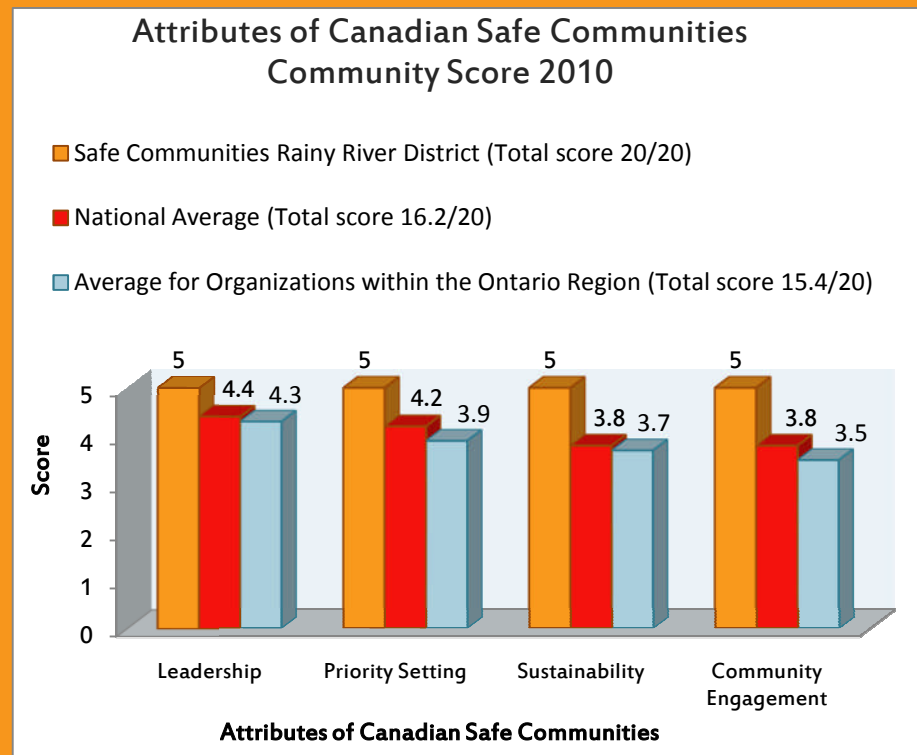


SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*



*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.

SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*

COMMUNITY STRENGTHS

Leadership

Membership at the Leadership Table of *Safe Communities Rainy River District* includes the five partners specified by Safe Communities Canada: Band Council, Municipal, Regional or Provincial Government, Police Department, Fire Department, Local Public Health Units/Authority or Health Care Services, Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and a broad range of community partners.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has helped to ensure its future viability by adopting a Terms of Reference and a Succession Plan.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has completed an evaluation of its effectiveness as an agent of change in its community during the past year.

Over the past year, *Safe Communities Rainy River District* reports that it has undertaken a range of strategic initiatives to demonstrate its leadership in the field of Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion in Rainy River District.

Priority Setting for Programmes

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has conducted a community based priority setting exercise using data from credible sources during the past year.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has used Safe Communities Canada's Community Based Injury Prevention Priority Setting exercise to set its community's Injury Priorities. Doing so has assured the community of Rainy River District that its priorities have been set transparently and that they are both viable and credible.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that a total of 35 Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion programmes ran in its community during the past year. This number represents an increase from the 22 programmes that ran in Rainy River District in 2009.

*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.

SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that the Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion programmes it champions are based in the Injury Prevention priorities it has set in consultation with the community. This demonstrates a strategic use of its resources—especially of volunteer resources.

As a consequence of its reporting that all of the programmes it offers are evaluated, *Safe Communities Rainy River District* can with confidence state that those programmes have measured the following: community awareness, programme impact, change in behaviour, process and delivery, content relevance, and participant satisfaction.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that the feedback it has received from the programme evaluations lead to the following changes: adapted a programme or activity, method of delivery and adjustment of content.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it takes nine of the twelve Social Determinants of Health into account in its priority planning and/or programming decisions.

Sustainability

By securing funding from a variety of sources, *Safe Communities Rainy River District* is both expanding its reach and influence in the community, and protecting itself from the consequences of reductions in single source financial support.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that its administrative requirements are provided directly by paid staff or by staff assigned by a partner agency, (In-kind Support). This assurance of administrative capacity contributes to organizational effectiveness and enhances the opportunity for community impact.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that 200 volunteers contributed 2,500 hours to its activities. Effective use of volunteers to assist with administrative requirements demonstrates a pragmatic approach to addressing organizational and administrative capacity. This number represents an increase from the 100 volunteers reported in 2009.

*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.

SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*

Safe Communities Rainy River District attributes this change to: more accurate reporting systems, increased frequency of programme offerings, and increased number of new programmes offered.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it offers the following support services for its volunteers: orientation, training, and recognition programmes. Services like these help to ensure that at all times every volunteer who commits time and energy to the cause of Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion in the community is valued and respected.

Community Engagement

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has undertaken a wide range of activities to engage its community in its safety priorities during the past year.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that 250 citizens in its community participated in Injury Prevention and Safety Promotion programmes it has developed or championed last year.

Based on the population estimate you provided in this year's survey, you engaged less than 5% of the total population in the community.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that its profile as a leader in the community has been enhanced by the following items: articles on the programme have been published in local media, programme champions of the cause have been featured in local media, programme delivery leaders have been featured in local media, and programme champions and/or programme delivery leaders have been consulted on community safety issues.

Safe Communities Rainy River District reports that it has used various media sources, both purchased and donated, to publicize the Injury Prevention or the Safety awareness initiative it is promoting. *Safe Communities Rainy River District* also reports that the total reach of this entire media over the past year is 22,000. The total reach of this year's media represents 100% of the population in Rainy River District.

*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.

SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*

GENERAL COMMENTS

This year marks the start of a new three year cycle for the National Report Card .We have refined the set of benchmark questions and adjusted the scoring system. So this year's Community Score Card establishes, as well as a new national performance benchmark for the movement, a new scoring benchmark for your community. Over the next two years, you will be able track your progress against this benchmark, and use this information as one gauge of your effectiveness as an agent of change in your community.

Safe Communities Canada provides its network of designated members across the country with a range of support and networking opportunities. Both *Safe Communities Rainy River District* and other members of the network will benefit from its commitment to take advantage of the opportunities presented.

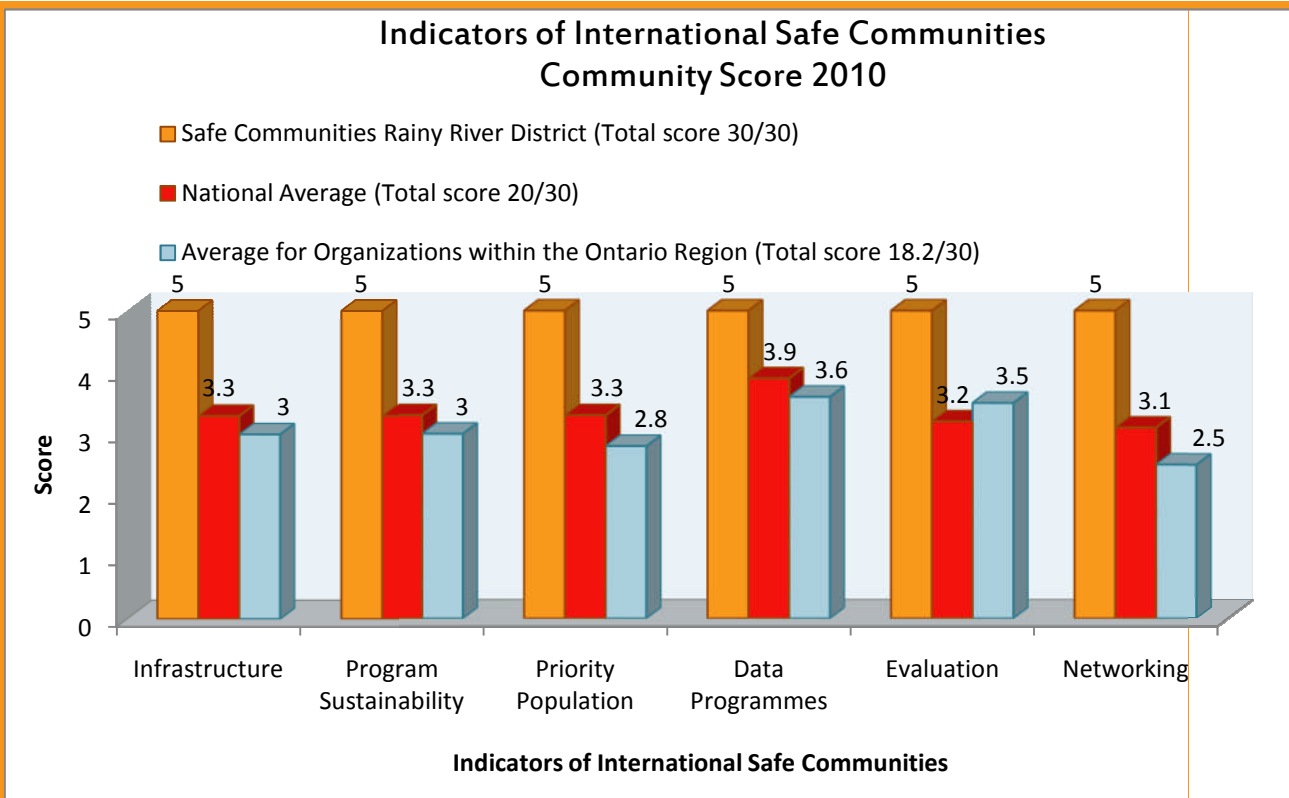
Safe Communities Rainy River District is one of the **thirteen** Canadian Safe Communities to report a perfect 20/20 Attribute Score.

At the request of *Safe Communities Rainy River District*, we are also providing you with the Indicators for International Safe Communities score.

Safe Communities Canada recommends that any community interested in pursuing a second designation as an International Safe Community demonstrate a minimum Attribute Score of 16/20 and a minimum combined score (Attribute + Indicator) of 35/50. Your combined score is 50/50.

*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.

SAFE COMMUNITIES RAINY RIVER DISTRICT COMMUNITY SCORECARD SEPTEMBER 2010*



ATTRIBUTES SCORE 20/20 - INDICATORS SCORE 30/30 - COMBINED SCORE 50/50

*For a detailed explanation of the scoring methodology, please refer to *The National Scoring System 2010*, a separate document which accompanies this report.