

Know Your Rights

EPS Campaign

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- Launch of campaign: May 10, 2021
- An initiative intended to inform the community and help them understand the role of policing in Edmonton, while also explaining both the rights of individuals, and responsibilities of EPS officers.
- This work, which commenced prior to and is in compliance with the proposed provincial requirements, aims to foster a co-operative relationship between EPS police officers and the members of the community they serve.

Translations

15 LANGUAGES	
AMHARIC	PUNJABI
ARABIC	SOMALI
CHINESE (SIMPLIFIED)	SPANISH
CHINESE (TRADITIONAL)	SWAHILI
FARSIE	TAGALOG
FRENCH	TIGRINYA
KOREAN	VIETNAMESE
POLISH	

Know Your Rights Campaign

- Pocket Brochure + Card
- Advertising Strategy – Bus Shelters, C-Store Posters, Publications, Digital Ads
- Know Your Rights community resources – Posters, Social Media graphics

Know Your Rights – Pocket Brochure

Contacting the Edmonton Police Service

1141 911 for emergencies only.

For non-emergencies dial 780-423-4567

Mobile Access: 8777

Dead or Hard of Hearing: 780-495-1831

For more information, visit: edmontonpolice.ca

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When you are stopped or approached by an EPS officer, you:

- Do not need to answer the questions of a police officer.
- Are required to identify yourself if you are creating a risk – the legal responsibility is on you to prove that you are not a risk to the officer or the public.
- Can generally say "No" when police ask to search your belongings unless you are under arrest or being detained.

Edmonton Police Service provides this information for informational purposes only. It is not a complete description of all of the officers' rights. The information does not replace the advice of a lawyer and you should consult a lawyer for legal advice. This document is not intended to be used as a legal document. It is for informational purposes only.

- Know how and when you can be detained or arrested.
- If you are arrested or detained, you have a right to speak with a lawyer or a consular officer for advice before you give any statement or answer any questions.
- Have a right to know a police officer's name or badge number.
- Are not required to answer questions unless you are under arrest or being detained or have a legal reason to answer your questions.

- Can ask to see a copy of a search warrant that authorizes a search of your home.
- Are required to provide your driver's license, car registration and insurance if you are stopped while driving.
- Do not generally have a right to speak to a lawyer before taking a roadside breath test.
- Can request a police officer to test about 100 or 150 mg of alcohol in your blood.

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EPS Officer Responsibilities and Public Rights

Crime prevention is essential to the maintenance of public safety. The role of the Edmonton Police Service (EPS) is to prevent, detect and prosecute crime in partnership with the community. The EPS is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all citizens. The EPS is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all citizens.

Everyone has the right to life, liberty and security. The foundation of police legitimacy is the public trust in police and, without trust, police are ineffective and cannot do their job. The EPS seeks to build trust through transparency and accountability. The EPS is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all citizens.

When a person is stopped or approached by a police officer, the person has the right to remain silent. When a person is stopped or approached by a police officer, the person has the right to remain silent.

EPS police officers need to engage with members of the public in a way that is respectful and transparent. The EPS is committed to providing a safe and secure environment for all citizens.

For example, a street check can only be conducted if there are reasonable grounds that it may be used to prevent, detect or prosecute crime.

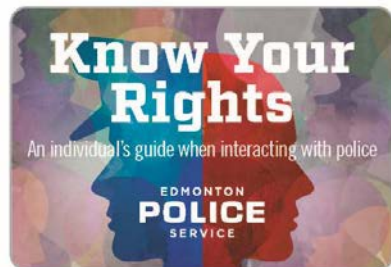
It is important to know what your rights are, as well as what the EPS officer's responsibilities are. When you are stopped or approached by a police officer, you have the right to remain silent.

When an EPS officer stops or approaches to speak with you, they must:

- Tell you their name.
- Tell you why you have been stopped or why they want to talk to you.
- If you are being arrested, tell you what the charges are.

- Advise you that you can talk to a lawyer if you are under arrest and provide you with an opportunity to do so to preserve and safety.
- Tell you, before you say if you are not being arrested or detained.
- Give you a copy of a search warrant if it authorizes them to search your home.

- Not disrespectfully and respectfully during a search.
- Not use excessive force or use any other force or property without reason.
- Return your property to you within 3 months if your property was seized as part of a search and you have not been charged with a crime. If you have been charged with a crime, you may need permission from a Judge to keep your property for longer than 3 months.



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EPS' Street-level posters:

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Publications featuring Know Your Rights Media Release, Print & Online Ads

- Community League News
- 4 publications: Castle News, Community League News South, Northeast Voice, Southeast Voice
- Alberta Native News: Online & Print edition
- Mill Woods Mosaic

Edmonton Police Service launches Know Your Rights campaign



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Copies of the brochure "Know Your Rights" can be requested by email at community@edmontonpolice.ca or by phone at 780-443-1234. An electronic version can be downloaded at www.edmontonpolice.ca

Edmonton Police Service's (EPS) Rights, Justice and Human Rights Branch's "Know Your Rights" campaign is an initiative intended to inform individuals and community organizations of the respective rights and responsibilities of individuals and Edmonton police officers.

"Everyone has the right to feel safe," said Lori Lerner, Acting Executive Director of the EPS Value & Impact Division.

"The foundation of police legitimacy is in the public's trust in police and with that trust, our officers are effective and successful in their jobs. This initiative was created with the intent to educate the community on what their rights are during various types of encounters with Edmonton police officers. As a result, we hope that this will in turn foster a cooperative relationship between EPS members and the community they serve."

This education campaign, which began development prior to and in compliance with the proposed privacy requirements, works to provide clarity concerning an individual's rights while also helping them understand the role of police in Edmonton. The Service has created a *Know Your Rights* pocket brochure with a translation wallet-sized card, that can be carried by an individual and used when they are interacting with an EPS officer. The goal of the brochure is to

McLeod Community Safety Director Message

Dear community members,

I am pleased to see that you have received your copy of the *Know Your Rights* brochure. This is a great first step in ensuring that you are aware of your rights and responsibilities when interacting with police. The brochure is a valuable tool that can help you understand the role of police and the importance of community safety. I encourage you to read the brochure and share it with others in your community. Together, we can create a safer and more secure environment for everyone.

Sincerely,
[Signature]

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FULTON PLACE TURNERS CLUB

Join our club for all members and non-members. It's free to join. The Fulton Place Turners Club is a non-profit organization that provides a variety of services to the community. We offer a range of programs and activities for all ages and abilities. Our members enjoy a variety of benefits, including access to our facilities, discounts on local services, and more. We are always looking for new members to join our team. Contact us today to learn more.

4th ANNUAL FULTON PLACE GARDEN TOUR

Join us for the 4th Annual Fulton Place Garden Tour. This is a great opportunity to see some of the best gardens in the area. The tour will include a variety of gardens, from formal to informal, and will be held on a beautiful day. Tickets are available for purchase and will include a complimentary glass of wine. We look forward to seeing you at the tour.

Fulton Place Walking Club

Join our walking club for all members and non-members. We offer a variety of walks throughout the year, including morning walks, afternoon walks, and evening walks. Our walks are led by experienced walkers and are suitable for all fitness levels. We are always looking for new members to join our team. Contact us today to learn more.

2021 Outdoor Soccer

Join us for the 2021 Outdoor Soccer tournament. This is a great opportunity to compete against other teams in the area. The tournament will be held on a beautiful day and will include a variety of activities for all ages and abilities. Tickets are available for purchase and will include a complimentary glass of wine. We look forward to seeing you at the tournament.

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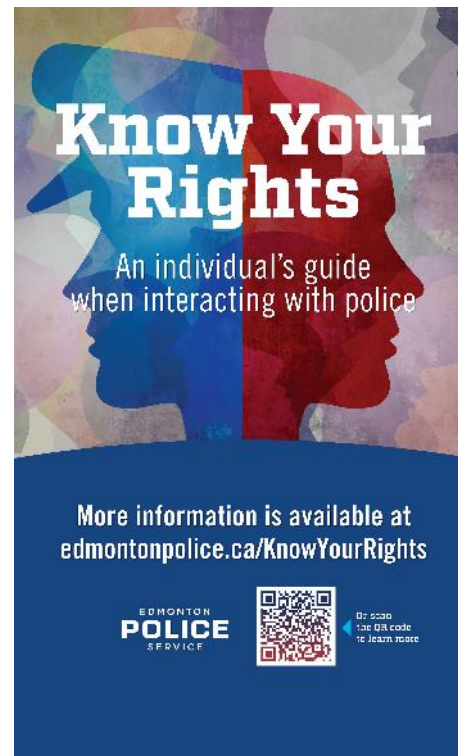
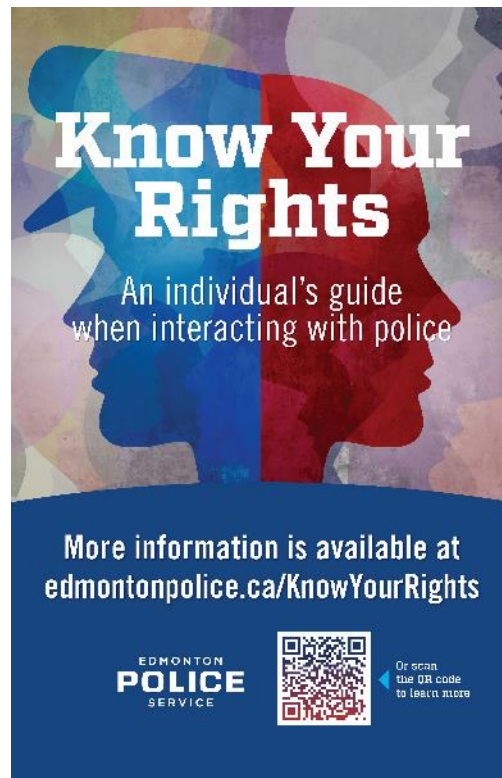
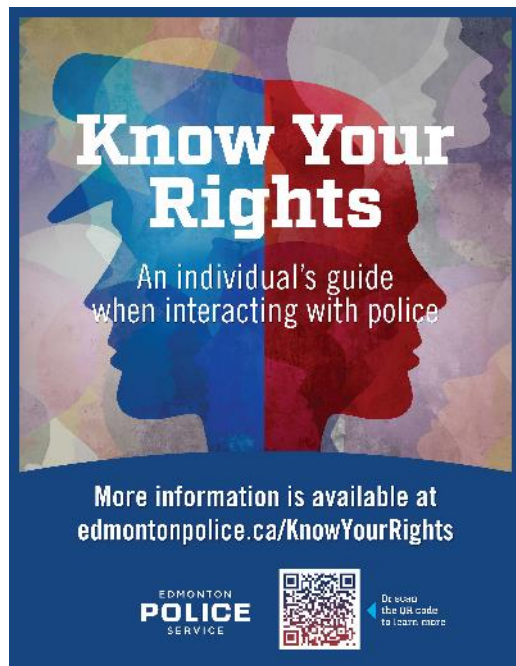
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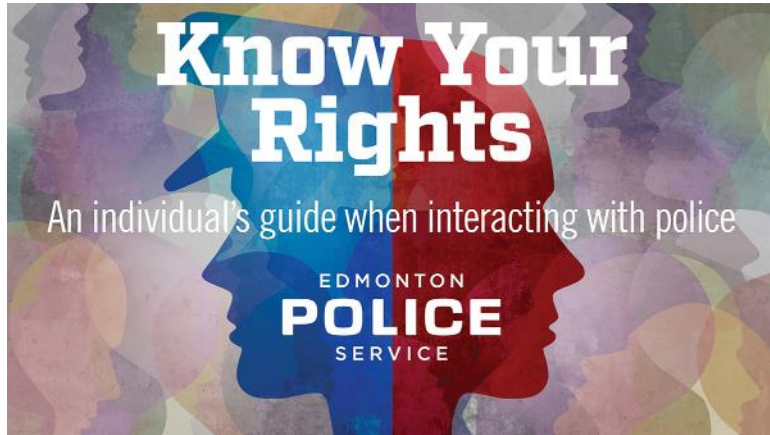
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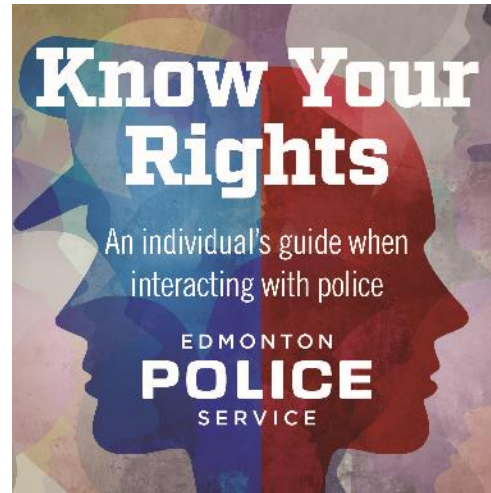
Community Posters



Social Media Graphics

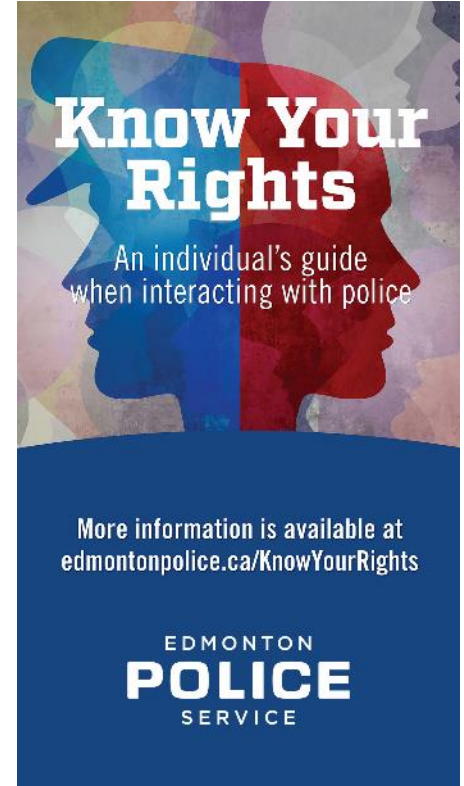


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