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From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Tuesday, April 9, 2019 9:18 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: Fwd: You're invited: 2019 Technology Impact Awards Finalist Announcement

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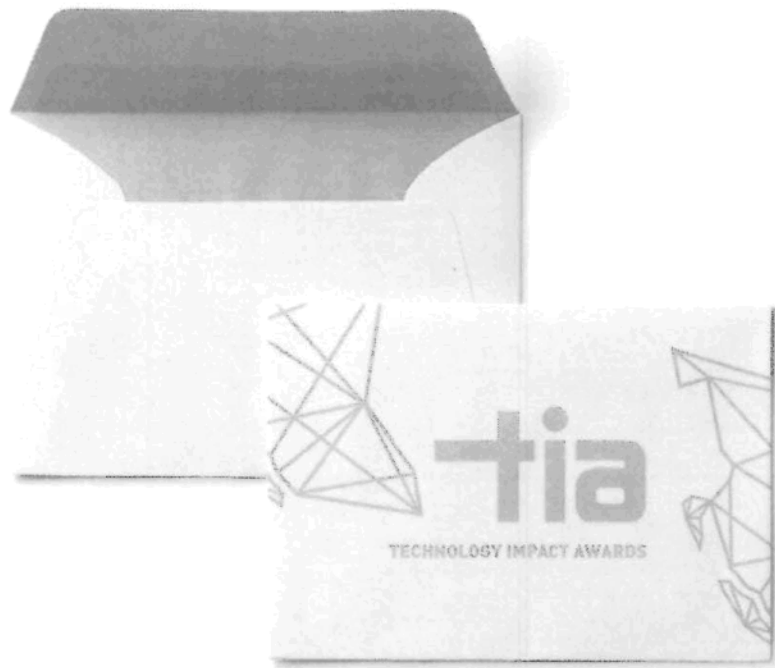
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From: Jill Tipping <erosario@wearebctech.com>
Date: April 8, 2019 at 4:47:20 PM PDT
To: s.17
Subject: You're invited: 2019 Technology Impact Awards Finalist Announcement
Reply-To: Jill Tipping <erosario@wearebctech.com>

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On behalf of the BC Tech Association,
I would like to formally invite you to be our guest for
the TIAs Finalist Announcement on April 25th.



April 25th 2019 | BC Tech Hub
5pm – 7pm

Hello Jinny,

Join us as we announce and celebrate the finalists for this year's TIAs at the BC Tech Hub at 887 Great Northern Way in Vancouver.

Together, we will recognize the very best of BC—the change makers, the up-

and-comers, the innovators, and the bold—those who are transforming our industry and building the fabric of BC's vibrant tech ecosystem. We're passionate supporters of the companies, entrepreneurs, and people who make up our community, and we believe that their contributions should be recognized.

Please confirm your attendance by emailing Elaine Rosario – erosario@wearebctech.com by Friday, April 19th.

We look forward to having you join us and if you haven't already, tickets for the TIAs gala on June 27th are available for purchase [here](#).

Sincerely,

Jill Tipping
President & CEO
BC Tech Association



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From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Monday, April 15, 2019 8:47 AM
To: Parmar, Ravi CITZ:EX
Subject: Re: Need approval

Awesome. Just add 'all who live and vacation 'to the list in last quote. Great job.

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> On Apr 15, 2019, at 8:42 AM, Parmar, Ravi CITZ:EX <Ravi.Parmar@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> "Bowen Island is a thriving cultural hub with incredible tourism and arts sectors. New high-speed internet services will give people greater opportunities to participate in the digital economy," said Minister of Citizens' Services Jinny Sims.

> "No matter where you live in B.C., our government wants to increase high speed internet access, so local economies can thrive, which is why we have made connectivity a priority. Shaw's investments in their Bowen Island network will greatly benefit a community that is home to many professionals, artists and business owners."

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From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Monday, April 15, 2019 8:52 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: Minister Input - Shannon Russell- FOR MJS Review.docx
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Thank you. Agreed

Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX

From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Wednesday, April 17, 2019 5:01 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: Re: For your Approval

Good

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On Apr 17, 2019, at 2:30 PM, Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX <Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Minister, the attached email went out under your signature on Friday. Unfortunately the email address ^{s.22} was incorrect. Therefore, I'm seeking approval to use your e-signature to sign on the corrected version so we can send it out to the writer ASAP.

Thanks,
Shannon

Shannon Russell
Senior Ministerial Assistant to Jinny Sims
Minister of Citizens' Services
Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca / 250-387-9699

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From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Wednesday, April 17, 2019 5:02 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: sn - MJS Sullivan Groundbreaking.docx
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Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX

From: Sims, Jinny CITZ:EX
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 11:14 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: Re: Resending For MO review revised MAH release and draft MJS quote

Good

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On Apr 24, 2019, at 11:11 AM, Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX <Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Minister,

Attached is a joint news release with MAH to announce the changes to Bill 3 which has enabled regional districts to provide financing for capital costs to internet service providers. Please review the NR so we can get it out ASAP. We will work with MAH to do a joint event once the first community takes advantage of this new change.

Thanks,
Shannon

From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2019 10:50 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX <Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Resending For MO review revised MAH release and draft MJS quote

Hi Shannon ... as requested, have updated this to make it clear it is joint, and modified the quick facts to make it clear which initiatives are CITZ led.

MAH had a few revisions on their end as well so have updated to reflect the most current version.

Best, Jo

From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Sent: April 23, 2019 2:37 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX <Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca>; Parmar, Ravi CITZ:EX <Ravi.Parmar@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Ingram, Ben GCPE:EX <Ben.Ingram@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Resending For MO review revised MAH release and draft MJS quote

Hi Shannon – doubling back on the MAH release with a revised MJS quote.. Please let me know if this is stronger and works for MO? Thx - Jo

“High-speed internet is not a luxury – it’s an absolute necessity in today’s digital world. This legislative change will empower regional districts to help bring this vital service to residents in a way that meets the specific needs of their communities,” said Jinny Sims, Minister of Citizens’ Services. “The greatest

successes in expanding broadband in rural areas have come when all levels of government, the private sector and community groups work together to make the most of this essential infrastructure for local businesses and people.” [QUOTE NOT APPROVED]

From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX

Sent: April 18, 2019 3:37 PM

To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX <Shannon.Russell@gov.bc.ca>; Parmar, Ravi CITZ:EX <Ravi.Parmar@gov.bc.ca>

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Subject: For MO review revised MAH release and draft MJS quote

Hi there ... attached is the draft MAH release that we mentioned on the call this a.m. regarding changes to the Local Government Act to allow regional districts to contribute to projects that expand connectivity. The first document (DRAFT3 BI) reflects our suggested edits to their original, which is also attached for reference. We have also drafted a quote for MJS for consideration.

MAH is aiming to get this out on Thursday, April 25 and are hoping to hear back from us asap. Plz let me know if this is ok with MO?

<NR - high-speed internet - DRAFT3 BI.docx>