



MUNICIPAL DISTRICT BONNYVILLE NO. 87

Public Safety Department Annual Report 2023

Inspector Charlene Skinner Manager of Public Safety

PUBLIC SAFETY DEPARTMENT MISSION

The Public Safety Department is committed to providing the residents of The Municipal District of Bonnyville No.87 with effective local law enforcement. We provide community-based law enforcement services in an accountable, cost-effective manner that directly responds to the needs of our community.

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER MISSION

To assist students in making informed choices through awareness, education, positive role modeling, and comprehensive programming.

Our Team

- Inspector Charlene Skinner
- Sergeant Kris Ferguson
- Administrative Assistant Cindy Coates
- Officer Steven Goguen
- Officer Shane Andexer
- Officer Sorin De-Gbon
- Officer Samuel Adams
- Officer Trish Gillett
- Officer Serge Collette





Focused on Crime Prevention

Crime Prevention is a key component to our operations. From neighborhood patrols to suspicious persons/vehicles, we work with the RCMP, and share information regularly, to help prevent crime.





Preventing Crime

Many of our Crime Prevention Patrols involve MD property and Infrastructure.

500 450 400 350 300 250 200 150 100 50 0 **Bin Sites** Campgrounds Landfills Town Halls MD Kinosoo Ski Infrastructure Resport

Crime Prevention Patrols



Focused on Industry

- We partner with CNRL, Baytex, Cenovus, and Imperial Oil to deliver patrol services on their well sites and service roads.
- In 2023 we delivered 1033 hours of patrol services to our industry partners on a fee for service basis.





Commercial Vehicles

In 2023, MD Peace Officers conducted **297** commercial vehicle inspections. From these inspections **97** had to be placed out of service until the repairs were made.



Why we do what we do...

- Overweight vehicles can damage MD roads and infrastructure. In 2023, 42 violations were observed resulting in over \$24,000 in fines.
- Vehicle safety regulations are in place to keep motorists of all classes safe. In 2023, 425 commercial safety regulation charges were laid.















Commercial Vehicle Infractions found in 2023





Cargo Securement violations found in 2023.



Focused on Traffic Safety

There are over 2776 kilometers of roads within the MD of Bonnyville.





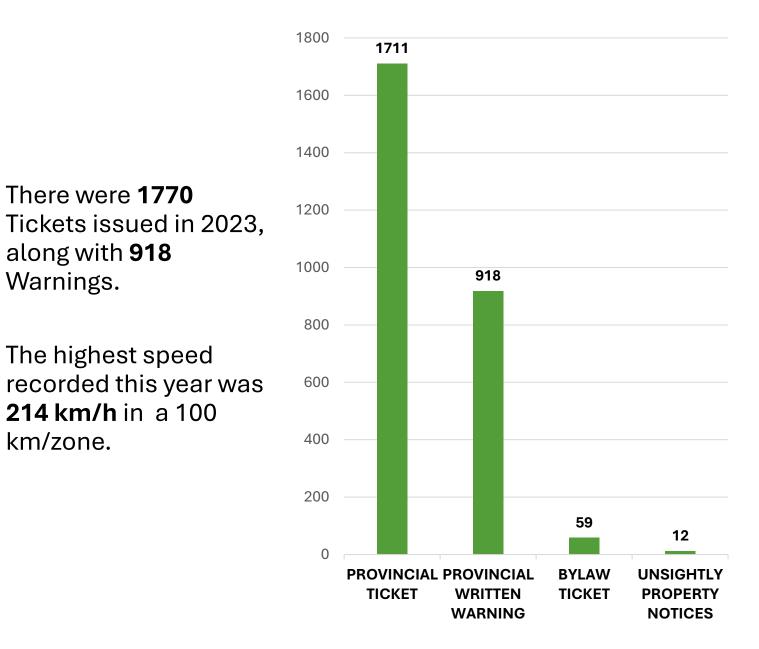
TYPES OF TICKETS/WARNINGS IN 2023

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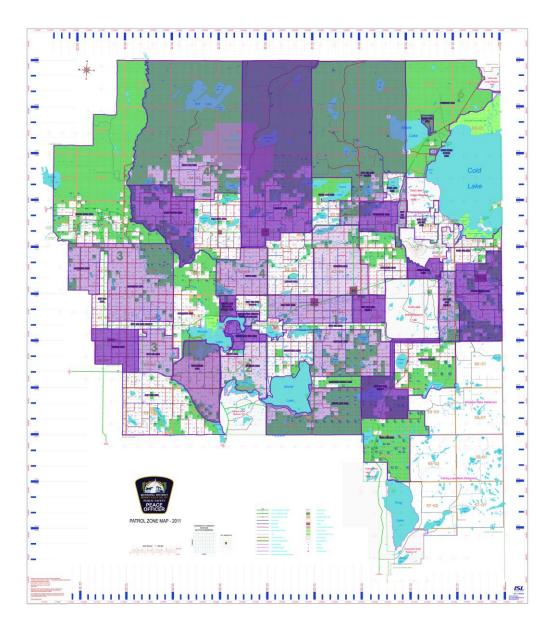
Warnings.

km/zone.



Locations Patrolled by Time, Kms, and Location

WARD / COMMUNITY	HOURS	VISITS		
1	1966	7366		
2	697	2675		
3	556	1042		
4	1185	1454		
5	1088	1586		
6	525	1506		
Glendon	274	483		
Ardmore	144	843		
Cherry Grove	48	8 237		
Fort Kent	51 1215			
TOTAL PER YEAR	6534 18,407			



TYPES OF INCIDENTS	2020	2021	2022	2023
Dog Control/Livestock	174	155	206	200
Joint Force Operations	N/A	N/A	12	30
Abandoned Vehicles	15	20	21	15
Noise/Disturbance	9	22	17	15
Community Events	N/A	N/A	8	23
Illegal Dumping of Waste	12	6	56	27
Rural Crime Prevention	43	52	59	44
Assistance Rendered	N/A	N/A	54	98
All other reported files	416	380	282	224
TOTAL PER YEAR	669	635	715	676

CALLS FOR SERVICE NUMBERS BY YEAR (MD OF BONNYVILLE AND GLENDON)



Petty Trespass Act

• Our Peace Officers can enforce the Petty Trespass Act which deals primarily with rural violators trespassing on vacant land.

• In 2023 we investigated **9** Trespassing incident within the MD.

Community Standards

MD residents are entitled to live in safe, health, and productive neighborhoods.

Our Officers responded to **27** unsightly property complaints in 2023 and mitigated all incoming complaints.

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Focused on Dog Safety

• There are **1018** licensed dogs in the MD and likely many more un-licensed

• In 2023 the Public Safety Department responded to **191** dog related complaints and laid **57** charges under municipal Bylaws.

• **31** reports involved aggressive dogs that are attacking other dogs or people





• Our School Resource Officer delivered approximately **987** presentations to over **15,658** students in 2023.

Focused on Kids

We serviced 23 area schools and 3 school Divisions in order to complete our mandates in 2023.



School Resource Officer Program

The Schools We Serve

Ecole Notre Dame Elementary

- Dr. Brosseau
- St. Dominics
- Glendon
- North Star Elementary
- Cold Lake Junior High
- Art Smith Aviation Academy
- Ecole Des Beaux Lacs
- Bonnyville Outreach
- Nelson Heights Middle
- Duclos

- H.E. Bourgoin
- Ardmore
- Cold Lake Elementary
- Iron River
- Holy Cross Elementary
- Ecole Voyageur
- Cold Lake Outreach
- Pine Meadows Hutterite
- Cold Lake High
- Assumption Jr/Sr. High
- Bonnyville Centralized High
- Ecole Notre Dame High

The Programs We Deliver..

Peace Patrol Program - for Grade 4 students to get them thinking about leadership.

Right Choices Program – Designed to help Grade 5 kids make good choices on a variety of topics

Crime Scene Investigation – Teaching Grade 6 students the magic of forensics

And more...

Single presentations:

Bicycle Safety Stranger Awareness Crosswalk Safety ATV Safety Internet Safety Home Alone Drug Awareness GDL Driver Vaping

And more...

January

Intersection safety



January 8-14 Enforcement Week

February

Distracted driving



February 5-11 Enforcement Week February 20-24 CVSA Human Trafficking Awareness Initiative

March



March 12-18 Enforcement Week March 19-25 National Impaired Driving Prevention Week

JUST AROUND THE CORNER.....

- 4 Staff will be attending the AACPO conference from February 5-9, 2024. There will be presentations on dealing with homeless encampments, vehicle safety, high performance leaders, just to name a few.
- Threat Pattern Recognition and Use of Force will be instructed inhouse for recertification in March.



Any Questions?

