

Bylaw Enforcement

2024 – 3rd Period

	2023 3rd Period	2024 3rd Period	2023 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
Total Bylaw Contraventions and Complaints Investigated	208	305	599	858
➤ Streets and Traffic	141	233	393	646
➤ General Bylaw Inquiries	23	22	58	57
➤ Maintenance/Nuisance Property/Noise Bylaw	27	37	99	112
➤ Zoning Bylaw	4	4	15	12
➤ Business License	0	0	1	0
➤ Building	6	2	10	4
➤ Animal Control	4	3	8	10
➤ Park Maintenance & Tree Protection	2	4	10	15
➤ Assist Third Party Agencies	1	0	4	2
➤ Secondary Suites	0	0	1	0
Concluded Investigations	194	284	551	804
Active Investigations	14	21	48	54
BON's & MTI's Issued	205	311	660	907
➤ Total Maximum Fine Value	\$ 10,475	\$ 21,137	\$ 33,000	\$ 57,497.50
➤ Total Paid	\$ 1,760	\$ 6,630	\$ 7,210	\$ 14,656.50
➤ Total Outstanding	\$ 7,725	\$ 12,562	\$ 22,150	\$ 36,361.00
➤ Tickets Cancelled	3	16	27	35
➤ Warning Tickets (not included in "issued" total above)	48	75	221	245
BON & MTI Adjudication				
➤ Disputed Matters to Screening Officer	6	17	33	48
➤ Disputed tickets – cancelled	3	13	20	31
➤ Disputed tickets – confirmed by Screening Officer	3	4	13	16
➤ Sent to adjudication	0	0	0	0

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Animal Control	2023 3rd Period	2024 3rd Period	2023 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
➤ Dog Tags Sold	105	56	1687	1651
Incidents Investigated by Victoria Animal Control	154	56	491	275
➤ Dogs at Large	11	2	39	23
➤ No Leash	46	8	154	68
➤ No License	17	0	70	27
➤ Barking/Noisy Dogs	4	3	28	20
➤ Dog Attacks (on animals)	4	3	14	15
➤ Dog Attacks (on humans)	2	1	9	6
➤ Cats at Large	6	4	15	7

Actions taken by VACS	2023 3rd Period	2024 3rd Period	2023 Year to Date	2024 Year to Date
➤ Verbal Warnings	52	9	141	81
➤ Written Notices	38	4	178	36
➤ BON Written	6	0	8	33
➤ Animals Impounded	9	6	37	31
➤ Contacts – With Dogs - No Violation	497	516	770	1024
➤ Contacts – Without Dogs	322	237	462	644

*These numbers represent the number of contacts with people that VACS officers have while patrolling the parks. These statistics were not captured in previous years; however they represent an important part of the work that VACS officers do during their preventative patrol time in Esquimalt. VACS reports that the vast majority are positive encounters, and people are appreciative of the presence of the Animal Control Officers in the parks and trails.