

Governance Plus Security Ltd.

2021 YEAR END REPORT FOR THE CITY OF GRAND FORKS



Clean ups

- We participated in and/or initiated 18 derelict camp clean ups in 2021. On some of the projects contractors were used.
- Three clean ups of note were the Granby River camps south of the slag pile and two in the area known as MOTO.

Sadness involved

- This was one 63 year old man's life.
- This homeless person has lived rough for over 30 years.
- His biggest regret about the fire is losing the only picture he had of his mother.





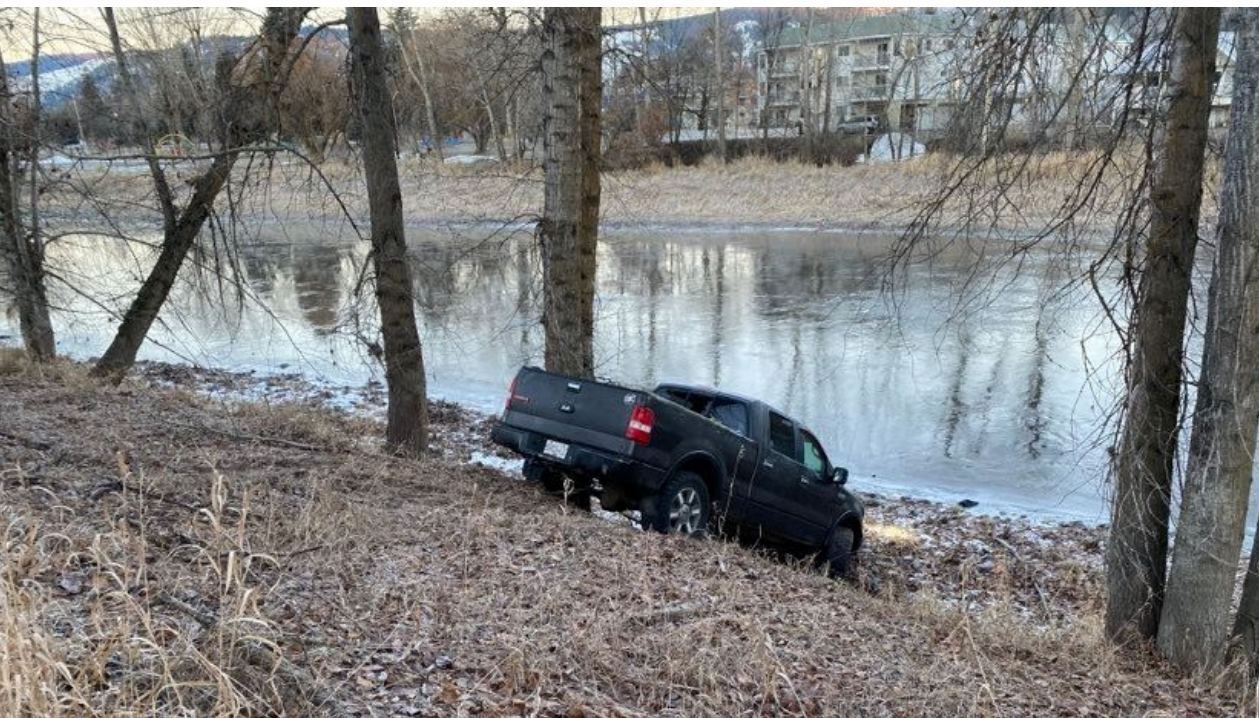
Lifestyles

- Some of the folks, it seems, can not get out of the lifestyle either because of mental illness or drug addiction or both



We assisted the fire department

- On about 8 occasions we assisted the Fire Department by doing traffic control.



Assist RCMP

- During the year of 2021 we filed 43 police reports, assisted in the recovery of stolen vehicles, recovery of stolen property, assisted in locating both missing and wanted persons and were asked on numerous occasions for information on a variety of activities and persons. During the heat dome they asked us to watch for the elderly and young that may be over exposed.

Community Assist

- On numerous occasions we provided assistance to city staff and members of the community. Not everyone was happy with some of the work we did, particularly those that did not wish to comply with the City's wishes.





Fun stuff

- On occasion we took a day off and had fun, the moving sale sign is from Moto when some of the residents made an attempt to make money.



Squatters

- The majority of our work throughout the year was dealing with squatters in various areas of the City.
- We know 95% of the homeless and drug addicted and enjoy a good rapport with most of them.
- At Christmas time we provided about 25 people with Tim's gift cards, wool gloves, coats and generally made sure that they were safe and where possible, that they were warm and had a place to go.



North Ruckle

- Needless to say, the area of North Ruckle was problematic.
- There was a great deal of theft and vandalism causing the City significant losses and that is still ongoing.

Summary

- The City contracted Governance Plus on a 20 hour per week basis.
- We had a busy year and what I have shown you through the slides is just a portion of what was done and is ongoing.
- Thank you for your time Mayor and Council.

