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SUMMARY OF CPS INTELLIGENCE PROGRAM

- **CPS Intelligence Foundations Project: 2015 to 2017**
- **Grounded in guiding principles**
- **Policy developed**
- **Info Post — membership trained in elevated standards for collection and compliance**
- **Intelligence Evaluation Unit — accountability, rigour, quality assurance**
- **Intelligence shared in support of Community safety**
- **Focus on legislative compliance rather than statistical reporting**



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INFO POST

WHAT IS IT?

- An electronic form
- The mechanism for entering information into *Sentry (RMS)*
- Routine Duties/ Tasked Duties / Volunteered Information

DATA FIELDS

- Objectives – “why”
- Type – “how”
- Subject – “what”

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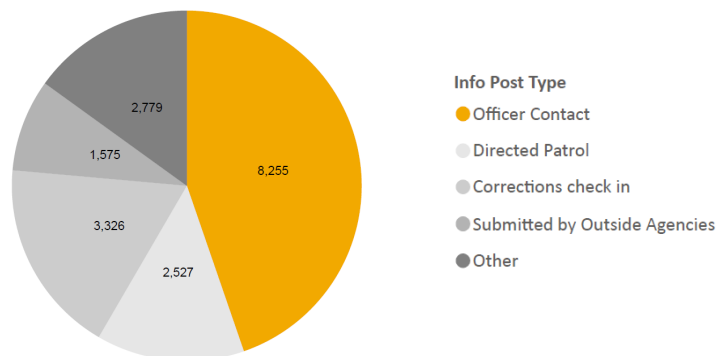
- Lawfully collected
- Not arbitrary
- Fair & Impartial Practices



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TYPES OF INFO POST SUBMISSIONS

CHART 1: Breakdown (by Type) of 18,462 Info Posts submitted 2019-01-01 to 2019-12-31




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INTELLIGENCE EVALUATION UNIT

<h3 style="background-color: black; color: yellow; padding: 5px;">FUNCTION</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Receive & review all Info Posts QA completeness and accuracy Flag for attention of work areas Train & mentor 	<h3 style="background-color: black; color: yellow; padding: 5px;">BENEFITS/ EFFICIENCIES</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data quality assurance Compliance Dissemination Near real time
<h3 style="background-color: black; color: yellow; padding: 5px;">UNIT DETAILS</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1 supervisor 4 evaluators Coverage 7 days a week Training 	<h3 style="background-color: black; color: yellow; padding: 5px;">WORKLOAD</h3> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Process ALL Info Post Submissions – roughly 1540 per month on average in 2019.




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VOLUME OF INFO POST SUBMISSIONS

CHART 1: Breakdown (by Type) of 18,462 Info Posts submitted 2019-01-01 to 2019-12-31

Info Post Type	Count
Officer Contact	6,255
Directed Patrol	3,326
Corrections check in	2,527
Submitted by Outside Agencies	2,779
Other	1,575
Public CFS	2,779

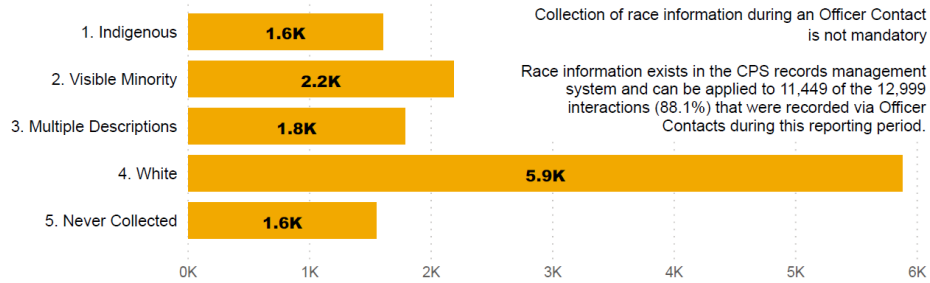
~Three Officer Contact per day per district.
At least 44% relate to a public generated Call For Service (CFS).



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ANALYSIS OF OFFICER CONTACTS

CHART 2: Race of individuals on Officer Contacts from CPS records management system



Notes:

1. Indigenous includes: First Nation, Metis and Inuit
2. Visible Minority includes: Asian, Black, East Indian, Hispanic, Middle Eastern, South Asian and other Non-White
3. Multiple Descriptions indicates an individual has been described under more than one of the existing race categories during different interactions with CPS



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CPS POLICY – COLLECTION OF INFORMATION

- Updated December 2016, outlines:
 - Statement of principle
 - Purpose
 - Scope
 - Authority
 - Officer Responsibilities
 - Restrictions
 - Record Retention



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ONGOING BENCHMARKING

- Edmonton – Independent Review (June 2018) – 17 recommendations
- Saskatchewan Police Commission - Policy (2018)
- Vancouver – Internal Review (September 2018) – 6 recommendations
- Ontario – Justice Tulloch (December 2018) – 108 recommendations
- Halifax (March 2019) – 53 recommendations
- BC Provincial Standard – Police Stops (January 2020)
- Alberta - Proposed Provincial Guidelines For The Conduct Of Street Checks (September 2020)



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THEMES

- *“Carding is not the same as what police services commonly referred to as conducting street checks, although the two terms have erroneously become synonymous.” Justice Tulloch*
- Collection and Management of Information
- Policy and Procedure
- Public Engagement and Reporting



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NEXT STEPS

- Continued Training & Education
- Continue to publish corporate reports
- Support CPS commitment to collect and share Race-based data
- Ongoing public engagement
- Ongoing benchmarking & research
- Review of Policy in 2020
- CPS audit schedule 2020
- Sharing of learnings nationally
- Participation in development of Provincial Standard



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