

Hi Chad,

By way of introduction, my name is Tom Walker. I am the Officer in Charge of the RCMP's Contract Policing program here in Saskatchewan. The Livestock investigator position falls under my purview.

Insp. Reid brought this to my attention and I asked that she allow me to provide a response.

As related to Resolution #2, I can say that the RCMP Livestock investigator position is currently funded under the Provincial Police Service Agreement (PPSA) and there are no plans to discontinue funding this position, and although I can neither encourage nor discourage any attempts by the SSGA to lobby the provincial and federal governments to expand the program, I can say that the RCMP always is looking for new ways to enhance service delivery to its partners, stakeholders and communities.

I can assure you that I see a great deal of value in this position and I am heartened that its contributions to improving service delivery are being recognized by the SSGA.

Thank you,

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