

NEWS RELEASE

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Residents can connect with Bylaw and Police services in one downtown location

Summary

The City of Nanaimo Community Policing and Services Office (CPSO), located at 18 Victoria Crescent, is a satellite office for both City Bylaw and Parking Services and the downtown RCMP Bike Patrol Unit. The downtown location creates a collaborative environment for enforcement services to monitor and assist one another with downtown policing and security concerns.

This "Safe Harbour" designated office is a convenient and friendly location for local residents to obtain information and materials regarding social programs available throughout the Nanaimo.

Strategic Link: Taking Responsibility to be an excellent municipal government; Social Equality

Key Points

- The Community Policing and Services Office provides complimentary, safe and effective bylaw enforcement and awareness of available community and policing services.
- The location at 18 Victoria Crescent is a welcoming place for downtown and street residents to enquire about social services and programs they may need, providing the opportunity to assist individuals as well as supporting the overall goal of aiding the social needs of the downtown.

Quotes

"The Community Policing Services Office is a convenient location for downtown Nanaimo businesses, patrons and residents to connect directly with the City and RCMP. This location provides better access for businesses, employees and residents to address their parking needs efficiently and effectively."

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