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BUSINESS PLAN

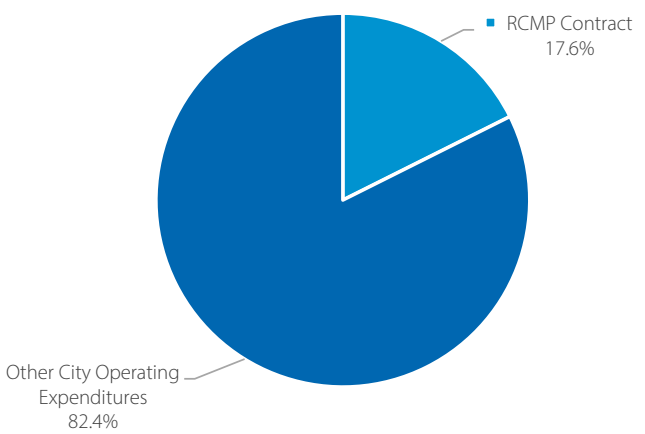
2025

RCMP

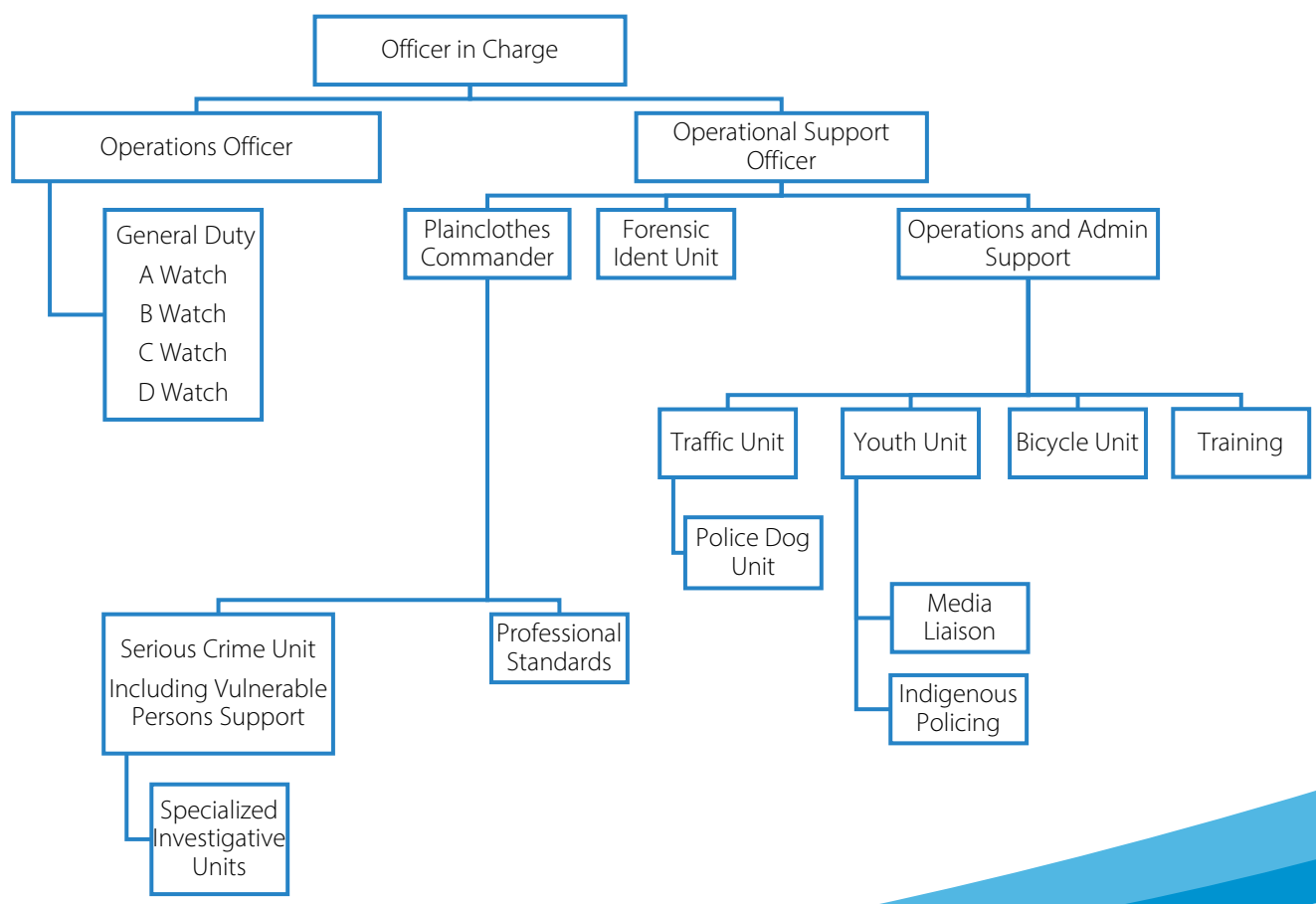
DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

Nanaimo RCMP has the largest detachment on the island and have been policing the City of Nanaimo for 75 years. The City contracts the RCMP for policing services and provides the building, office infrastructure and support staff to the RCMP. As such, planning efforts are underway to plan for a new Nanaimo Police Detachment. From 24/7 patrol emergency response and complex criminal investigations, to community-based education and crime prevention programs, the Nanaimo RCMP detachment delivers high quality and effective services to the citizens of Nanaimo.

Department's Share of the Budget



Operating Expenditure Budget: \$37,717,810



LEVEL OF SERVICE

Front Line Policing

Our front line policing is currently over 100 members strong and respond to all levels of requests for service; rotating 24 hours a day.

The Nanaimo RCMP Detachment provides services, through front line and specialized units, investigate or respond to and assist with:

- Mental Health Issues/Homeless Persons
- High Risk Missing Persons
- Homicide/All suspicious deaths
- Robberies/Home Invasions
- Intimate Partner Violence
- Sexual Crimes, Child Pornography or Child Luring, Human Trafficking
- Traffic - prevention, motor vehicle and pedestrian incidents, fatalities
- Drug production, trafficking and possession
- Property, Auto and Identity Thefts
- Youth Engagement
- Indigenous Liaison
- Organized Crime
- Forensic Identification Services
- Victim Services
- Restorative Justice

Operations Support Team

Our detachment is supported by our 82 municipal and public service employees, who provide services to RCMP members through administration and finance, answering non-emergency client calls requesting service, file creation, typing statements, preparing court documents, and video and audio analyzing. As well as safe-keeping of and care of persons in our cellblock, civil fingerprinting and digital technical service.



Community

At the Nanaimo RCMP, we are committed to the community and community engagement. During the high volume summer months we increase the police patrols, both on foot and bicycles, in the Downtown core to address the increase in foot traffic and calls for service. The increase in police presence has seen significant reduction in issues for the businesses and patrons who enjoy our City Centre.

Through our Car 54/mental health team, we are able to provide direct hands on approach to our citizens that suffer a myriad of health issues that overwhelm our medical society.

Our members are part of numerous and varied groups in Nanaimo and support those groups' objectives and advocacies. Being part of these community groups provides the Nanaimo RCMP insight and guidance to assist in providing services to Nanaimo PRIDE 2SLGBTQIA+, Snuneymuxw and Snaw-Naw-As First Nations. We engage one on one, through organized meetings, and by attending and supporting community festivals and events.

2024 ACHIEVEMENTS

- Increased effort to address Mental Health with our Community Partners
- Continued efforts towards inclusion and reconciliation with local First Nations, by working on building trust through enhanced communication.
- Continued dedicated Youth Team working with youth in schools and the community.
- Developing gang awareness strategies to combat the use of youth in organized crime.
- Increased education and prevention in violence in relationships, technology & sexual exploitation, drug and alcohol use.
- Consistent monitoring and enforcement of organized crime including outlaw motorcycle gangs.

2025 OPPORTUNITIES

- Host an Open House for the public to showcase a variety of RCMP careers, personnel and equipment through static displays and interactive booths for all ages. Possible tours of the facility to demonstrate the need for a future enhanced detachment.
- Continue to provide a direct hands on approach to Nanaimo citizens that suffer a myriad of health issues that overwhelm our medical society through the Car 54 Mental Health Team. Possible additional resources for this unit would result in increased availability and coverage.
- Continue with the dedicated foot and bike patrols of the Downtown core to address increased social disorder issues during the summer high traffic months and to focus on Special Investigation Targeted Enforcement (SITE) to address repeat violent offenders through the Repeat Violent Offending Intervention Initiative (REVOII) program through the B.C. Government.



- Increase in investigative demands for technical/electronic devices which will require additional and more specialized resources.
- Specialized multi-level investigations such as homicides, assaults, drug trafficking, missing persons, motor vehicle collisions and infractions to digital crimes
- Pre-approved positions and additional staffing levels to match growth and pressures are key to the future success of Nanaimo policing.

2025 KEY INITIATIVES

Strategic Priority: Implementing City Plan



IAP Priority Action #65 – Construct a new Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) Detachment (C3.1.18).

Strategic Priority: Social, Health and Public Safety Challenges

Work collaboratively on Community Policing programs including Speed Watch, Block Watch, Crime Watch, 529 Garage Bike Registrations, Safety Education and Awareness Campaigns, Community Development Initiatives, Community Events, and Neighbourhood Safety Audits.

Continue to collaborate with partners (i.e. ICBC, RCMP, and School District 68) to promote and educate about road safety in Nanaimo.

When resources are available, provide RCMP services during large-scale community events.

Establish and monitor the effectiveness of the RCMP downtown engagement team.

Continue to support joint patrols with an Island Health mental health nurse and RCMP mental health liaison officer.

Continue with the foot and bike patrols of the Downtown core to address increased issues during the summer high traffic months.

Special Investigation Targeted Enforcement (SITE) to address repeat violent offenders through the Repeat Violent Offending Intervention Initiative (REVOII) program through the B.C. Government

Continue to support the renovations of office and operational spaces at 303 Prideaux St., to optimize space utilization while working towards the future detachment.

Strategic Priority: Maintaining and Growing Current Services

Annually review projections and demand for RCMP staffing needs to support a growing community.

Pre-approved positions and additional RCMP staffing levels to match growth and pressures are key to the future success of Nanaimo Policing.

Continue to support the renovations of office and operational spaces at 303 Prideaux St., to optimize space utilization while working towards the future detachment.

Continue to participate with the creation of the RCMP programming and space needs for the future RCMP detachment

Strategic Priority: Capital Projects

RCMP continue to participate in the development and planning of the future RCMP detachment.

Strategic Priority: Communicating with the Community

Work with neighbourhoods to increase support for community crime prevention programs and neighbourhood safety initiatives

