

ORDER OF SERVICE

**Sunday, September 25, 2011
Alberta Legislature (South Grounds)
Ceremony starts at 1 p.m.**

KEY TIMES PRIOR TO CEREMONY

12:30 p.m.

The roadway at 107th Street and 99th Avenue will be closed to traffic, so arrival at the legislature grounds prior to this time is recommended.

The ceremony starts at 1 p.m. We ask that participants be at their assigned spot at 12:45 p.m. at the latest. Reserved seating for all dignitaries, MLAs and their spouses is available in the first rows of general seating, marked "reserved".

CEREMONY

12:45 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies (Dr. Curtis Clarke) takes his place on stage; asks the public to be seated for the singing of the opening songs.

12:48 p.m.

Chorus takes their place in band shell and sings opening songs.

12:53 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies announces formation of Sentry Guard.

12:58 p.m.

Sentry Guard Commander takes Monument Sentries into place.

1:00 p.m.

Guard of Honour escorts official party to their seats.

1:02 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies asks all to rise for the arrival of His Honour, Col. (Ret'd) the Honourable Donald S. Ethell, OC, OMM, AOE, MSC, CD, LLD, Lieutenant Governor and Her Honour, Mrs. Linda Ethell.

(All uniformed members in official party salute for the duration of the *Vice Regal Salute*)

Lieutenant Governor arrives.

Piper to play a *Vice Regal Salute* once the Lieutenant Governor arrives at his seat.

Master of Ceremonies invites all to sit while awaiting the parade.

1:05 p.m.

Parade march commences with Massed Pipes and Drums of Alberta Police/Peace Officer Services. Troops form up as per the Parade Sergeant Major.

When the parade comes into view, the Master of Ceremonies asks all to stand.

1:10 p.m.

Parade Sergeant Major passes the command to the Parade Commander.

The police chorus sings *O Canada*.

(All uniformed members in the official party and Parade Sergeant Major salute for duration of the national anthem.)

Master of Ceremonies invites everyone to be seated.

Master of Ceremonies introduces RCMP Chaplain **Bob Harper** for opening prayer.

1:15 p.m.

The Master of Ceremonies commences the formal program, and introduces members of the official party prior to each address.

Remarks by members of the official party:

- Detective Bob Walsh, for Alberta Federation of Police Associations;
- Chief Rick Hanson, for Alberta Association of Chiefs of Police;
- Deputy Commissioner Dale McGowan Commanding Officer RCMP "K" Division;
- The Honourable Frank Oberle, Solicitor General and Minister of Public Security;
- Speaker of the Legislative Assembly, Honourable Ken Kowalski
- The Honourable Ed Stelmach, Premier of Alberta; and
- His Honour, Colonel (Retired) the Honourable Donald S. Ethell, OC, OMM, AOE, MSC, CD, LLD, Lieutenant Governor of Alberta.

1:30 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies cues the CD for reading of the names of the fallen and asks all to stand. (Stand-by readers available should sound not work.)

Names of fallen officers are read (name and enforcement agency).

1:40 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies requests all to remain standing for a moment of silence.

Bugler plays *Last Post*

3 drum beats

Moment of silence is observed.

Piper to play solo *Lament*

3 drum beats

Bugler plays *Reveille*

Master of Ceremonies asks all to take their seats; announces fly past and significance of "Missing Man Formation".

1:42 p.m.

Helicopter fly past – Air 1, Hawk 1, RCMP – in "Missing Man Formation"

1:43 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies introduces participants to lay wreaths by groups noted below. Duffy family lays first wreath followed by groups.

Master of Ceremonies to introduce first wreath layer

Group one:FAMILY (Doreen Duffy)

Group two: RCMP "K" Division (Deputy Commissioner Dale McGowan)
..... ALBERTA ASSN. OF CHIEFS OF POLICE (Chief Rick Hanson)
..... ALBERTA FIRST NATIONS CHIEFS OF POLICE ASSN. (Chief Stan Grier)

Group three: ALBERTA FEDERATION OF POLICE ASSNS (Detective Bob Walsh)
..... MILITARY POLICE (Don McLeod)
..... GOVERNMENT OF CANADA Correctional Services Canada (Andrea Markowski)

Group four: GOVERNMENT OF ALBERTA (The Honourable Ed Stelmach, Premier of Alberta)
..... PEACE OFFICER (Mr. Cedeno Sieuraj, Alberta Transportation)
..... RCMP Member (Chief Superintendent Rick Taylor)

Group five: ALBERTA ASSOCIATION OF COMMUNITY PEACE OFFICERS
..... (Mr. George Woof)
..... EDMONTON POLICE SERVICE VETERANS ASSOCIATION
..... (Mr. Barney Stevens, Retired Members Guild)
..... RCMP VETERANS ASSOCIATION (Mr. Ros Hogg, RCMP Retired Members)

Group six: LEADER OF THE OFFICIAL OPPOSITION PARTY (Dr. Raj Sherman or rep)

Master of Ceremonies invites any others who have brought wreaths to come forward to lay their wreath.

Group seven: MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC

Pipes to play *Amazing Grace*

1:47 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies invites Chaplain Harper to say the closing prayer and asks all to stand.

1:50 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies asks all to sit and introduces songs chosen by the chorus.

Chorus sings

1:54 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies asks all to stand and join in singing of *God Save the Queen*.

Chorus leads *God Save the Queen*

(Parade Commander and all uniformed members in the official party salute for duration of *God Save the Queen*.)

1:56 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies announces the 'march off' and 'march past' of the troops and asks all to remain standing during the march off.

Police and peace officers march off and then march past. Parade will march past in review order from the right in troop column.

2:00 p.m.

Master of Ceremonies asks all to remain standing.

Lieutenant Governor departs.

Official party departs.

Program concludes and Master of Ceremonies invites all to the refreshment tent.

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