

Provincial Auxiliary Tier Program

Kamloops RCMP Detachment - April 2024

Frequently Asked Questions

To be considered as an RCMP Auxiliary, candidates must be:

- Age: minimum 19 years - maximum 60 years of age
- Committed to the Program for 2 years with a minimum of 180 volunteer hours per year.
- Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident (5 years in Canada).
- Proficient in English. Have successfully completed high school or equivalent.
- Able to obtain RCMP reliability status and possess a valid Class 5 drivers licence.
- Have no business or employment that may cause a conflict of interest.

Persons who are not eligible for the Auxiliary Program:

- At the discretion of the Commanding Officer RCMP "E" Division, or delegate, persons who hold peace officer status in any other area of employment or any other volunteer service.
- Persons licensed as private investigators or who perform the same functions in an unlicensed capacity.
- Persons who are employed as security personnel may be excluded from eligibility for the Auxiliary program or may be excluded from authorized Auxiliary activities that give rise to a real or perceived conflict of interest.
- Persons who have business or social activities that create a real or perceived conflict of interest.

To begin the application process, applicants must complete and return the following:

- Kamloops RCMP Police Information Check/Vulnerable Sector Check along with two pieces of government identification.
- Form 5774e - RCMP Volunteer Application
- A copy of your drivers licence along with a driver abstract which is available from ICBC.

- Copy of a post-secondary degree, diploma or grade 12 "Dogwood Diploma"
- Current resume

Please submit these items in person to the North Shore Community Policing Office located at 915 7th Street. Hours of operation are Monday to Friday 0830 – 1630 hours except for a daily closure between 1200 – 1300 hours.

Next Steps:

- Applicants moving forward in the process will be asked to complete Form 6545e - Auxiliary Certification of Fitness – Medical Examination Any costs associated to testing is to be attached with application for re-imburement.
- Applicants will participate in a structured interview.
- Applicants will participate in the RCMP Departmental Security Review Process. Applicant screening will include background checks to assess integrity and personal suitability, maturity, responsible attitude, and good character

Once Security Clearance is issued, applicants will complete approximately 400 hours of training:

- On-Line training to be completed at the North Shore Community Policing Office.
- Completion of Canadian Firearms Safety Course and the Canadian Restricted Firearms Safety Course
- In-person training in relation to physical control, handcuffing, O/C Spray & baton.

Following completion of training, Auxiliaries will be sworn in as Peace Officers and will be able to complete the following duties:

- Watch Programs, Public Education Initiatives, Non-Enforcement Support to Operations
- Community Fundraising Events, Participation in Parades and Public Ceremonies
- Community Presence via foot and bicycle (exclusive of any enforcement activities)
- Access control and traffic control, Disaster Assistance
- Operational Patrols, attending calls, Check Stops, Scene Security

For further information, please contact the North Shore Community Policing Office at 250-376-5099, or via email at Kamloops_Crime_Prevention@rcmp-grc.gc.ca