



A vibrant, safe and secure Calgary

| INCREASED SAFETY | IMPROVED SOCIAL SUPPORT ACCESS AND NAVIGATION | RESILIENT PEOPLE AND COMMUNITIES |  KEY MESSAGES |
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Activities and updates

Calgary Police Service:

- The 12-week Alberta Sheriff Pilot program was completed. Police and sheriff teams patrolled high priority areas within the city centre and attended ~2600 calls with ~180 charges laid.

East Village HELP (formerly DOAP) Team:

- Participated in ~300 business interactions, ~560 client interactions, and ~110 transports.

Washroom Attendant Pilot Project:

- The City in partnership with Alberta Alliance Who Educate and Advocate Responsibility (AAWEAR) launched a washroom attendant pilot for Olympic Plaza and Century Gardens.
- ~ 1300 interactions and ~400 referrals to support services.

Activities and updates

The 211/911/HELP (formerly DOAP) Call

Diversion program:

- Responded to ~350 calls from 911 and 211 to provide Calgarians with services like referrals, transports and housing supports.

City peace officers:

- Since January, officers have had ~790 client interactions and provided ~2000 essential services.

Calgary Homeless Foundation's Transit Outreach Initiative:

- Monthly outreach event held at alternating LRT stations.
- Event held at Chinook LRT with ~10 outreach services who supported ~100 individuals with basic needs and health supplies.

Activities and updates

Nagar Kirtan- Sikh Parade (May 13):

- Dashmesh Cultural Centre hosted this free event celebrating Sikh and Punjabi culture, through food, competitions, and displays.
- ~120,000 in attendance.

Farmers and Makers Market (May 24 – October 6):

- Held weekly in Central Memorial Park, with over 50 vendors, live music, and free family friendly activities.
- ~2,500 in attendance in May.

Creative Wayfinding Mural (Installed May 23):

- Downtown Strategy's Activate + Experiment program installed a [Creative Wayfinding Mural](#) at the Municipal Building to connect the downtown core and East Village.

- The City of Calgary and Calgary Police Services are focused on creating safer public spaces by reducing crime and social disorder through collaborative actions.*
- The City and partners continue to address real and perceived safety and security issues through coordinated information and resources.*
- The Coordinated Community Extreme Weather Response has transitioned to supporting unhoused Calgarians during extreme heat by focusing on coordination of outreach groups and basic safety needs.*
- Calgarians continue to build strong connections in their communities through spring events and activities.*

CITY-WIDE DATA POINTS OF INTEREST

In May:

- Calgary Transit peace officers responded to ~3400 social disorder calls, down 13% from April.
- 211 received ~750 calls for mental health and substance abuse services, down 10% from April.