



# Abbotsford Police Department

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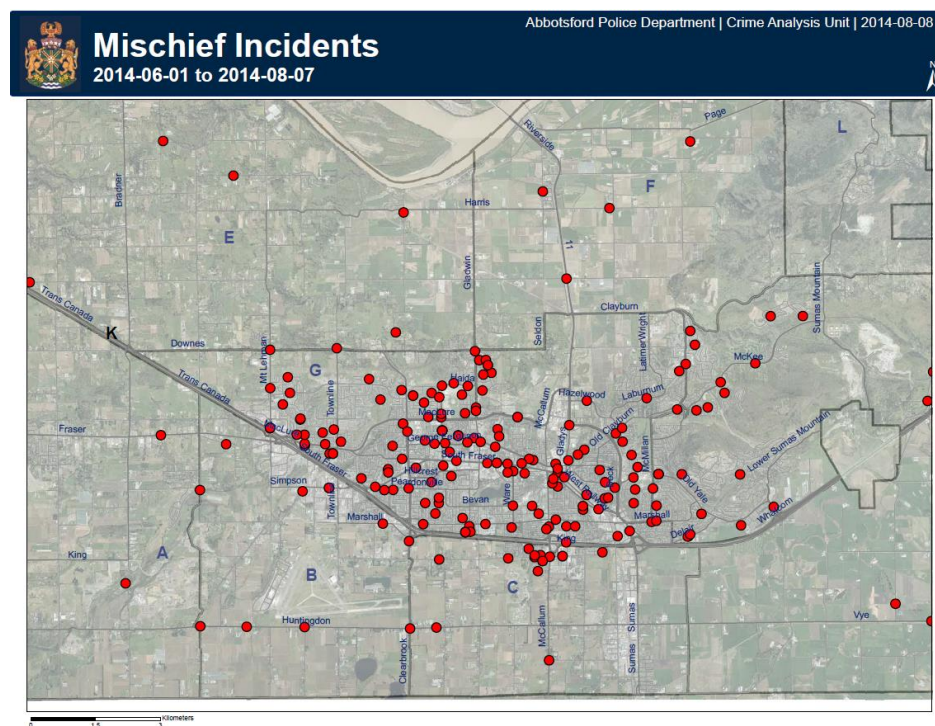
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**Incident: 233 Mischief Reports since June 1, 2014**

**Abbotsford – August 11, 2014**

Since June 1, 2014 the Abbotsford Police Department has investigated 233 incidents of mischief. This represents a 9% increase in this crime type compared with 2013. Many of these crimes have involved damage to city property. From broken windows to graffiti on signage and buildings, all of this destruction results in thousands of dollars of costs to the taxpayers of Abbotsford. We are encouraging people to report suspicious activity and to be mindful that this type of damage is highly conspicuous. Individuals carrying pellet guns, spray cans and other tools used to create damage are normally observed in advance of the mischief.



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Anyone with information about these incidents is asked to call the APD at 604-859-5225 or text us at 222973 (abbypd) or call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-8477.

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