



**Rural Municipality of
Belfast
Town Council Report
August 2023**

Kings District responded to the noted calls for service during the month of August, 2023 which includes self-generated traffic enforcement.

Total Calls for Kings District	596
Total Calls for Rural Belfast	27

Kings District Annual Performance Plan:

- (1) Reduce Impaired Driving through enforcement and education;**
 - **Enforcement of road safety through SOTs/Warnings**
 - **Checkstops targeting impaired operation and other HTA offenses**
 - **School based education about Impaired Driving (Drugs and Alcohol)**

- (2) Enhance Police visibility / open communication**
 - **Monthly ESA Council Meetings and contact with CAO/Mayor and Councils**
 - **Participation in Community Events/Festivals/School Activities**
 - **Red Serge events**

- (3) Quality of Intimate Partner Violence/Sexual Violence investigations and Victim Supports**
 - **Excellence within IPV/Sexual Violence Investigations**
 - **Off-Site soft interview space usage (reducing barriers and re-victimization of victims of crime.**
 - **Flagging of IPV/Sexual Violence investigations for NCO Monitoring**
 - **Education and Application of the EPO Process**

- (4) Employee Wellness/Leadership Development**
 - **Self Directed learning/development and wellness initiatives**
 - **Support Colleagues/Create a safe workspace/Open communication**
 - **Continued acting opportunities/training/leadership courses and development**
 - **Foundations of Leadership: Leadership Essentials Course for Supervisors**



Reduce Impaired Driving through enforcement and education: King's District members remain active in their patrols throughout the area, seeking road safety concerns and violations. During the month of August we conducted 12 checkstops and laid 2 Highway Traffic violations in the Belfast area.

Enhancing Police Visibility/Open Communication: King's members continue to be involved in our communities. During the month of August employees planted a red maple tree at Gillis' Lodge, attended the Vernon river Fire Department Touch a Truck event. We also relocated an individual struggling with addictions where better support could be offered. They had been creating a number of issues in Montague until we implemented a best solution. As a result, and for awareness, I learned Shawn Martin is PEI's Harm Reduction Co-ordinator and he has already reached out to the Federation of PEI Municipalities. Kings District is also testing cellular phone booster technologically in one of our vehicles in hopes that more reliable communications are available to help speak with all our communities we patrol in. Kings District members also volunteered and participated in the Musical Ride hosted by Diabetes Canada and the Gold Cup and Saucer Parade. As we look to the future, we are planning to be visible at the 70 Mile Coastal Yard-sale and participate in the Peace Officer Memorial at Holy Redeemer on September 24.

Media Relations/PSAs: King's RCMP honored our own Constable Watt with the Order of St. John for life saving efforts he performed while stationed in Inuvik. Montague Detachment also suffered damage to an outbuilding when a motorist purposely drove into the front of it. Thankfully no one was injured and one adult male is awaiting disposition on a Dangerous Driving charge. Members were also on alert and assisted in duties directly related to the Prime Minister and 38 Cabinet Ministers between August 20 and 24, including a visit to Kings County.

Human Resources: We are seeing quick improvements in our HR with the return of one injured member and in addition, the pending arrival of Constable Blair English the first week of September and Constable Adam Abu-Ali the second week. In November we look forward to Constable Dustin MacIntyre and a new member from Depot Division set to be in place. We continue to use the RCMP reservist program and overtime to ensure adequate resources are available.

Should you have any questions or if you would like to further discuss this report, please feel free to reach out to me at your convenience.

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Municipality of Belfast

CALLS RESPONDED TO: OCCURRENCE TYPES

August 2023

Assault	1
Animal Calls	2
Assistance to other Agency	1
Harassment	1
Causing a Disturbance/Breach of Peace	1
False Alarms	1
Family Law/Orders/Agreements	3
Fraud (over/under \$5000)/Forgery	2
Mental Health Act	1
Mischief - damage/obstruct enjoyment	2
HTA tickets issued (speeding)	1
HTA tickets issued (moving/non-moving)	1
Theft (under/over \$5000/shoplifting)	2
Suspicious person/vehicle/property	1
Traffic collisions	3
Uttering threats	1
Wellbeing Checks	3

Total calls for service in Municipality:	27
Total calls for service in Three Rivers:	229
Total calls for service in South Kings District:	379
Total calls for service in Kings District:	596