

## City of Richmond

## **Report to Council**

To:

Richmond City Council

Date:

April 19, 2006

From:

Councillor Rob Howard

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Chair, Community Safety Committee

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Re:

**RCMP Complement and Civilian Work Force** 

The Community Safety Committee, at its meeting held on Tuesday, April 10<sup>th</sup>, 2006, considered the attached report, and recommends as follows:

### Committee Recommendation (Cllr. Howard opposed)

That the motion (proposed by Cllr. Howard) regarding a possible increase in the RCMP complement and civilian work force, and the funding of these new positions through complement gap funding, be referred to the 2007 budget process.

Councillor Rob Howard, Chair Community Safety Committee

Attach.

#### VARIANCE

Please note that the following was recommended:

That staff come forward to the next Community Safety Committee meeting with a discussion paper and make recommendations on:

- "(1) That the RCMP complement and civilian workforce be increased as follows:
  - (a) Up to a maximum of five additional officers, and
  - (b) An Auxiliary Constable Coordinator, and
- (2) That the funding of these positions be made available through complement gap funding."

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# Motion

Whereas the RCMP has typically run it's operations at less than full approved complement, and this results in tax dollars collected but not necessarily spent on police officers;

Let it be resolved

That staff be directed to come forward to the next Community Safety Committee meeting with a discussion paper and make recommendations on;

The RCMP complement and civilian workforce be increased as follows:

- Up to a maximum of five additional officers, and
- An Auxiliary Constable Coordinator

The funding of these positions be available through complement gap funding

Councillor Rob Howard