
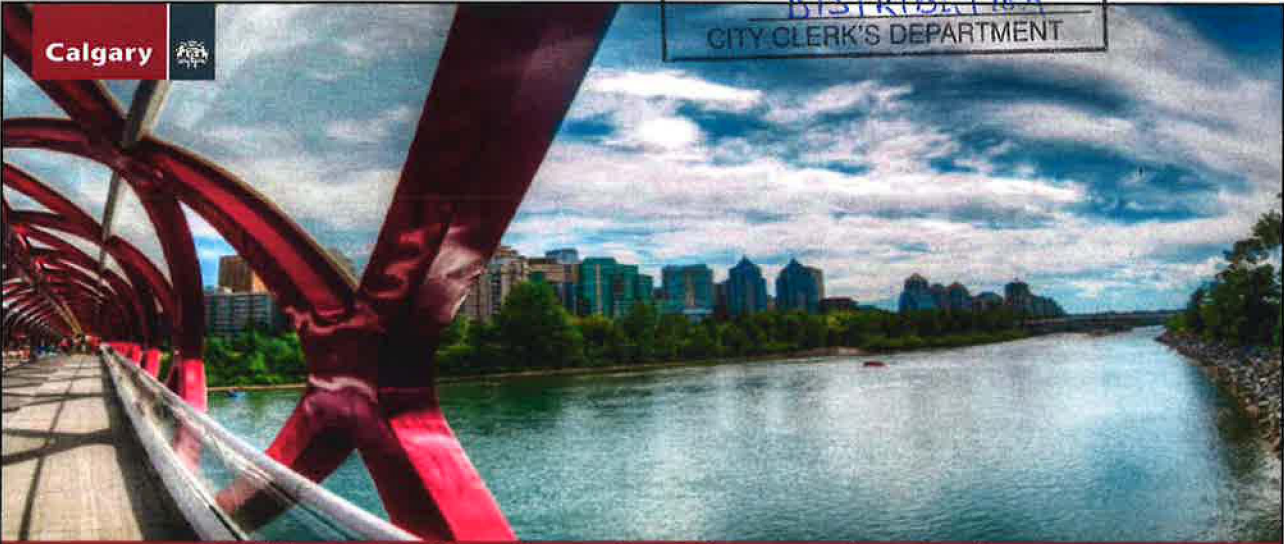


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Introduction of Panel

- Chief Steve Dongworth (Calgary Fire Department)
- David Low (Victoria Park Business Improvement Area)
- Peter Oliver (Beltline Neighbourhood Association)
- A/Deputy Chief Ryan Ayliffe (Calgary Police Service)
- Dr. Nicholas Etches (Alberta Health Services)
- Amy Woroniuk (Alberta Health Services)
- Kathy Christiansen (Calgary Alpha House Society)
- Owen Key (Director, Corporate Security)

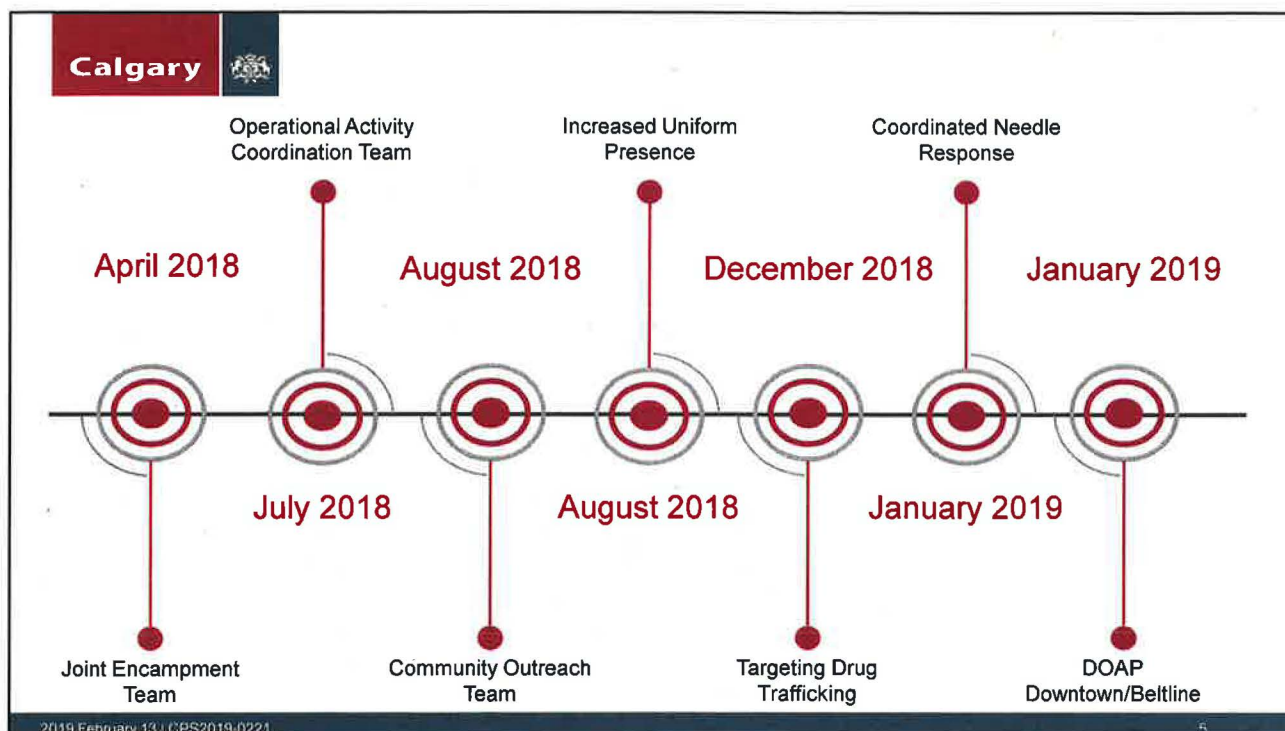
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Current Context	Potential Solutions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Respond to increasing social disorder calls Create Naloxone program Maintain 22 needle boxes Coordinate with Needle Response Team 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Improve partnerships on mental health & addiction responses Support proactive needle response Evaluate and build sustainable needle box model Specialized training investment for staff Will begin tracking methamphetamine incidents

37%
increase in opioid-related calls in 2018

29%
increase in social disorder calls within walking distance of SCS

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Current Context

- Extensive community concerns
- Degradation of public realm
- Negative impact on businesses

Potential Solutions

- Learn and get better
- Problem domain mapping
- Engage community in options
- Implement zero fail planning
- Move up-stream



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Current Context

- Safety concerns identified
- Increased litter and medical debris
- Gaps between orders of government
- Community Liaison Committee
- Limited ability to implement solutions

Potential Solutions

- Explore reopening Centre City Police Station
- Collaboration between orders of government
- Develop strategy to address increased methamphetamine use
- Increase community engagement
- Build capacity for residents



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Current Context

- 2018 crime and disorder report
- Targeted enforcement
- Adapted Beats, Patrol & Bikes deployment



Potential Solutions

- Continue supporting harm reduction
- Focus on community safety
- Work with partners to address issues
- Continue targeted enforcement
- Evaluate current models and adapt



Significant Increase
in violent, property and drug related crime
and disorder in the immediate vicinity



Crystal Methamphetamine
is the most common drug used during
SCS visits

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**Alberta Health
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Current Context

- Mandate is to save lives
- Refer clients to AHS and community-based programs
- Connection to care enhances public safety
- Increased patrols
- Suspension for inappropriate behaviour
- Partnership with Needle Response Team
- Established Community Liaison Committee








Potential Solutions

- Improve community-based programs integration
- Ensure additional access to supports
- Provide Protective Services 24/7
- Train staff to collaborate with CPS
- Educate businesses on non-violent intervention
- Establish relationships to promote safety
- Provide community resource contacts
- Develop solutions using Social Determinants of Health
- Create connections and community for clients



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Current Context	Potential Solutions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide shelter, detox, outreach & housing • Divert unnecessary emergency service response • Connect clients with necessary resources • Community Outreach Team & Needle Response Team • Broaden DOAP Team reach to Beltline & Downtown 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand outreach capacity • Increase proactive needle sweeps • Cross organization partnerships • Long term solutions for vulnerable individuals • Data mapping to inform decisions
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Current Context	Potential Solutions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase security guard mobile patrols • CCTV to monitor illicit behaviour 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Crime Prevention Design: Central Memorial Park • Review current security surveillance • Improve coverage in Central Memorial Park • Increase security guard presence
	

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Recommendations

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION:

That the SPC on Community & Protective Services direct Administration to:

1. Consider the information from the panel presentations and discussion at the 2019 February 13 meeting when developing recommendations in response to Notice of Motion C2019-0123.
2. Report back to Council through the SPC on Community and Protective Services no later than Q2 2019.