

GRANDE PRAIRIE POLICING COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting

April 16, 2026, 1:00 p.m.

Centre 2000, Al Robertson Room

1. **CALL TO ORDER**
2. **LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT**
3. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA**
4. **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**
 - 4.1 Policing Committee Minutes March 19, 2026
5. **BUSINESS ARISING**
6. **STANDING ITEMS**
 - 6.1 Chair Report
 - 6.2 OIC Report – APP Update
 - 6.3 Public Complaint Update – *Public Complaint Liaison*
 - 6.4 Committee Updates
 - a) Police Transition Management Committee
7. **NEW BUSINESS**
8. **CLOSED SESSION**
 - 8.1 Personnel – FOIP – Sec. 17(4)
 - a) RCMP April 2026 Human Resources Report
 - b) RCMP Dashboard
 - 8.2 Law Enforcement Matters – FOIP – Sec. 20(1)
 - 8.3 Public Complaint Director – FOIP – Sec. 24(1)
 - a) RCMP Public Complaint Report
 - 8.4 Professional Standards – FOIP – Sec. 17(4)
 - a) File Transfer Audit
9. **BUSINESS ARISING FROM CLOSED SESSION**
10. **NEXT MEETING** – *May 21, 2026*
11. **ADJOURNMENT**

GRANDE PRAIRIE POLICING COMMITTEE

Regular Meeting

March 19, 2026, 1:30 p.m.

Centre 2000, Al Robertson Room

Attendees:

Dan Wong
Natalia Reiman
Donna Koch
Everett McDonald (virtual)
Tim Burnham

Lois Duke
Warren Travasso
Councillor Wade Pilat
Councillor Dylan Bressey

Others:

Wendy Hunt, Executive Director
Inspector Mark McDougald, RCMP

Cpl. Cody Baker, RCMP

1. CALL TO ORDER – 1:37 PM

2. LAND ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion to approve the agenda as presented:

Moved by: Donna Koch

Carried Unanimously

4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

4.1 Policing Committee Minutes February 19, 2026

Motion to approve the minutes as presented

Moved by: Councillor Pilat

Carried Unanimously

5. BUSINESS ARISING

6. STANDING ITEMS

6.1 Chair Report

6.2 OIC Report – APP Update

Motion to accept the OIC Report.

Moved by: Councillor Bressey

Carried Unanimously

6.3 Public Complaint Update – *Public Complaint Liaison*

6.4 Committee Updates

a) Police Transition Management Committee – Next Meeting February 26, 2026



Chair



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7. NEW BUSINESS

Motion to move into closed session in accordance with Section 197 of the Municipal Government Act and specified sections of the Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act.

Moved by: Warren Travasso

Carried Unanimously

8. CLOSED SESSION

- 8.1 Personnel – FOIP – Sec. 17(4)
 - a) RCMP March 2026 Human Resources Report
 - b) RCMP Org Chart
- 8.2 Law Enforcement Matters – FOIP – Sec. 20(1)
 - a) Budget - Overtime
- 8.3 Public Complaint Director – FOIP – Sec. 24(1)
 - a) RCMP Public Complaint Report
- 8.4 Professional Standards – FOIP – Sec. 17(4)
- 8.5 Discussion on Motion for ratification of the MPSA Termination Date
- 8.6 Draft of Community Safety Plan

Motion to return to open session.

Moved by: Donna Koch

Carried Unanimously

9. BUSINESS ARISING FROM NCLOSED SESSION

- 9.1 Ratification of the letter for the MPSA Termination Date

Motion to ratify the language in the signed MPSA termination date letter

Moved by: Natalie Reiman

Carried Unanimously

10. NEXT MEETING – April 16, 2026

11. ADJOURNMENT – Chair Wong adjourned the meeting at 3:16 PM.

Chair

Date

Executive Director

Date



Grande Prairie RCMP

Monthly Policing Report

March 2026

Officer-in-Charge
Grande Prairie Municipal Detachment



Annual Performance Plan – Progress Report

Collaborate with Partners in Transition to Municipal Police Service

Priorities - Policing Transition from RCMP to GPPS

1. Work with Grande Prairie Police Service to integrate service delivery.
Target: Demobilize 20 RCMP Regular Members (RM).
 - I. 45 have transitioned from Grande Prairie Detachment
 - II. 8 RM's remain to be transfer planned.

2. Bilateral Operations amongst GPPS & RCMP on a bi-weekly basis.
Target: 20 meetings per year.
 - I. YTD: 36 completed

3. Employee Wellness - Ongoing discussions with all employees through daily shift briefings.
Target: Four per week. 150 per year.
 - I. iii. 4th Quarter: 30 completed.
 - II. YTD: 187 completed.

4. 'K' Division Career Development and Resourcing Officer engagements with Regular Members.
Target: One formal meeting per year.
 - I. 96% of RM's have received transferring planning documents.

5. Monthly Detachment meetings.
Target: 10 meetings per year.
 - I. 12 completed.

Enhance Community Relations to Build Trust & Confidence in RCMP

Priorities – Community Engagement and Diversity

1. Investigational Integrity. Consistently update complainant/victims.
Target: 90% of concluded Criminal Code files.
Reference:
 - i. 89% was obtained.

Crime Reduction

Priorities – Enhance Public Safety

1. Priority Target Initiative - Target priority & prolific offenders through proactive curfew & conditions checks.
Target: Increase by 5% year-over-year. Initial 2500. Increase to 2625.
 - i. Q4 877.
 - ii. Total YTD 2,972.
2. Stand-up a monthly CompStat/Crime Reduction (Data2Action) meeting.
 - a. Target 11 meetings per year.
 - i. twelve completed.
3. Connect GP (Sit Table). Transition to a community lead. - GPPS Cst. Lodhi
 - a. Target: Number of intakes (12).
 - i. Nine intakes completed.
 - b. Target: Number of meetings (12).
 - i. Nine meetings completed.



Grande Prairie Municipal Detachment Crime Statistics (Actual) January to March: 2022 - 2026

All categories contain "Attempted" and/or "Completed"

April 7, 2026

CATEGORY	Trend	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	% Change 2022 - 2026	% Change 2025 - 2026	Avg File +/- per Year
Offences Related to Death		1	0	1	0	3	200%	N/A	0.4
Robbery		10	6	9	7	11	10%	57%	0.3
Sexual Assaults		31	31	39	28	23	-26%	-18%	-1.9
Other Sexual Offences		19	20	17	28	14	-26%	-50%	-0.2
Assault		224	277	320	266	265	18%	0%	7.1
Kidnapping/Hostage/Abduction		4	7	6	2	13	225%	550%	1.3
Extortion		3	12	8	12	8	167%	-33%	1.0
Criminal Harassment		90	81	90	84	104	16%	24%	3.1
Uttering Threats		117	97	92	109	110	-6%	1%	-0.2
TOTAL PERSONS		499	531	582	536	551	10%	3%	10.9
Break & Enter		81	66	72	43	57	-30%	33%	-7.1
Theft of Motor Vehicle		68	92	72	56	114	68%	104%	5.6
Theft Over \$5,000		14	9	7	12	18	29%	50%	1.1
Theft Under \$5,000		344	339	352	321	479	39%	49%	25.2
Possn Stn Goods		49	72	59	44	49	0%	11%	-2.8
Fraud		154	172	138	172	140	-9%	-19%	-2.8
Arson		2	5	5	2	4	100%	100%	0.1
Mischief - Damage To Property		165	145	175	170	154	-7%	-9%	0.3
Mischief - Other		478	477	308	383	374	-22%	-2%	-30.2
TOTAL PROPERTY		1,355	1,377	1,188	1,203	1,389	3%	15%	-10.6
Offensive Weapons		56	19	26	42	20	-64%	-52%	-4.9
Disturbing the peace		246	153	308	232	206	-16%	-11%	-0.1
Fail to Comply & Breaches		201	237	373	276	223	11%	-19%	8.3
OTHER CRIMINAL CODE		114	113	113	114	115	1%	1%	0.3
TOTAL OTHER CRIMINAL CODE		617	522	820	664	564	-9%	-15%	3.6
TOTAL CRIMINAL CODE		2,471	2,430	2,590	2,403	2,504	1%	4%	3.9



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Drug Enforcement - Production		2	1	0	0	0	-100%	N/A	-0.5
Drug Enforcement - Possession		24	28	35	37	19	-21%	-49%	-0.1
Drug Enforcement - Trafficking		37	24	40	43	15	-59%	-65%	-2.5
Drug Enforcement - Other		5	5	0	0	1	-80%	N/A	-1.3
Total Drugs		68	58	75	80	35	-49%	-56%	-4.4
Cannabis Enforcement		5	1	0	1	0	-100%	-100%	-1.0
Federal - General		11	24	3	5	3	-73%	-40%	-3.5
TOTAL FEDERAL		84	83	78	86	38	-55%	-56%	-8.9
Liquor Act		32	19	20	12	15	-53%	25%	-4.1
Cannabis Act		4	7	4	4	3	-25%	-25%	-0.5
Mental Health Act		245	261	318	287	320	31%	11%	17.6
Other Provincial Stats		324	433	491	496	464	43%	-6%	34.3
Total Provincial Stats		605	720	833	799	802	33%	0%	47.3
Municipal By-laws Traffic		11	3	1	9	15	36%	67%	1.4
Municipal By-laws		26	50	40	27	48	85%	78%	2.1
Total Municipal		37	53	41	36	63	70%	75%	3.5
Fatals		0	0	0	0	1	N/A	N/A	0.2
Injury MVC		52	55	63	43	23	-56%	-47%	-7.0
Property Damage MVC (Reportable)		583	465	478	322	401	-31%	25%	-50.7
Property Damage MVC (Non Reportable)		52	21	60	75	60	15%	-20%	7.0
TOTAL MVC		687	541	601	440	485	-29%	10%	-50.5
Roadside Suspension - Alcohol (Prov)		68	73	37	32	32	-53%	0%	-11.3
Roadside Suspension - Drugs (Prov)		2	4	0	2	8	300%	300%	1.0
Total Provincial Traffic		1,464	1,792	1,368	1,015	880	-40%	-13%	-194.5
Other Traffic		11	22	17	9	1	-91%	-89%	-3.3
Criminal Code Traffic		83	131	99	89	62	-25%	-30%	-8.4
Common Police Activities									
False Alarms		113	124	117	106	88	-22%	-17%	-6.8
False/Abandoned 911 Call and 911 Act		224	244	273	332	286	28%	-14%	21.2
Suspicious Person/Vehicle/Property		296	219	286	290	213	-28%	-27%	-9.5
Persons Reported Missing		67	80	94	61	54	-19%	-11%	-4.5
Search Warrants		15	7	10	1	2	-87%	100%	-3.2
Spousal Abuse - Survey Code (Reported)		415	395	386	392	323	-22%	-18%	-18.7
Form 10 (MHA) (Reported)		10	15	8	10	12	20%	20%	-0.1

Officer in Charge – Monthly highlights

Please review the weekly report for Notable files covering March

March 2nd - March 8th

487 calls; 25- assaults, 4- B&E, 22- MHA, 19- Theft of MV, 29- traffic Collisions,

Armed Robbery –

- 911 call to the East Side Kitchen for an armed robbery.
- Employee reported a male entered the store w/ a handgun and demanded money which the victim declined to provide.
- The male took the victims phone from the counter and left.
- Containment set, and PDS tracked. Victims cell pinged. SOC not located. GIS engaged

Sexual Assault –

- Female victim attended the front counter to report the past 7 years of domestic assaults, sexual assault, choking, and other Criminal Offences.
- SOC in BC. Safety planning completed, and warrants being sought.

Person living in the Wall –

- Members called to St. Paul's Church for a male living in the church walls.
- Members attended, opened the wall, and located [REDACTED] in a bathrobe.
- Arrested, and transported to cells pending JIR.

March 9th - March 15th

488 calls; 18- assaults, 8- B&E, 27- MHA, 8- Theft of MV, 22- traffic Collisions,

Located 3 Missing females-

- GP were able to locate 3 outstanding missing persons on SUNDAY: 3 females were all located with out injury and released into the care of CFS.

Uttering Threats

- SOC (known drug dealer) was arrested for uttering threats towards a Grande Prairie Crown Prosecutor after a recent trial proceeding didn't go his way.
- SOC was arrested and held for JIR and several charges.

March 16th – March 22nd, 2026.

Grande Prairie City Detachment

550 calls; 26- assaults, 3- B&E, 21- MHA, 4- Robberies, 7- Theft of MV, 26- traffic Collisions,

Attempted abduction of 10-year-old child.

- On March 21, 2026, Grande Prairie Municipal detachment received a call of an attempted abduction of a 10 y/o female victim.
- It was reported that while she'd been walking home from a friend's residence earlier in the evening, the victim had been followed by an unknown adult male.

- Upon the victim noticing the man, he attempted to convince her to come with him.
- The victim ran to a nearby friend's house for safety.
- The suspect followed her to the door and knocked.
- When the homeowner opened the door, the suspect attempted to enter and convince the homeowner that he was a family member of the child.
- The homeowner forced the door closed, and the suspect fled.
- The victim remained at her friend's residence until her parents arrived to take her home.
- The incident was captured on doorbell camera and was subsequently posted to social media.
- SOC was identified as located and arrested

Robbery w/ a Firearm

- 911 call to Cannabis 4 Less for a robbery with a semi auto firearm.
- SOC masked with a bike helmet and heavy jacket pointed a firearm at the clerk.
- Members gathered information and while patrolling observed the SOC flee in a silver Buick car just prior to the call.
- Members conducted extensive patrols and located the SOC vehicle, mask and jacket in Swan City trailer park.
- **SOC identified** by witness and found fleeing the area on foot.
- Arrested with the stolen cash and lodged.
- GIS engaged, and Search warrant drafted for car and residence.

Suden Death/Fatal MVC

- Police dispatched to a 911 crash notification at 92 St by the Christian Fellowship Assembly Church.
- Members attended and 85-year-old had a medical incident while driving, crashed into a light post and died.
- EMS attempted CPR but were not successful.

Armed Robbery

- Police called to a report that a male suspect attempted to steal a tip jar in Old Smokes Coffee
- when confronted by staff he pulled out a knife.
- Suspect Identified and later arrested by police.

March 23rd, – March 29th, 2026

557 calls; 17- assaults, 5- B&E, 16- MHA, 4- Robberies, 11- Theft of MV, 24- traffic Collisions,

Point Firearm –

- SOC was observed pointing a black handgun with an orange tip at another male in the area of 100 Ave and 105 Street.
- Prior to this incident, this SOC was at Northwestern Polytechnic.
- Members were able to get video of the SOC from the college.
- The SOC was walking through the college and was observed with the gun with an orange tip.
- Multiple Grande Prairie building went into lock down without police instruction
- SOC was arrested and remanded in custody

Armed robbery

- Cannabis 4 Less with firearm.
- Stole approx. \$600 and \$1000 in cannabis products.
- Surveillance Collected.
- Members located SOC with \$445 cash.
- SW completed on Swan City Trailer #123.
- SOC charged and remanded.

Agg Assault

- GPPS Members dispatched to an unconscious male covered in blood and laying on the sidewalk between Wapiti House and St Lawrence Centre.
- Later discovered that the male victim was extremely intoxicated and was laying on the sidewalk.
- 2 SOC came up to the individual and start kicking the individual in the face numerous times.
- Male transported to the hospital for further assessment.
- Security footage obtained.
- Two SOC identified on video and arrested.
- Both transported and held.
- It was later determined that SOC's original arrested were not involved and released from custody.
- The right SOC were identified, arrested, and held.