1985 occurring in every Greater Vancouver jurisdiction except West Vancouver. A suspect was arrested and is before the courts on 51 counts.

During this quarter we also investigated five armed robberies of our financial institutions and in each case suspect(s) are before the courts.

There were 2 traffic fatalities during this quarter. On 85-08-20 a 13 year old boy rode his bicycle out of a blind alley into the path of a motorist and was killed almost instantly. No blame was attached to the motorist.

On 85-08-28 a 24 year old male pedestrian suddenly and unexplainably stepped off the curb into the path of a truck and was killed instantly. No charges are being considered against the motorist.

During September a major Crime Prevention Project was launched when the Bicycle Theft Program got underway. The Rotary Club of Burnaby/Kingsway has taken the leading role toward the support and carrying out of this program, by donating time, labour, and equipment. The Rotary Club has also made an overall major financial commitment toward crime prevention in Burnaby by presenting a completely equipped van to the Corporation of the District of Burnaby for the sole use of Crime Prevention Programs.

In addition we have now completed and are assessing a six month test project by our Auxiliary Police involving the protection of homes that are temporarily vacant and are cautiously optimistic about the results. We are also planning the full implementation of a Victimization Program for the Municipality. While still in the planning stages we hope to inaugurate the program early in 1986.

In conclusion, while we were able to respond positively to the unexpected demand on manpower (despite a shortage of approximately 12 members) it was not without a loss in clearance rates and/or an increase in crime in other areas, e.g. burglary. However, given the resources we have, the detachment acquitted itself better than I would normally have expected.

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