




















# Transit Safety Snapshot

## For the period of May. 1 – May. 7, 2023

**Transit Safety Snapshot** | The City of Calgary is continually making operational improvements to enhance safety for Transit riders and the broader Calgary community. This is a weekly update to critical indicators of safety for Calgarians. **Transit riders are reminded that they can discreetly report immediate safety or security concerns by sending a text to 74100. Staff will assist and dispatch officers, if needed.**

Station Patrols	Calls for Service	Weapons-related Calls	Arrests Made	Charges Laid	Overdose Responses	People Gathered at LRT Stations at end of service	Referrals & Transports	Average Temperature	Security guard placements (based on incidents)
									
Current Week <b>731</b> ↑	Current Week <b>1,672</b> ↓	Current Week <b>8</b> ↓	Current Week <b>39</b> ↑	Current Week <b>284</b> ↓	Current Week <b>23</b> ↓	Current Week <b>50</b> ↓	Current Week <b>167</b> ↑	Current Week <b>High: +28</b> <b>Low: +5</b>	Whitehorn Marlborough Rundle Chinook Heritage Southland Canyon-Meadows
Last Week <b>688</b>	Last Week <b>1,751</b>	Last Week <b>10</b>	Last Week <b>23</b>	Last Week <b>383</b>	Last Week <b>33</b>	Last Week <b>56</b>	Last Week <b>73</b>	Last Week <b>High: +23</b> <b>Low: 0</b>	Tuscany Crowfoot Dalhousie 69 Street Westbrook City Hall
18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	18-Week Trend 	Note: • The black arrow shows the trend over the last two weeks. • The green arrow represents a stable or favorable trend. • The red arrow represents a less favorable trend.

There is an upward trend in arrests made which may be due to the joint operation between Transit peace officers and Calgary Police Service (CPS). The 6 joint teams have been patrolling on the Transit system since the beginning of April.

### Wins of the Week | Highlights, Successes & Milestones

- A customer called 311 to say thank you to the peace officers. While riding on a bus, the customer noticed a few people sleeping on the bus seats. Peace officers met the bus at an LRT station and assisted the sleeping individuals.
- A grandmother used the Transit Help Phone to report that her 4-year-old grandchild had boarded a train without her. The train operator located the child on the train and held the train until peace officers arrived. Peace officers took the child back to meet her grandmother and reunited the family.
- Transit peace officers identified a woman from a Calgary Police Service "Need to Identify" bulletin, where a senior was robbed and assaulted by two people. The officers observed the accused at Sunalta Station and contacted CPS. Calgary Police arrived, arrested, and charged the woman for the robbery. Transit peace officers issued a Transit ban to the accused.
- [A good news story](#) about the work of the Community Outreach Team (COT) was shared via the City Newsroom.

### Recent Initiative

- The Community Outreach Team (COT) has been undertaking joint outreach initiatives with Calgary Police District 3 and the Tsuu T'ina Police wrap around team. The goal of the Tsuu T'ina team is to connect people back into their community. The Tsuu T'ina Nation borders The City of Calgary. The COT team also connected a client with the Diversion Team. Diversion is an option when a homeless person requires minimal support to secure housing.