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Undertaking #20

MPI to provide a comparison of the amount of money that MPI is spending on wildlife collision initiatives compared to distracted driving initiatives and efforts.

RESPONSE:

The Corporation plans to spend \$143,388 (Corporate) on wildlife collision initiatives and \$814,981 (Corporate) on distracted driving initiatives during fiscal year 2017/18.

As speed is a major contributing factor in wildlife collisions, initiatives intended to encourage safe speeds appropriate to road, weather and other environmental conditions also supplement initiatives specific to wildlife collision initiatives and should therefore, be taken into consideration for comparative purposes. The Corporation has budgeted to spend \$379,332 (Corporate) on speed-related initiatives in the current fiscal year.