

# **Report to Council**

**January 1 - August 31, 2023**

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**November 6, 2023(OPEN)**



# RCMP Strategic Plan Objectives

Strategic Enabler: Show up at our best for every citizen

Objective 1: Decrease the risk of property crime

Objective 2: Increase the sense of safety in our public spaces

Objective 3: Earn the trust of more citizens that have experienced persons crime

KELOWNA RCMP  
**STRATEGIC PLAN** 2021-2024

**We're working toward these RESULTS**

**Decrease the risk of property crime**

- 9 PM Routine Campaign to help citizens lock up
- Decreased property theft

**Show up at our best for every citizen**

- Gender and cultural diversity
- Unconscious bias training & Indigenous Cultural Safety
- Sustainable workloads
- Mental wellness training and crisis debrief supports

**Increase the sense of safety in public spaces in Downtown & Rutland**

- More officer hours
- Fewer street disorder calls
- Reduced response time to calls
- Improved citizen safety

**Earn the trust of citizens who have experienced persons crime**

- 100% of client-facing officers trained in trauma-informed practice
- 100% of client-facing officers trained in and has adopted 'Start by Believing' Pledge
- Increase in third-party reports
- Increased referrals to community victim services
- Enhanced citizen awareness of reporting options

**TOGETHER WE CAN DRIVE CHANGE.**



**Strategic Enablers** are capabilities, capacities, and resources that contribute to the operating effectiveness of an organization.

# 2024-2026 Objectives

**Be PRESENT**  
in neighbourhoods and districts to  
deter crime & improve road safety

**TARGET** recurring  
property theft



**PROMOTE** the right  
providers for mental  
health, addictions  
care and housing  
needs



**EMPOWER** policing  
professionals to  
advance prevention  
and response



**DRIVE RESULTS**  
through teamwork  
and initiative



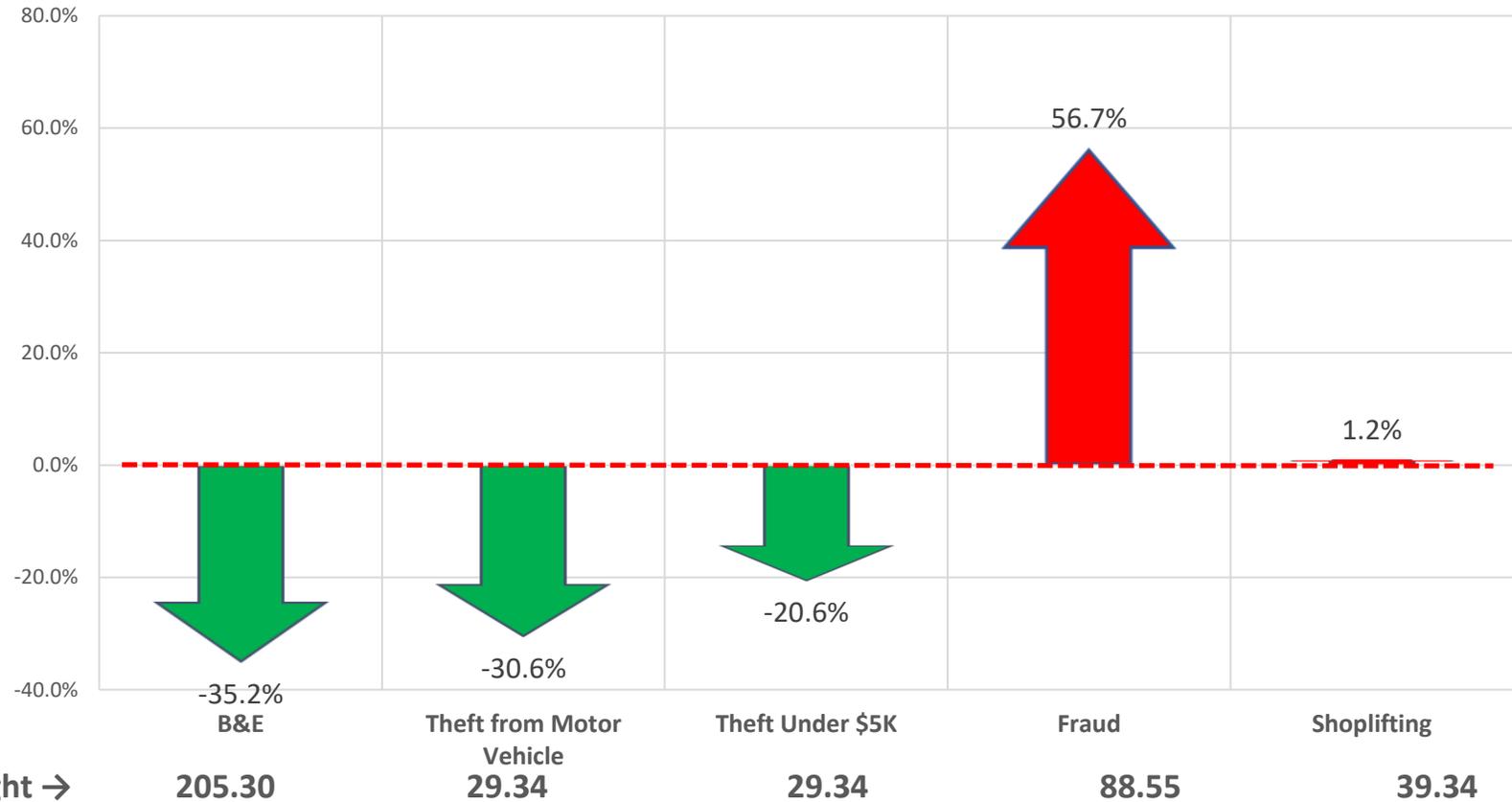


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# Top 5 Non-Violent Drivers

(Jan 1- Aug 31, 2023)

Year to Date Change



Fraud increased 56.7%

Break and Enter decreased 35.2%

Theft from Auto decreased 30.6%

Crime Severity Index Weight →

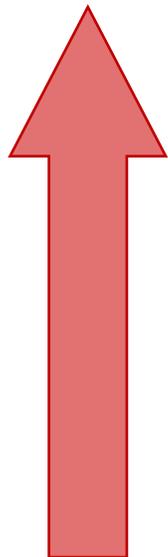




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# Fraud in Kelowna - Top 3 Drivers

56%



• Tap Fraud



• Communication Scams



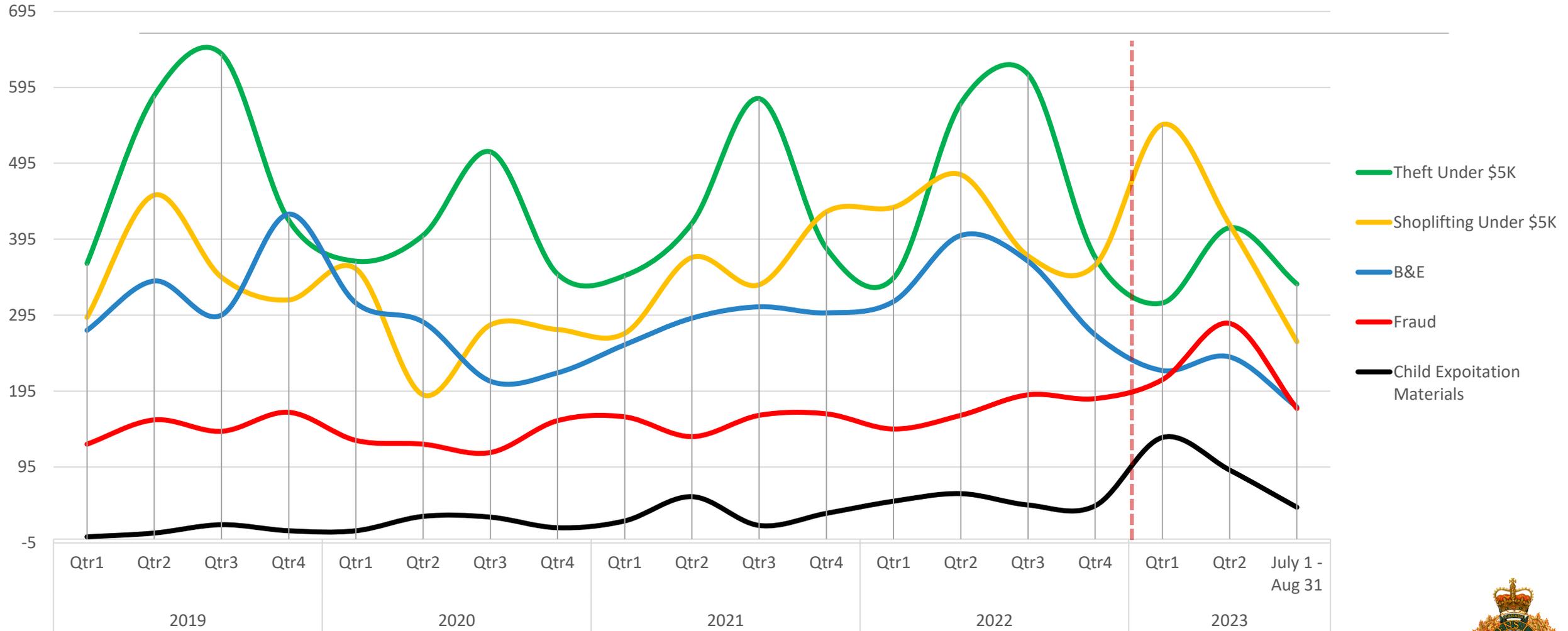
• Online Scams





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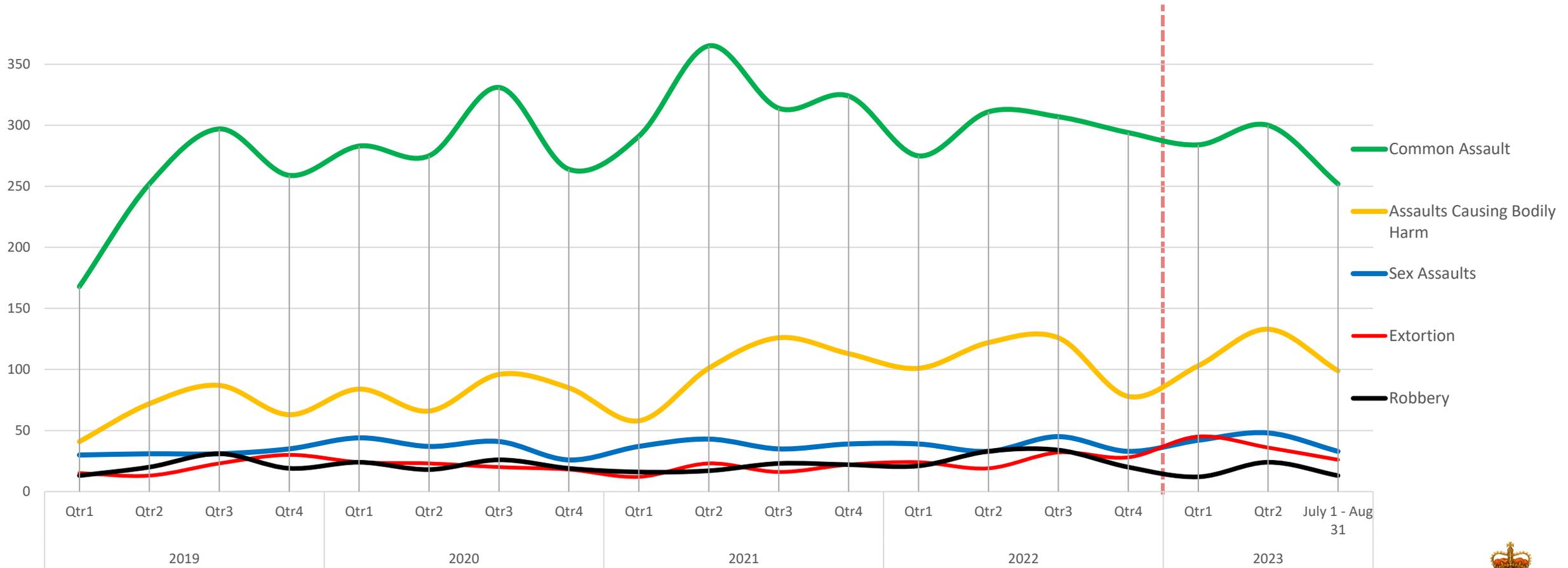
# Non-Violent Trends





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# Violent Trends

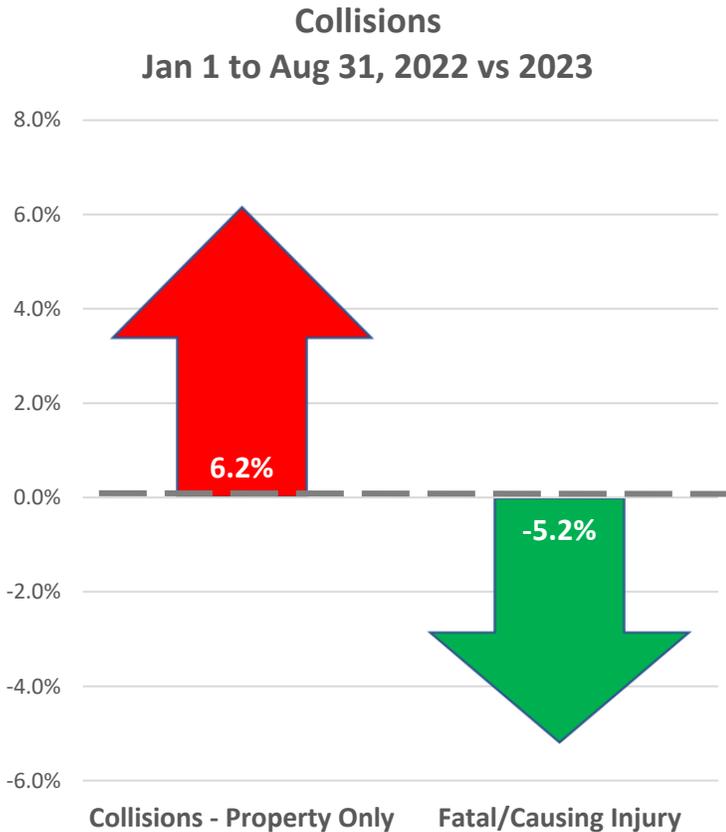




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# Traffic Enforcement

## Statistics

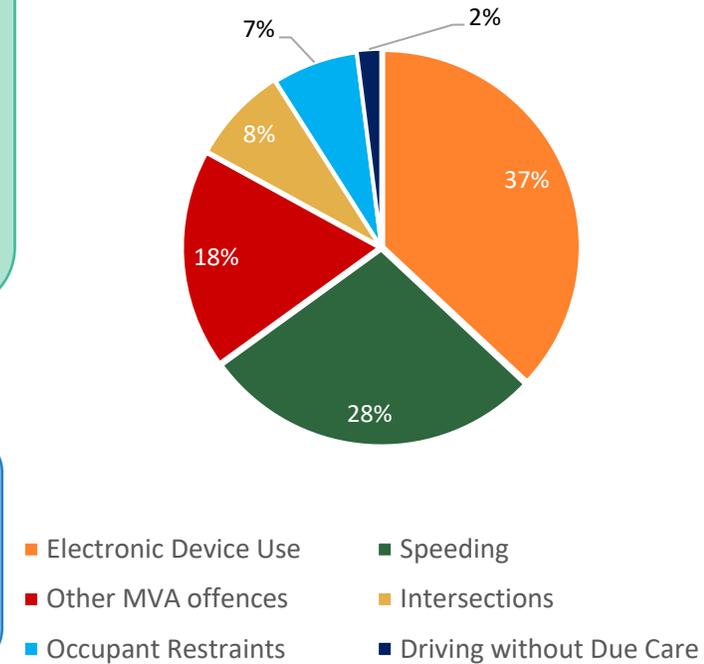


- Statistically, distracted driving is as dangerous as impaired driving
- Collisions are down 14% compared to 2022
- Since January 2023:
  - 132 Excessive Speed tickets have been issued
  - 492 vehicles have been impounded
  - 87.8% increase in violation tickets

## Objectives

- Reduce serious injury/fatal motor vehicle collisions
- Focus on speed, distracted driving, impaired driving and intersection enforcement

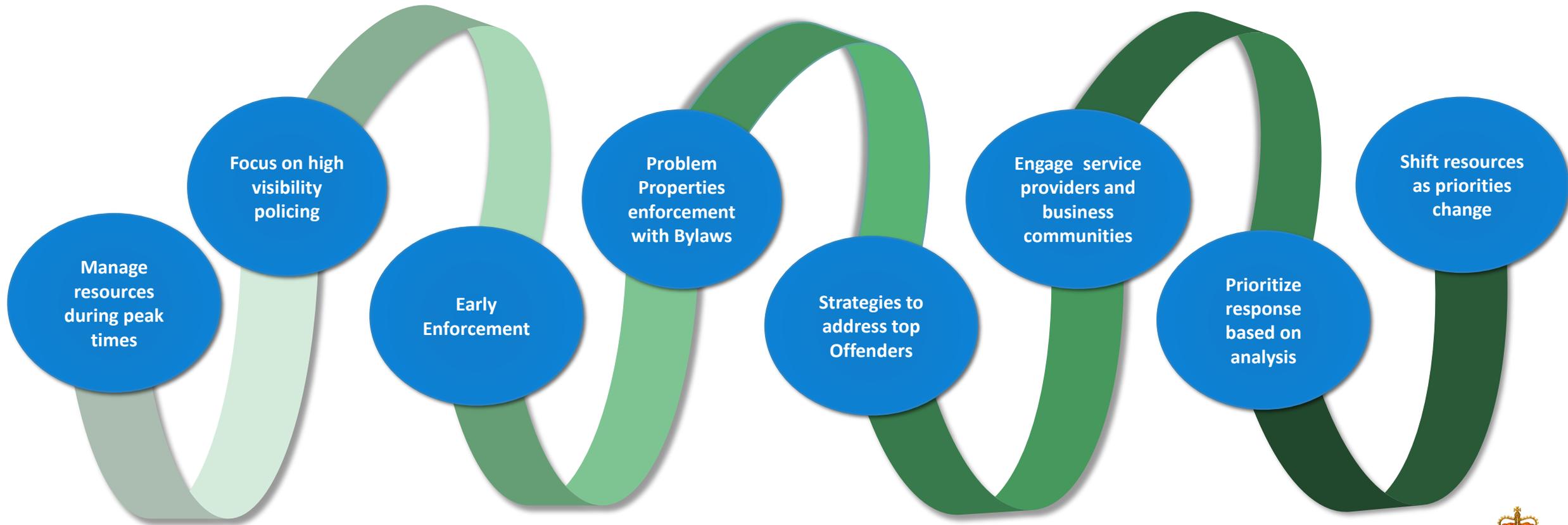
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Violation Ticket Breakdown





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# Priority Areas Downtown & Rutland





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# Airsoft vs Real



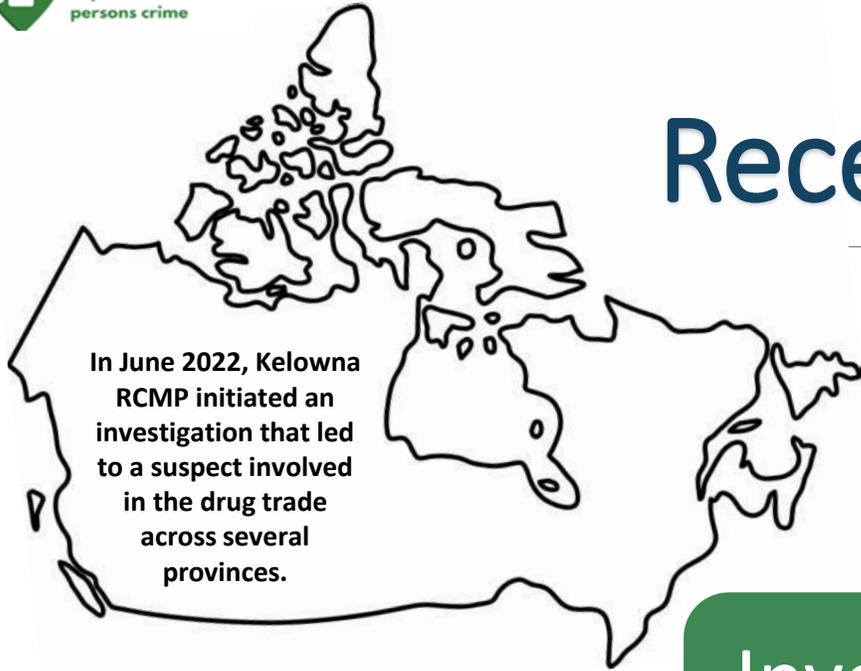


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# Community Engagement



# Recent Drug Seizures





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# 2023 Wildfire Response

Crime Trends during the wildfire

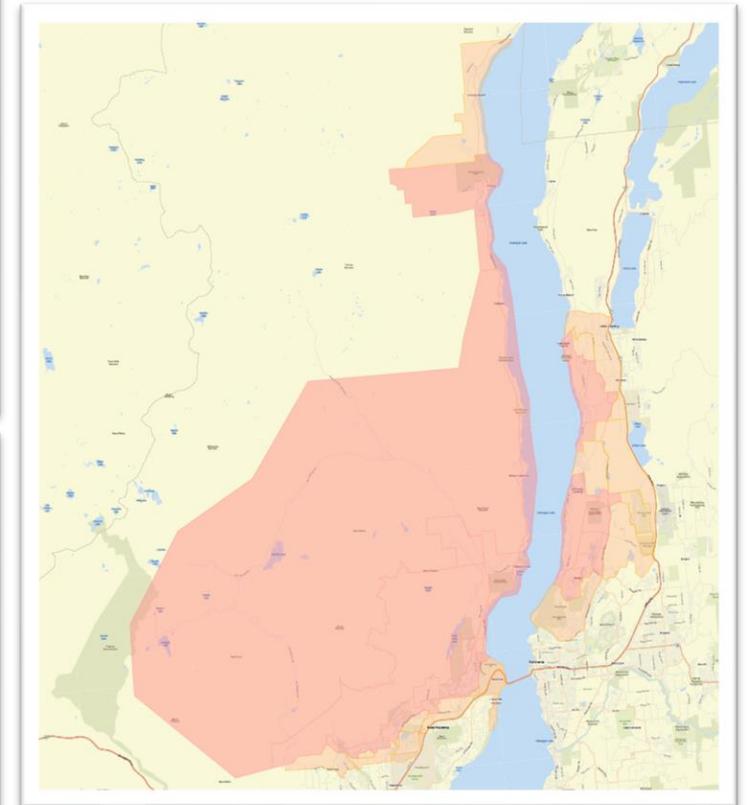
Fire spanned 4 municipalities

Visits from Prime Minister, Premier and BC RCMP Commanding Officer

10,000 properties Evacuated

Safety and Security

250 Police Officers Deployed





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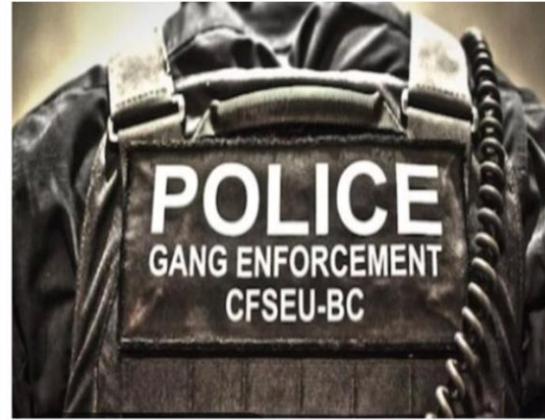


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# Summer Review



Seasonal Policing Strategy

Special Events Collaboration

Enhanced Marine Response

Provincial Enforcement Strategy

Major Events / Investigations



Questions?

