

**Subject: FW: BC Federation of Police Officers**

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**To:** <fonvca@fonvca.org>

Dear Sir/Madam;

The message below is passed on to you courtesy Ernie Crist. Also, in the event you are interested, Monday, 23/5 is the final cut-off date for my new mailing list.

Thank you,

Ernie Crist

-----Original Message-----

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The North Vancouver RCMP would like to issue a clarification to North Shore residents as it pertains to a media release by E Division RCMP Headquarters in late April. The release was regarding the BC Federation of Police Officers. Due to the number of public inquiries on the aforementioned association that the North Vancouver RCMP are still receiving, we feel it is necessary to update the earlier release for our residents.

As previously stated by E Division RCMP Headquarters the BC Federation of Police Officers is a registered society which is made up of police officers within our province. It raises funds through a variety of methods including telemarketing. Currently the Federation is conducting telephone solicitations for donations.

The North Vancouver RCMP would like to advise our citizens that the BC Federation of Police Officers is not officially associated to the RCMP, nor is it a sanctioned affiliate to the RCMP. They are NOT collecting funds to be directed to the E Division RCMP Fallen Members Memorial or on behalf of any RCMP community programs. The North Vancouver RCMP are also not receiving any funds or donations from said Federation.

The public should be advised that the RCMP does not engage in any telephone solicitation of any kind to raise funds.

If you should have any questions about the BC Federation of Police Officers you can visit their website at [www.bcfedpolice.com](http://www.bcfedpolice.com). If you have any concerns about a call you may have received from the Federation or their methods of operation, you can direct those concerns to the Federation at their website noted above.

Police advise the public to be vigilant and to question those collecting funds for any cause.

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