

TRESPASS PREVENTION PROGRAM

The Trespass Prevention Program gives RCMP and City of Terrace (COT) Officers – most often, Bylaw and Community Safety Officers – prior permission to go on a private property and take immediate action when trespassing incidents occur on private properties.

RCMP and COT officers often witness trespassing incidents on private properties. They are also regularly asked to respond to concerns regarding disruptive activity in front or on private properties. The Trespass Prevention Program allows RCMP and COT Officers to respond to trespassing incidents on a private property without needing to directly involve an owner or property representative.

When property owners have signed up for the program and a 'No trespassing' decal is displayed on their property, RCMP and COT officers have prior permission to go on a private property and take immediate action. Action may include but is not limited to providing education about the Trespass Act, offering outreach, or any required enforcement.

To participate in the program, an owner or property representative of a business or residential building, or property, must provide a signed consent form to the City of Terrace. This allows RCMP and COT officers to act on their behalf when exercising powers under the BC Trespass Act.

The City of Terrace will collect your personal information only for the purpose of the Trespass Prevention Program. Personal information is being collected under section 26(c) of the Freedom of Information and Privacy Act.



How to sign up

1. Download and complete a program consent form.
2. Email the completed consent form to bylaw@terrace.ca Or mail it to, or drop it off at 5003 Graham Avenue, Terrace, V8G 1B3, c/o the Trespass Prevention Program Coordinator.
3. The City's Trespass Prevention Program Coordinator will contact you to confirm your participation and provide decals.
4. Apply the decals to your property in a location visible to the public, such as on front windows and doors.

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