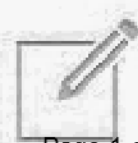


Jan 15th gathering: Youth and cultural connections workshop/

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Success of Moosehide - We're
 going to have to ask the Premier
 to build more steps for us. You
 have a year to plan!



May 22, 2019 at 7:55 AM

Follow up - Okanagan First Nation - want kids in foster care in Vernon to be able to come out to FN for K-1,

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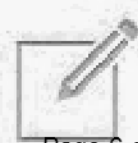
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Cc request from MKC - # of centres we gave Maintenance Funding too, spaces we saved



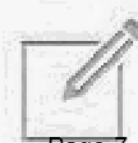
Ted Hughes/ the most meaningful assignments he's had

1. 2003-2008 survivors of Indian Res schools and government asked him to lead Indian Residential School settlement program - set up office in Regina, worked with Eileen Fraser whose father had been a survivor, senior adjudicator Ken Halderson here today, write textbook for lawyers; paid out to children who'd suffered abuse, he was Chief Adjudicator;





2. Fall of 2005 and Hon Stan Hagen called and convinced him to spend weekends in Victoria working on report on children and youth, met at Doghouse restaurant in Duncan; TofR independent review, make Recommendations to improve services to children and youth; asked Maureen Nichols to run day to day, ED that held it all together and by April 2006 report was ready; Gov't knew they had problems and hadn't been putting enough \$ into



was ready; Gov't knew they had problems and hadn't been putting enough \$ into cy: 62 recommendations and #1 was RCY; office has been most successful as advocate for cy and on systemic issues; 3rd rec was that RCY assist families youth that need help with system and advocate for changes to the system; Jennifer doing excellent work, 2 predecessors did too; over representation of ICY, some positive work done but still outrageously



too; over representation of ICY, some positive work done but still outrageously high #, Note the improvements but still not enough

Helen Hughes- reminds us that it takes a village to raise a child, as Councillor her neighbourhood was the downtown and its amazing how much you learn from the downtown youth; created programs for downtown youth in summer, did Souper Bowls of Hope to fundraise