

# PROPERTY CRIME WATCH

## January 19 to January 25, 2026

If you see a crime in progress phone 9-1-1. The Oceanside RCMP non-emergency number is 250-248-6111. Oceanside RCMP is located at **421 Pym Street North, Parksville**, with public business hours of 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, Monday to Friday, except holidays.

**During this period the Oceanside RCMP received 213 complaints.**

File 2026-612: A bus shelter was reported vandalized in the 200 block of Village Way, Qualicum Beach, on January 19.

File 2026-634: Commercial elevator chains and wires were reported stolen from a vehicle in the 200 block of Dunbar Way, Parksville, on January 20.

File 2026-648: A daytime male car prowler was reported in the 700 block of Jones Street, Qualicum Beach, on January 20.

File 2026-658: A resident reported defrauded \$8,000 responding to a phone call supposedly from a bank fraud department requesting e-transfers to a third party on January 20.

File 2026-675: A construction site break-and-enter was reported with workplace tools missing in the 400 block of Camasia Close, Qualicum Beach, on January 21.

File 2026-699: A wallet containing credit cards and personal information was reported stolen from a vehicle in the 200 block of Hirst Avenue West, Parksville, on January 22.

File 2026-703: A resident reported defrauded \$1,250 responding a social media platform advertisement to invest in crypto currency on January 22.

File 2026-728: Two males attempted to enter a locked business compound in 600 block of Memorial Avenue, Qualicum Beach, on January 23.

File 2026-736: A resident reported being defrauded of \$900 responding to a phone call supposedly from a bank and disclosing their banking information on January 23.

File 2026-746: A vehicle back window was reported broken with a rock in the 2500 block of Harris Crescent, Qualicum Beach, on January 23.

File 2026-754: A resident reported public planters were being damaged in the 100 block of Craig Street, Parksville, on January 24.

File 2026-771: A Snap-on Scan tool and money was reported stolen from an unlocked vehicle in the 2300 block of Island Highway East, Nanoose Bay, on January 24.

File 2026-780: A storage locker break-and-enter was reported with a laptop and personal papers missing in the 900 block of Shearme Road, Coombs, on January 24.

File 2026-799: Graffiti was reported sprayed on the overpass at Exit 46 on Alberni Highway, Parksville, on January 25.