



BRITISH COLUMBIA ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE

2018 Committee Assignments

STANDING COMMITTEES	MANDATE
BC LAW ENFORCEMENT MEMORIAL	To facilitate coordination, funding and increased attendance at the annual BC Law Enforcement Memorial event.
COPS FOR CANCER/COPS FOR KIDS	Information sharing on the annual Cops for Cancer cycling tours that raises money for pediatric cancer research and Camp Goodtimes, a camp for childhood victims of cancer research and their families.
CRIME PREVENTION & CRIME STOPPERS	Furthering discussions regarding crime prevention, root causes of crime and support to Crime Stoppers in BC.
COUNTER-TERRORISM & NATIONAL SECURITY	
DIVERSITY IN POLICING	<p>To provide timely and informative educational sessions to the members of BCACP on the topic of Diversity and Inclusion.</p> <p>The BCACP Diversity Committee will have an "internal" focus and will provide police leaders in BC with information to help them promote diversity and inclusion within their police service and communities. Focus will be on understanding what diversity and inclusion means to the communities we serve and what it looks like to those communities. To do this, the Committee will identify emerging (and in some cases existing) trends, identify a SME, and invite them to address the membership at the BCACP at least once annually.</p>
DRUGS	To promote safer and healthier communities in British Columbia through proactive leadership by identifying drug enforcement strategies and initiatives. To actively engage stakeholders and through consultation promote the treatment of substance abuse and prevention strategies.
FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS	To report on significant issues affecting the membership that have or are occurring with the membership jurisdiction.
INDEPENDENT INVESTIGATIONS OFFICE (IIO) / POLICE	To represent the BCACP in presenting and discussing issues with the Chief Civilian Director and executive/management at the IIO.

LAW ENFORCEMENT TORCH RUN	To raise funds and awareness for Special Olympics BC.
LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE	To organize and deliver a notable and effective police leadership conference in BC and to provide current and topical presentations to mid-level law enforcement leaders to strengthen their development.
LIQUOR CONTROL & LICENSING	To liaise with Government regarding liquor compliance and enforcement issues.
MENTAL HEALTH & ADDICTIONS	The Committee has focused on the police response to people in crisis who are dealing with a mental illness. Wait times for police at hospitals when apprehending under section 28, participation in Assertive Community Treatment Teams, and other strategies for assisting the community and lessening the burden on police resources.
OPERATIONAL COMMUNICATIONS CENTRE	Provide key strategic advice to relevant partners including the Province of BC in support of ongoing and future studies, projects and initiatives to enhance the efficiency and effectiveness of OCC's across the province.
ORGANIZED CRIME	
POLICE PERFORMANCE INDICATORS	To create a performance measurement framework for all police agencies in BC.
PROFESSIONAL STANDARDS / ETHICS & INTEGRITY	To promote and influence ethical behavior and professionalism amongst the membership of the BCACP and their organizations.
TRAFFIC SAFETY	To promote public safety by identifying, prioritizing and addressing common road safety issues of the police community and their partners, and promote legislative reform in support of increased road safety.
TRUTH & RECONCILIATION	To explore how police agencies in BC might implement the "Calls to Action" and arrange presentations to the BCACP on First Nations policing.
VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN	To work with justice and public safety sector partners to promote practice improvements that increase women's safety and improve offender management and accountability.
RELATED COMMITTEES	MANDATE
CANADIAN ASSOCIATION OF CHIEFS OF POLICE (CACP)	To represent the BC Association of Chiefs of Police at the Canadian Association Board of Directors.
CROWN POLICE LIAISON	To promote effective communication between Police and Crown at a senior level; to address systemic issues affecting police and Crown at a provincial policy level.
NATIONAL POLICE SERVICE	
NATIONAL POLICE INFORMATION SERVICE	The Advisory Board is composed of representatives from each provincial Chiefs' association and members of the RCMP National Police Service. The Advisory Board meets twice a year and receives updates on the status of programs. Input from the Advisory Board members is also sought, including any concerns from the provinces

	about the delivery of National Police Services.
PROVINCIAL TRAINING GOVERNANCE & STEERING COMMITTEE (PTGSC)	To provide a forum for RCMP and independent municipal police department executives to discuss and promote harmonized police training in BC and take advantage of economies that may exist by sharing and collaborating on high quality police training.
REGIONAL OPERATIONS POLICE MANAGERS (ROPME)	To provide opportunities for value-based discussion and engagement on current issues, emerging trends, best practices, project updates and general networking.
SPECIAL PURPOSE COMMITTEES	MANDATE
MEMBER WELLNESS	To provide tools and training for police agencies in BC to help members be healthy, with an emphasis on mental and emotional health.
MISSING WOMENS INQUIRY	To provide strategic advice on, and a forum to facilitate coordinated actions on police-related Missing Women Commission of Inquiry (MWCI) recommendations.
MISSING CHILDREN WORKING GROUP	
PROVINCIAL CRIME REDUCTION	
RESPONSE TO PERSONS IN MENTAL HEALTH CRISIS	To review and assess police response to calls for service involving persons believed to be experiencing a mental health crisis in order to optimize the potential for a successful resolution that significantly reduces or eliminates any use of Force.