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**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 11:00 AM  
**Subject:** @Work Newsletter | October 4, 2017

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## Hello Fellows

On September 7, the BC Public Service welcomed its first ever cohort of Canadian Science Policy Fellows.

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Announcing our 2018 Pacific Leaders Scholarships for Children of Public Servants recipients...

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## Take Note

- PeopleSoft will be unavailable from October 5 at 6 p.m. until October 10 at 6 a.m. to prepare for [the upgrade](#).
- On October 19 at 10:19 a.m., remember to drop, cover and hold on for the [Great British Columbia ShakeOut](#) drill.
- [Flu shot clinics](#) will start at the end of October. In the meantime, [wash your hands](#)!

## Did You Know?

All B.C. citizens will be expected to show a valid BC Services Card when accessing healthcare services after February 2018. The BC Services Card has replaced the former CareCard, and is secure and easy to use. Your BC Services Card is a valid government ID that can be conveniently combined with your driver's licence, has security features which better protect your personal information, and you'll be able to use it to access more government services in the future. [Learn more](#) about the BC Services Card and how to get yours.

## Because We Can

"My wife, Heather and I want our kids to know and experience the awesomeness of charitable giving and volunteering."

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"We are focusing on better snacking to help with those moments where we are tempted to reach for something sugary."

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Posted by: [Canitz, Shelley L PREM:EX](#)

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**From:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 9:08 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** 2017.10.04 - QP - LABOUR - WorkSafeBC and Health Care  
**Attachments:** 2017.10.04 - QP - LABOUR - WorkSafeBC and Health Care.docx

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**From:** s.22  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:49 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf  
**Attachments:** 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf; ATT00001.txt

That's it Alex

Thanks very much for your help, look forward to meeting you in Victoria soon.  
s.22



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**From:** s.22  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:37 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** 20171005\_Letter to Premier John Horgan.pdf  
**Attachments:** 20171005\_Letter to Premier John Horgan.pdf; ATT00001.txt

Hi Alex

Little slow in getting this to you, my apologies. Letter to Minister Fraser will follow.

Thanks

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 1, 2017 9:03 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - A visit will get you thinking: October is Library Month



### A visit will get you thinking: October is Library Month

The Province has declared October as Library Month ? a chance to recognize and celebrate the value libraries deliver to communities throughout B.C.

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 1, 2017 9:32 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - More than 22,000 people with disabilities in B.C. already taking advantage of RDSPs



### More than 22,000 people with disabilities in B.C. already taking advantage of RDSPs

While more than 22,000 British Columbians with disabilities are accessing the benefits of having a federal Registered Disability Saving Plan (RDSP), there are still almost 45,000 people with disabilities who may be eligible for the federal grants and bonds available to them through an RDSP, but are not signed up.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Province applauds Seaspán as B.C. shipbuilder unveils new coast guard vessel



### Province applauds Seaspán as B.C. shipbuilder unveils new coast guard vessel

Minister of Jobs, Trade and Technology Bruce Ralston joined about 3,000 people today, as Seaspán Shipyards opened its North Vancouver facility to the public for the first time, for a glimpse of the first large Canadian Coast Guard ship built in Canada since the early 1980s.

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 1, 2017 12:58 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Statement from Premier John Horgan on violent attacks in Edmonton



### Statement from Premier John Horgan on violent attacks in Edmonton

Premier John Horgan has issued the following statement in response to the violent attacks in Edmonton, Alta., which injured at least five people, including an Edmonton Police Service Officer:

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**From:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 1, 2017 2:02 PM  
**To:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** KM and Squamish

Hey folks,

Do we have the KMs on the Kinder Morgan and Squamish court actions. If so , can you send along tonight?

I'd like to focus on that in addition to fish farms at the QP prep tomorrow ...

Cheers,

Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

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**From:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Sunday, October 1, 2017 2:30 PM  
**To:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** Re: KM and Squamish

I'll ask the other shops for their issues notes but Alex likely has access to the House notes.

Sent from my iPhone. iApologize for any iTypos.

> On Oct 1, 2017, at 2:02 PM, Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX <[Jonathan.Sas@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jonathan.Sas@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

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**From:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 7:01 AM  
**To:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Key Messages  
**Attachments:** s.13,s.14

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**Date:** October 1, 2017 at 9:58:01 PM PDT  
**To:** "Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX" <[Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca)>, "Harris, Megan A GCPE:EX" <[Megan.Harris@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Megan.Harris@gov.bc.ca)>, "Haslam, David GCPE:EX" <[David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca](mailto:David.Haslam@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX" <[Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Key Messages

Here you go. ENV is lead.

Dave Crebo  
Communications Director  
Ministry of Environment and Climate Change Strategy.  
(250) 812-5747 (cell)

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**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Key Messages

Thanks !

Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

On Oct 2, 2017, at 7:00 AM, Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <[Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

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**Cc:** "Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX" <[Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca)>  
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**From:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 7:44 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** The Daily Health - Oct 02\_0800  
**Attachments:** The Daily - Oct 02\_0800.docx

Here are today's top issues from Health.

Stephen May  
GCPE – Health  
Phone: 250 952 3401  
Cell: 250 888 9879

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**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 11:17 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Annual bus pass available through new disability-assistance supplement



### Annual bus pass available through new disability-assistance supplement

Beginning Jan. 1, 2018, annual bus passes will be available to people on disability assistance through a new transportation supplement.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Slash pile burning scheduled in Lardeau Valley



### Slash pile burning scheduled in Lardeau Valley

The BC Wildfire Service is planning to burn slash piles in the Lardeau Valley, about 50 kilometres northwest of Kaslo, on Monday, Oct. 2, 2017. The goal is to reduce the amount of flammable material and reduce the risk of aggressive wildfires in this area in the future.

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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 11:45 AM  
**To:** Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Estimates process  
**Attachments:** Estimates - time spent 2016.docx

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**From:** Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 11:44 AM  
**To:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Estimates process

Fyi, should have included you

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**From:** Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, September 28, 2017 1:42 PM  
**To:** LP Ministerial Assistants; LP Administrative Coordinators  
**Subject:** Estimates process

Hi all,

With estimates slated to begin next week I wanted to give a brief run through of how it works and what we have scheduled.

### How it works:

For those that are unfamiliar with it, estimates is the main way in which opposition gets to question the government on its finances. Estimates happens in two venues here, in "Committee B" (also called the big house) which takes place in the main chamber, or in "Committee A" (also called the little house) which takes place in the Douglas Fir Room. The opposition gets to nominate three ministry estimates to take place in the big house and all others occur in the little house. During your Ministers estimates they will answer questions from the opposition on almost anything that refers to their Ministry's.

Your Minister must be present for the duration of their estimates and you should coordinate with your DM's office to ensure your Minister is appropriately briefed ahead of time and that the required ministry staff are present with your minister during their estimates. On that note, if you have specific concerns about the order/timing of individual topics, crown corporations, etc, please reach out to your opposition critic to coordinate.

### The schedule:

The little house will begin estimates this Monday and continue until all estimates are complete. Meanwhile, the big house will continue to debate legislation, then do estimates for the three ministries that were chosen (starting around Oct 16<sup>th</sup>), then go back to debating legislation. Below is the order in which ministries will do estimates, the approximate time the opposition thinks they will take, and a tentative schedule for next week. Also attached is a reference note on how long each Ministry took last year for you to have a rough idea of how long to expect.

If you or anyone else have any questions feel free to email, call, or stop by our office in room 128,

Liam

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| <b>Little House/Committee A (Douglas Fir Room) Order</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Public Safety &amp; Solicitor General (approx. 5 hrs)</li> <li>2. Agriculture (approx. 4 hrs)</li> <li>3. Labour (approx. 5 hrs)</li> <li>4. Finance (approx. 6 hrs)</li> <li>5. Jobs, Trade &amp; Technology</li> <li>6. Indigenous Relations &amp; Reconciliation</li> <li>7. Children &amp; Family Development</li> </ol>  | <b>Big House/Committee B (Main Chamber) Order</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations &amp; Rural Development (Starting the week of Oct 16)</li> <li>2. Transportation &amp; Infrastructure</li> <li>3. Energy, Mines &amp; Petroleum Resources</li> </ol> |
| <b>Ministries yet to be scheduled in little house</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Advanced Education, Skills &amp; Training</li> <li>• Attorney General</li> <li>• Citizens' Services</li> <li>• Education</li> <li>• Environment &amp; Climate Change Strategy</li> <li>• Health</li> <li>• Mental Health &amp; Addictions</li> <li>• Municipal Affairs &amp; Housing</li> <li>• Social Development &amp; Poverty Reduction</li> <li>• Tourism, Arts &amp; Culture</li> <li>• Executive Council</li> </ul> |  |

**Fall 2017 Main Estimates Schedule for the  
Little House/Committee A in the Douglas Fir Room**

**October**

| Monday   | Tuesday   | Wednesday                                     | Thursday   |
|--|---|---|--|
| <b>2</b><br><b>2:30pm to 6:30pm</b><br>Public Safety & Solicitor General | <b>3</b><br><b>11:00am to Noon</b><br>Public Safety & Solicitor General<br><br><b>1:30pm to 6:30pm</b><br>Public Safety & Solicitor General (<30min)<br>Agriculture | <b>4</b><br><b>2:30pm to 7:00pm</b><br>Labour | <b>5</b><br><b>11:00am to Noon</b><br>Labour (<30min)<br>Finance<br><br><b>1:30pm to 6:00pm</b><br>Finance |
| 9 – Constituency Week  | 10 – Constituency Week  | 11 – Constituency Week                        | 12 – Constituency Week   |

\*Times are approximate



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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 8:02 AM  
**To:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Top Issues

Happy Monday everyone.

- Budget Update - Main Message
- Main Message – Jobs
- Main Message – Affordability
- Main Message – Services
- Party Allowance
- Office Budgets/Staff Hiring
- Government Advertising
- Wildfire Recovery
- Carbon Tax
- Minimum Wage
- Cannabis
- Comprehensive Housing Strategy
- Site C
- International Business Activity Program
- Massey Replacement
- Litigation
- Greyhound Service
- CASA Secretariat
- Child Care
- Aurora LNG

Matt Hannah  
Director of Issues Management  
778.584.1249



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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 11:49 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Statement from Premier John Horgan on violence in Las Vegas



### Statement from Premier John Horgan on violence in Las Vegas

Premier John Horgan has issued the following statement about a violent attack in Las Vegas, Nev., where more than 50 people were killed and hundreds more were injured:

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**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 12:02 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Statement on new chair of the Passenger Transportation Board



### Statement on new chair of the Passenger Transportation Board

Transportation and Infrastructure Minister Claire Trevena has issued the following statement on the appointment of Catharine Read, as the new chair of the Passenger Transportation Board, effective Oct. 1, 2017:

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 12:43 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Embargoed Copy / RCY Report  
**Attachments:** image001.gif; ATT00001.htm; image002.jpg; ATT00002.htm; image003.png; ATT00003.htm; image004.png; ATT00004.htm; image005.jpg; ATT00005.htm; image006.jpg; ATT00006.htm; RCY-Joshua-Report-Oct2017-v2.pdf; ATT00007.htm

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Wade, Debbie HLTH:EX" <[Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** September 29, 2017 at 3:16:13 PM PDT  
**To:** "Hughes, Doug J HLTH:EX" <[Doug.Hughes@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Doug.Hughes@gov.bc.ca)>, "Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX" <[Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca)>, "Stewart, Melanie MCF:EX" <[Melanie.J.Stewart@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Melanie.J.Stewart@gov.bc.ca)>, "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX" <[Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** FW: Embargoed Copy / RCY Report

Please see attached Embargoed report, for the Minister's meeting with Richard Bernard on Monday October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2017.

Please also note the attached email from Carissa Matheson regarding this Embargoed copy of RCY Report. This cannot be shared publicly until after it is released on the afternoon of Oct. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2017.

Thank you.

Debbie Wade

Administrative Co-ordinator to the  
Honourable Judy Darcy  
Minister of Mental Health and Addictions  
Room 346 Parliament Buildings  
Ph# 387-9846

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**From:** Matheson, Carissa RCY:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, September 29, 2017 1:59 PM  
**To:** Wade, Debbie HLTH:EX; Giuliano, Angela HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Embargoed Copy / RCY Report  
**Importance:** High

Good Afternoon Debbie/Angela,

Please find attached an **embargoed** copy of our upcoming report release in advance of the pre-briefing scheduled for Monday, Oct. 2 at 4:00pm. We have not yet landed on an official title for this report. Although we recognize you will need to share this report with your Deputy Minister's offices, please note this cannot be shared publicly before it is officially released/tabled in the Legislature on the afternoon of Wednesday, October 4<sup>th</sup>.

Please let me know if you have any questions/concerns.

Kind Regards,

**Carissa Matheson** | Manager, Executive Operations  
Office: 250-356-2300 | Cell: 250-415-2367

**From:** Executive Update PSA:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 1:00 PM  
**Subject:** Executive Message from Rebecca Denlinger: The Great B.C. ShakeOut

BC Public Service Executive Message | October 2, 2017



## The Great B.C. ShakeOut

A damaging earthquake is a certainty for coastal British Columbia – one we need to be prepared for both as citizens and public service employees.

On **October 19**, we all have an opportunity to practice earthquake response and consider our overall personal preparedness during the [Great British Columbia ShakeOut](#). Last year, more than 800,000 British Columbians took part, including many BC Public Service employees.

This year, my challenge to you is to reach 100 per cent BC Public Service participation, and take at least one new step to improve your readiness.

### How do you participate?

Take part in the “Drop, Cover, Hold” event! Registration can be completed at the ministry or branch level by visiting the [ShakeOutBC website](#). Ministries registering their entire organization should communicate this to all employees.

In the event of an earthquake, you must:

- **Drop:** Drop to the ground before the shaking drops you.
- **Cover:** Take shelter under a desk or table. If you’re not near a heavy piece of furniture, protect your head and neck with your arms, and crawl to an interior wall if possible.
- **Hold On:** If you are under cover, hang on to it with one hand as it could bounce away, and protect your head and neck with the other hand. Be prepared for up to two minutes of shaking. When the shaking stops, count to 60. The simple act of counting can help you stay calm and regain the ability to think clearly. It also provides time for unstable objects to settle

before you get up.



### Are you ready?

At home, I encourage you to ask the following questions:

- Do I have an emergency kit or enough emergency supplies to sustain my household for a week?
- Do I have an emergency plan that outlines how family members will respond to an earthquake, how we'll communicate afterwards and how we'll reunite if separated?

Considering these questions is critical. Taking one step towards personal preparedness today means you'll be better positioned to weather the worst. As public service employees, it also means we'll be able to assist with recovery efforts faster knowing the people we love are safe.

Earthquake response is an "in it together" prospect. We all need to be ready to do our part. For more information on emergency preparedness, please visit the [PreparedBC website](#), and thank you in advance for rising to the challenge.

Yours in preparedness,

Rebecca F. Denlinger  
Deputy Minister  
Emergency Management BC  
Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General



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**To:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: FOR MINISTER - KM\_Needle Disposal\_28SEPT17\_DRAFT

Looks good on my end. Printing.

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**From:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 1:15 PM  
**To:** Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FOR MINISTER - KM\_Needle Disposal\_28SEPT17\_DRAFT  
**Importance:** High

Here is the updated messaging, per the discussion with the minister.

Please let me know if this needs any other tweaks, otherwise, can you please print for her?

Thanks!

Sarah.

Sarah Plank  
Communications Director | Ministry of Mental Health & Addictions  
Government Communications & Public Engagement  
Office: 250.952.1889 | Mobile: 250.208.9621 | Email: [sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca)

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**From:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 1:32 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Rural dividend

Tim Renneberg, Ministerial Assistant  
Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development  
250-387-6240  
[tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca](mailto:tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca)

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**From:** "Donaldson, Doug PREM:EX" <[Doug.Donaldson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Doug.Donaldson@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 2, 2017 at 1:28:56 PM PDT  
**To:** "Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX" <[Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Rural dividend

Likely Qs today

Sent from my iPhone



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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 1:36 PM  
**To:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Missed call from Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX

### Missed call from Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX

**Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX**

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Microsoft Lync 2010

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**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 1:37 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Urgent Issue -- Please call me

**Importance:** High

I tried your line, no answer.

Lori Cascaden  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 2:05 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Government proposes two-year lobbying ban for former public office holders



### Government proposes two-year lobbying ban for former public office holders

The Government of British Columbia has introduced legislation to toughen the rules around political lobbying, which is expected to help protect the integrity of public decision making.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 2:32 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - October is Cyber Security Awareness Month: Work and play safely online



### October is Cyber Security Awareness Month: Work and play safely online

The British Columbia government is inviting families, business owners and educators to consider their shared role in making the internet safer and more secure for everyone, especially children.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 4:32 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Hunting restrictions  
**Attachments:** cariboo road restrictions

Tim Renneberg  
Ministerial Assistant  
Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development  
250-387-6240  
[tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca](mailto:tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca)

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**From:** Ethier, Tom FLNR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 4:21 PM  
**To:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX  
**Cc:** Sheldan, Tim FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Hunting restrictions

As discussed.

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**From:** Harvey Andrusak [<mailto:handrusak@shaw.ca>]  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 3:53 PM  
**To:** Trotter, Ward FLNR:EX; Ethier, Tom FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** Alan Martin; Jesse Zeman  
**Subject:** Hunting restrictions

FYI & heads up—Your Minister can read about how he started a war with the BCWF tomorrow morning. I do not appreciate being played on this ridiculous issue and our members are outraged. If he doesn't want to deal with us he will deal with us through the media. It doesn't take hours let alone weeks to decide when he can meet with us. If he wants to do something useful fire the guy in the region.

I take no pleasure in going this route but I am totally frustrated with how we are being treated.

harv

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** GCPE HR GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 2:30 PM  
**Subject:** GCPE Information & Administrvia  
**Attachments:** Payroll\_Schedule\_2017.xls.pdf

Good Afternoon,

We hope that you are settling into your new role with the GCPE. Thanks for choosing us! We're so glad you're here.

This email contains general information about GCPE and various pieces of administrvia. This email is intended to communicate useful information as you navigate your first few months with us.

If there is anything we can do to assist you now or throughout your career with GCPE, please don't hesitate to reach out to the Talent Services team.

Kind Regards,  
GCPE Talent Services Team

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## General Information

- ☐ Access the GCPE intranet - <http://gww.gcpe.gov.bc.ca>
- ☐ Review GCPE's 411 SharePoint Site!! - **This site contains everything you'll need to know to get you started in GCPE.** 😊
  - [GCPE Acronyms](#) and [Government Acronyms](#)
  - [Communications Templates](#)
  - [Writing and Editing](#)
  - [Staff Directory...](#) Don't forget to add your picture!
  - [Social Media](#) and [Digital Services](#)
  - [Mobile Telecommunications](#)
  - [Learning Plans](#) – these plans are a guideline to help staff quickly find a variety of options to meet learning needs
- ☐ [Service Plan](#)

## Your Employment

- ☐ [Terms and Conditions](#) of employment for excluded employees.
  - As stated in your offer letter you are a Category A/B OIC employee and your employment applies to the terms and conditions for excluded employees.
  - GCPE Communications positions are EXCLUDED from the bargaining unit
- ☐ New to the BC Public Service?
  - We encourage you to attend the [Welcome to the Public Service: Corporate Orientation and Oath](#).

- Here's what's covered in the sessions:
  - BC Public Service employee roles and responsibilities and what it means to work on behalf of the citizens of British Columbia
  - Strategic initiatives such as the [new Corporate Plan: Where Ideas Work](#)
  - The [Total Compensation](#) package, [performance management](#) and career development
  - Standards of Conduct and BC Public Service values
  - The [Oath of Employment](#) – a formal ceremony where employees take (or re-take) the Oath of Employment, and
  - A Q&A with senior public service executives.

## **Time and Leave**

### **Leave (vacation, sick, other):**

- ☐ At the start of calendar year, excluded employees are granted 20 days of vacation. Partial years are prorated. More details are on [MyHR](#)
- ☐ All leave must be entered and then approved by your supervisor through [Time and Leave](#)
- ☐ If you have questions about making your first Time and Leave entry please contact Becky Hamilton or Linda Reed, HR Coordinators at 250-387-1420
- ☐ You can review your vacation balances on [Time and Leave](#)

### **Sick Leave:**

- ☐ After 6 months, excluded employees are entitled to 6 sick days per calendar year
- ☐ Sick leave must be entered in [Time and Leave](#)
- ☐ If you are ill within your first 6 months in Government, you are eligible for partial pay. Please call our HR Coordinators at 250-387-1420, and they will review the options available to you.
- ☐ Detailed information about sick leave is available on [MyHR](#)

### **Pay:**

- ☐ You can review your pay cheque on [Employee Self Service](#)
- ☐ This [infographic](#) explains your pay stub
- ☐ Please note: If you are a new employee to the public service some deductions from your pay check (pension plan, health/dental etc.) may take up to two pay periods (4 weeks) to occur. We are monitoring this on your behalf and ask you to please budget accordingly. If you have any questions about your pay please contact our HR Coordinators, Becky and Linda at 250-387-1420.
- ☐ Attached is the 2017 Payroll Schedule

## **Your Health & Wellbeing**

- ☐ Ergonomic Assessment
  - ☐ Within your first few weeks you will be contacted by a member of our Corporate Services team to ensure your work area set up is both safe and comfortable
- ☐ [MyHR](#) - Contains human resource information and service to support your overall health and well-being including:
  - ☐ Employee & Family Assistance Program – suite of service to support employees and their family members
  - ☐ Health & Wellbeing workshops
  - ☐ Flu Shot information
  - ☐ Mental Health support and resources
  - ☐ Smoking cessation programs

## **Technical Services**

- ☐ GCPE Technical Services contact information:
  - ☐ Email: GCPE Service Desk / [gcpe.servicedesk@gov.bc.ca](mailto:gcpe.servicedesk@gov.bc.ca) Phone: 250-356-5000
- ☐ Contact the GCPE Service Desk for:
  - ☐ Typically used when requesting new services. For existing services, see 77000 below.
  - ☐ Hardware / software / equipment purchases
  - ☐ Account changes (when you move offices, or change phone numbers for example)
  - ☐ Web Access (access to a specific GCPE website or SharePoint site)
  - ☐ Ordering Mobile, Landline and UC/Lync Phones
  - ☐ Shared drive / Folder / LAN access requests
  - ☐ Line of Business Application support. Eg.: Hub, Corporate Calendar, News.gov.bc.ca, E-newsletters.
  - ☐ iStore requests
    - ☐ ordering OCIO services such as: computers, hardware, software, remote access, account changes, web hosting
- ☐ OCIO's 77000 Help Desk – 250-387-7000 or [77000@gov.bc.ca](mailto:77000@gov.bc.ca) - General help number for:
  - ☐ Typically your first support contact for existing IT services
  - ☐ Questions like:
    - ☐ "I forgot my password"
    - ☐ "I can't print"
    - ☐ "My computer won't boot up"
    - ☐ "I'm getting an error in Excel"
    - ☐ "I can't get to my LAN, or I can't get to the internet"
    - ☐ Mobile device support
    - ☐ Landline and UC support
  - ☐ GAL updates via portal, <https://77000.gov.bc.ca/>, "Update GAL Info" on the left side
- ☐ Remote access to work email - Summer Webmail
  - ☐ <https://summer.gov.bc.ca> is the URL to access your work emails from a home computer.
  - ☐ When logging on you need to enter your user name with "IDIR\" in front of your IDIR username.  
Example: IDIR\janheron
  - ☐ [Other remote access options](#)
- ☐ [Microsoft Lync 2010](#)
  - ☐ A great application that can be used for instant messaging, video conferencing and sharing your desktop with other government employees
  - ☐ [Upload your photo](#) in Microsoft Lync

## **Taxis, Travel and Financial Services**

- ☐ If you are required to use a taxi for work purposes, please review the [taxi card procedures](#) on the GCPE 411. Contact Linda Gallant for more information 250-893-4207
- ☐ If you are approved to travel for work purposes, please review the [Travel Policies and Procedures](#) and [Expense Claim Tips and Tricks](#)
- ☐ Financial Services Contact Information:
  - ☐ [Travel Arrangements](#): Duncan Russell, Financial Services Coordinator at 250-387-2526



- ☐ Office Supplies: send an email to [GCPEpurchasing@gov.bc.ca](mailto:GCPEpurchasing@gov.bc.ca)
- ☐ Other Questions: Dawn Stewart, Manager, Financial Services at 250-356-8595

## **Other Cool Stuff**

- ☐ Online Store gives BC Public Service employees quick access to great gear, discounts on computer merchandise, gym memberships and even deals on hotels for personal use.
- ☐ @Work article on Government Discounts
- ☐ Provincial Employees' Community Services Fund
  - ☐ 100% of your donation supports the charity of your choice.
  - ☐ Donations are tax deductible and appear on your T4.
- ☐ Wikilumbia is a place for us to share knowledge about the BC Public Service.
- ☐ @Work Classifieds - A classifieds site just for BC Public Service employees, where you can advertise items you'd like to sell or rent, promote social activities, carpools, etc.

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 5:21 PM  
**To:** Oreck, Mira PREM:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Mental Health and Addiction

It's Alex, copied here.

Matt Hannah  
778.584.1249

On Oct 2, 2017, at 4:16 PM, Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <[Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Can you remind me who has MHA's in issues? I need to pull them into a meeting.  
Thanks!  
Mira Oreck, Director of Stakeholder Relations  
Office of the Premier  
604 775 2116

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 5:39 PM  
**To:** GCPE Executive (HQ); GCPE Cabinet Priorities; GCPE Comm Directors; GCPE Comm Managers; GCPE Editors  
**Cc:** LP Ministerial Assistants; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; Zaharia, Sarah GCPE:EX; GCPE Event Services; GCPE Media Relations; GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX; GCPE Digital Communications; LeSueur, Kathryn GCPE:EX; Behrens, Marlene GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Papik, Stephanie PREM:EX; Tello, Romeo PREM:EX; GCPE Citizen Engagement  
**Subject:** TODAY'S FINAL: 10 Day Corporate Look Ahead  
**Attachments:** Today's Final Look Ahead.pdf

Good afternoon,

Attached is the latest draft of the **10 Day Corporate Look Ahead** which includes all known changes and updates.

**"New" and "Changed" tags on the Look Ahead are reset each morning and display next to all entries that were added or revised from the previous day's copy.**

**Tomorrow at-a-glance:**

**Tuesday, October 3, 2017**

## Events, Speeches & Releases

| Tue Oct 3          | Lead | Activity/Details  | RLS         |
|--------------------|------|---|-------------|
| 6:45 am            | IGRS | <b>Ottawa -- Meeting of First Ministers and Indigenous Leaders:</b> Roundtable on inclusion of Indigenous Peoples in an economic growth agenda. Meeting with Meeting with Assembly of First Nations; Inuit Tapiriit Kanatami, Métis National Council. Meeting starts at 9:45am Eastern Time (6:45am Pacific Time)         | -           |
| 8:30 am            | IGRS | <b>Ottawa -- Meeting of Prime Minister Trudeau and Canada's Premiers at First Ministers' Meeting (FMM).</b> IGRS Lead: Grant Smith  | -           |
| 9:15 am            | FLNR | News Release only, provincewide - NR on Minister's Awards for Innovation and Excellence in Woodlot Management 2017. Three regional and one provincial awards will be handed out the evening before (Oct.2nd) by FNLRO ADM Dave Peterson on behalf of Minister Donaldson at the Federation of BC Woodlot Associations' AGM | BCGov<br>NR |
| 9:30 am            | TRAN | News release only, regional - Highway 3 Upper Cambie Bridge Replacement. Scheduled to complete Sept 30, 2017  | BCGov<br>NR |
| 9:45 am            | PSSG | News Release only, provincewide - Inmate efforts support 2017 wildfire fighting in B.C.: Inmates at four correctional centres have been engaged in supporting wildfire suppression. For example, Nanaimo inmate teams have tested, cleaned, dried and re-rolled hoses for re-deployment                                   | BCGov<br>NR |
| 10:30 am           | CITZ | Information Bulletin only, regional -- Abbotsford Courthouse project progress announcement  | BCGov<br>IB |
| 12:00 pm           | ENV  | <b>Hold for ENV: Media Avail &amp; NR</b>   | BCGov<br>NR |
| 2:00 pm<br>NEW     | FLNR | Information Bulletin only, provincewide -- British Columbians are being given the opportunity to provide input on new proposed grizzly bear regulations   | BCGov<br>IB |
| 6:00 pm<br>CHANGED | TAC  | <b>Victoria -- Minister Lisa Beare speaks at BC Games Society reception-style event</b> at Government House hosted by LG Judith Guichon to celebrate 40th anniversary of the BC Games. NOTE: BC Games issues NR tomorrow, see separate entry  | -           |

## In the News

| Tue Oct 3 | Source     | In the News & Issues Summary  | Category |
|-----------|------------|---|----------|
| 11:00 am  | PSSG-82283 | <b>Medical Assistance in Dying Report:</b> BC Coroners releasing Medical Assistance in Dying Report | Issue    |

Thanks,  
 Robyn Croft, Manager  
 BC Government Corporate Calendar  
 GCPE Cabinet Priorities, Strategic Communications Division  
 250 778 698-3498 or 250 812-4589

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## Executive Summary: What is the Corporate Calendar?

*The Corporate Calendar provides a bird's eye-view of all communications activities across ministries and major agencies. The purpose is to:*

- *Inform senior government officials of all government activities.*
- *Prevent scheduling conflicts within government departments.*
- *Improve efficiencies within the organization.*
- *Streamline the business process of planning and executing government activities.*

***Extended date ranges and other reports are also available*** such as 30/60/90 reports (ministry or cross-government) and Planning Reports which can be filtered in a number of ways. Please contact us for a demo or to arrange access if required.

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 5:46 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Open burn prohibitions modified in Kamloops Fire Centre



### Open burn prohibitions modified in Kamloops Fire Centre

As of noon on Oct. 1, 2017, Category 2 and Category 3 open burning is allowed throughout the northern portion of the Kamloops Fire Zone (the North Prohibition Area).

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 7:53 PM  
**To:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX; Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Meeting Re: Alert Bay

So we're all getting together to discuss the Alert Bay visit next week in Will and Jessica's office (327A) tomorrow (Friday) at 11am.

Kenn, I hope you can carve off some time in your day to be there.

-Alex

Sent from my iPhone

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 1:27 PM  
**To:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: MIRR Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update: September 26

Thanks Chris.

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**From:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 12:25 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: MIRR Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update: September 26

Hi Alex – I've asked MIRR's Critical Incidents team to add you to their distribution list. They monitor and help all natural resource ministries respond and manage direct action/protest situations involving First Nations people. Below is their latest weekly report. They will also put out updates on new or emerging issues. Many don't get media pick up but they are good to be aware of. Please let me know if you have any questions. Cheers, Chris

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**From:** CIEM Branch ABR:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, September 26, 2017 10:50 AM  
**To:** Caul, Doug D IRR:EX; Mayhew, Neilane IRR:EX; Nash, Laurel IRR:EX; Scott, Douglas S IRR:EX  
**Cc:** ABR Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Branch; Airey, David ENV:EX; Anderson, Gordon A TRAN:EX; Osterlund, Andrea OGC:IN; Ashford, Andrew FLNR:EX; Bailey, Scott EAO:EX; Balcaen, Trish L IRR:EX; Banford, Alexandra R IRR:EX; Beltrano, Linda MNGD:EX; Black, Becky JAG:EX; Brach, Pader W ENV:EX; Brown, Ian S FLNR:EX; Christie, Erin JAG:EX; CIEM Branch ABR:EX; Coley, Simon J JAG:EX; Coster, Jessica FLNR:EX; Cousins, Autumn EAO:EX; Cox, Monica TRAN:EX; Crockford, Dennis IRR:EX; Dalton, Peter; DesRochers, Kathy A FLNR:EX; Draeseke, Rob IRR:EX; Duffy, Chris D TRAN:EX; Dyck, Heinz IRR:EX; EAO Executive Project Directors; Elliott, Richard FLNR:EX; Enger, Tonia PSSG:EX; Ennis, Randall LASS:EX; Falkiner, Mike FLNR:EX; Farmer, Leila PREM:EX; Forsdick, Doug O ENV:EX; Foxall, Dave FIN:EX; French, Shawna IRR:EX; Gage, Greg P FLNR:EX; Gale, Stuart IRR:EX; GCPE Communications - Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation; Haberl, Kevin J FLNR:EX; Hadway, Sharon L FLNR:EX; Holmes, Rachel IRR:EX; Hunter, Charles FLNR:EX; Johnsrude, Allan N FLNR:EX; Joyce, Tonja IRR:EX; Keith, Erin FLNR:EX; Kelly, Susan M IRR:EX; Paulson, Ken OGC:IN; Kennah, Morgan FLNR:EX; Kriese, Kevin FLNR:EX; Leece, Robert IRR:EX; Lewis, Cameron F ENV:EX; Lightbody, Ian TRAN:EX; Lofthouse, Mark IRR:EX; MacDougall, Gerry L FLNR:EX; MacDowell, Karen R IRR:EX; Mah-Paulson, May IRR:EX; Maloughney, Mary Sue FLNR:EX; McCarthy, Tom IRR:EX; Meier, Ian R FLNR:EX; Mohrmann, Ralph TRAN:EX; Morgan, Dale IRR:EX; Murphy, Brian; Neilson, Larry AGRI:EX; O'Donoghue, Eamon G FLNR:EX; Ollenberger, Lance J OGC:IN; Ord, Kris ENV:EX; Pecknold, Clayton PSSG:EX; Pedersen, Mike FLNR:EX; Phillips, Keith J JAG:EX; Poland, Peter IRR:EX; Poss, Angie ENV:EX; Puggioni, Giovanni IRR:EX; Rasmussen, Paul FLNR:EX; Rawling, Greg FLNR:EX; Recknell, Geoff IRR:EX; Robb, Peter L. MEM:EX; Roberts, Lloyd E IRR:EX; Robertson, Sheena R PSA:EX; Ronmark, Tracy C IRR:EX; Shephard, Corinne IRR:EX; Steenvoorden, Tom PSSG:EX; Toledo, Ricardo M IRR:EX; Travia, David V AGRI:EX; Turner, Robert TRAN:EX; Vince, Karrilyn M FLNR:EX; Waters, Cory EAO:EX; Zimmer, Dean E OGC:IN  
**Subject:** MIRR Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update: September 26

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**The following issues are included in this week's Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update.  
Please scroll down to the report for specific details on each file.**

| Emergency Management Updates | Critical Incidents Updates | Issues Monitoring |
|------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
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|--|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>No further updates expected. - Wildfire situation update</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Fish Farm Occupations</li> <li>Opposition to Kinder Morgan TMP</li> <li>Unist'ot'en Camp – Blockade</li> <li>Gitxsan Madii Lii – Blockade</li> <li>Opposition to Site C</li> <li>Semiahmoo – Archaeological concerns</li> <li>NEW Blueberry River First Nations – Access restriction</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>NEW Treaty 8 – Western Boundary litigation</li> <li>UPDATED - Wildlife management due to wildfire</li> </ul> |
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CIEM Branch is engaged in the following<sup>s.16</sup> and managing and/or facilitating a coordinated response through engagement with line agencies, enforcement agencies, regional staff and other contacts. For more information, including any<sup>s.16</sup> not listed below please contact any member of the CIEM Branch: [CIEMBranch@gov.bc.ca](mailto:CIEMBranch@gov.bc.ca).

#### EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

| First Nation  | Situation                          | Status Update  | Next Steps/Comments  |
|---|------------------------------------|--|--|
| <b>FIRST NATIONS POTENTIALLY OR DIRECTLY IMPACTED</b>   |                                    |  |  |
| Widespread impacts to First Nations in the Cariboo, Central, and Southeastern regions<br><br>No further updates expected. | <b>Provincial wildfire summary</b> | <p>On September 20<sup>th</sup>, Emergency Management BC announced that all alerts and orders have been rescinded. There are currently still 125 active wildfires burning across the province.</p> <p>The Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre and the Central, Northeast and Southeast Provincial Regional Emergency Operation Centres stood down the week of September 18<sup>th</sup>. Coordination calls are no longer being held.</p> <p>Recovery will be ongoing for quite some time in many communities and impacted First Nations will continue to receive support directly from EMBC and INAC.</p> <p>It is expected that wildlife management in relation to wildfire and availability of traditional foods will be ongoing issues.</p> | <p>MIRR continues to work with EMBC, FLNR, FNLC, FNHC and INAC on recovery strategies to support First Nations. CIEM Branch will continue to provide support to agencies as needed.</p> <p>FLNR First Nations Relations Branch circulated interim “Guidance on Consulting with First Nations Impacted by an Emergency or Disaster” document to all NRS staff. FLNR First Nations Relations Branch in the Cariboo Region is leading the development of a strategy on engaging First Nations communities regarding fire recovery, with FLNR agency and MIRR input.</p> <p>CIEM Branch tracking tool, “Impacted FNs for Consultation Purposes”, is now posted on the Branch SharePoint site; questions related to impacted First Nations communities can be directed to MIRR region or CIEM Branch.</p> |

#### CRITICAL INCIDENTS

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| First Nation | Issue and Key Contacts | Status Update | Response Update |
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| First Nation  | Issue and Key Contacts   | Status Update  | Response Update   |
|---|--|--|---|
| <p>Musgamagw<br/>Dzawada'enuxw<br/>Nation<br/>(Dzawada'eunuw<br/>Kwikwasut'inuxw,<br/>Gwawaunuk)</p> <p>'Namgis</p> <p>Mamalilikala</p> <p>Da'naxda'xw</p> <p>Ligwildaxw<br/>Nation</p> | <p><b>Opposition to open-pen salmon farming.</b></p> <p><u>CI</u>: Melissa Grimes</p> <p><u>MAG</u>: Keith Phillips</p>                  | <p>Hereditary Chiefs and representatives from Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw, 'Namgis, and Mamalilikalla First Nations continue to occupy a structure on Marine Harvest's Midsummer Island Fish Farm and the cabins on Swanson Island adjacent to the Swanson Island Fish Farm.</p> <p>Representatives from both occupations have indicated they will continue their efforts until BC revokes the current Licenses of Occupation for fish farms in the Broughton Archipelago.</p> <p>s.16</p> <p>On September 15<sup>th</sup>, the City of Sooke passed a motion to prohibit open-pen invasive species salmon farming. Sooke is hoping to get further support for its ban from municipal governments, the Premier and local MP. Approvals for fish farms are held provincially and federally.</p> <p>Supporters continue to plan solidarity protests.</p> | <p>MIRR Minister's visit to Alert Bay on September 23<sup>rd</sup> was postponed due to a death in the community. A new date has not yet been set.</p> <p>CIEM Branch, AGRI, FLNR, MIRR Region, BC Parks, Legislative Security, and GCPE continue to assess</p> <p>s.16</p>   |
| Trans Mountain Expansion (TMP)  | <p><b>Opposition to pipelines.</b></p> <p><u>CI</u>: Janice Franklin/Melissa Grimes</p> <p><u>MAG</u>: Keith Phillips/Ashley Cochran</p> | <p>s.16</p> <p>"Tiny House Warriors", continue to get significant media attention for their intent to build and place 10 tiny houses along the TMP pipeline route</p>  | <p>s.16</p> <p>KM security contractor that they are prepared for disruptions should anything occur when construction begins.</p> <p>MAG has confirmed that the Provincial response to the Squamish judicial review of the Environmental Assessment Certificate of the TMX project is due on September 29<sup>th</sup>.</p> <p>OCG has confirmed that consultation has</p> |

| First Nation   | Issue and Key Contacts   | Status Update  | Response Update  |
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|  |  | <p>where it crosses Secwepemc traditional territory.</p> <p>Anti-TMP events and rallies continue to be organized including an event in downtown Vancouver on October 2<sup>nd</sup>.</p>   | <p>concluded on a recent batch of permits and decisions are pending.</p> <p>On September 26<sup>th</sup>, CIEM Branch will deliver a workshop designed to prepare staff to manage potential conflict and direct action stemming from projects.s.16</p> <p>Relevant agencies continue to strategize for potential impacts from the project s.16</p>   |
| Unist'ot'en Camp   | <p><b>Opposition to pipelines and resource development through traditional territory.</b></p> <p>CI: Ashlyn Schwaiger/Janice Franklin</p> <p>MAG: Keith Phillips and Becky Black</p> <p>Lead: MIRR/CIEM Branch</p> | <p>One blockade remains in place, with multiple gates blocking access over the Morice FSR 66km bridge.</p> <p>s.16</p>   | <p>CIEM Branch continues to work with MAG, Risk Management Branch, the LNG Action Plan group, and s.16</p> <p>s.16</p>   |
| <p>Gitxsan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kispiox Mill Site Blockade (Nikate'en Wilp)</li> <li>Madii Lii Camp (Luutkudziwus Wilp)</li> </ul> | <p><b>Opposition to pipelines and resource development through traditional territory.</b></p> <p>CI: Ashlyn Schwaiger/Janice Franklin</p> <p>MAG: Keith Phillips/Becky</p>   | <p>Nikate'en Wilp Chief and supporters from select Gitxsan houses continue to occupy the Gitxsan Development Corporation (GDC) owned Kispiox Mill Site.</p> <p>An injunction granted to GDC on September 1<sup>st</sup>s.16</p> <p>s.16 Meetings between the parties are ongoing.</p> <p>The Madii Lii blockade remains in</p> | <p>CIEM Branch continues to work with GCPE, MIRR Region, FLNR, and MAG to strategize and share information s.16</p> <p>s.16</p> <p>FLNR has reported that a Gitxsan member supporting Madii Lii has indicated the province should expect to hear from them soon with respect to implementing UNDRIP.</p> <p>CIEM Branch is working with MAG, Risk Management Branch, the LNG Action Plan group, and the s.16</p> <p>s.16</p> |

| First Nation         | Issue and Key Contacts   | Status Update  | Response Update   |
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|                      | Black<br><br><u>Lead:</u><br>MIRR/CIEM Branch  | place.   | s.16<br><br>s.16  |
| Opposition to Site C | <u>CI:</u> Ashlyn Schwaiger<br><br><u>MAG:</u> Erin Christie<br><br><u>Lead:</u><br>MIRR/FLNR/BC Hydro<br><br><u>Proponent:</u> BC Hydro | <p>The BCUC released their preliminary report on Site C on September 20<sup>th</sup>. In the report, the commission stated that it requires more information in key areas before a recommendation can be made. BCUC has requested responses from BC Hydro and the public by October 1<sup>st</sup>. The final report is expected by November 1<sup>st</sup>.</p> <p>BCUC Community Input Sessions are ongoing. On September 23<sup>rd</sup>, approximately 100 protesters gathered at the session in Vancouver to voice their concerns. Similar protests are anticipated at upcoming sessions elsewhere in the province.</p> <p>Separate sessions will be scheduled for the Panel to hear First Nations submissions; more information to come.</p> | <p>Through the implementation of s.16 s.16, CIEM Branch is coordinating with MAG, MEM, MOTI, GCPE, FLNR, Arch Branch, EAO, BC Hydro s.16 s.16 and a coordinated approach.</p> |
| Semiahmoo            | <b>Planned construction in possible archeological site.</b><br><br><u>CI:</u> Stasia Ferbey  | <p>On September 14<sup>th</sup>, Semiahmoo First Nation Leadership interrupted the City of White Rock's ground-breaking ceremony for the City's Memorial Park upgrade project. Semiahmoo leaders indicate that they have ethnographic evidence regarding an archaeological site at the park.</p> <p>The city has indicated that they will be pursuing an archaeological impact assessment and site alteration permit as recommended by FLNR's Arch Branch. A follow up meeting between the Semiahmoo and the City is scheduled for October 5<sup>th</sup>; construction is scheduled to commence on October 6<sup>th</sup>.</p>  | <p>Arch Branch is waiting for the city's archaeologist to submit a permit application.</p> <p>CIEM Branch will continue to coordinate with Arch Branch and s.16 s.16</p>      |
| Blueberry River      | <b>Opposition to</b>   | On September 21 <sup>st</sup> a hunter reported  | CIEM Branch is sharing information with MIRR  |

| First Nation   | Issue and Key Contacts  | Status Update  | Response Update  |
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| First Nations<br><br><b>NEW</b><br><br>No further updates expected.  | <b>hunting.</b><br><br><u>CI</u> : Stasia Ferbey/Ashlyn Schwaiger                             | a blockade at the 24 km mark of Pink Mountain Road, northwest of Wonowon.<br><br>According to the hunter, one First Nation member is attending a makeshift gate and charging hunters a fee to access the area beyond the gate.<br><br>COS has confirmed that the gate is situated just before the Blueberry River First Nations owned Pink Mountain Ranch, which is a guide outfitter operation.   | region, FLNR, COS and MOTI to ensure a coordinated response.<br><br>s.16 |
| <b>ISSUE MONITORING</b>  |   |  |  |
| Shuswap Nation Tribal Council<br><br>Tsilhqot'in National Government<br><br>Nazko First Nation<br><br><b>UPDATED</b>   | <b>Wildlife management due to wildfire.</b><br><br><u>CI</u> : Melissa Grimes/Janice Franklin | Wildlife management and the availability of traditional foods have been brought up by multiple First Nations in relation to impacts due to wildfire. The concerns have been expressed to government directly, through correspondence and during meetings at the First Nations Leadership Gathering, and through various media sources.<br><br>Shuwap Nation Tribal Council, Tsilhqot'in National Government (TNG) and Nazko First Nation have recently raised concerns about moose hunting. TNG and Nazko have both requested that the hunting season be closed. |  |
| West Moberly First Nations<br><br>Halfway River First Nation<br><br>Salteau First Nations<br><br>Prophet River First Nation<br><br>Doig River First Nation<br><br><b>NEW</b> | <b>The western boundary of Treaty 8.</b>  | The decision on the Western Boundary litigation was delivered on September 25 <sup>th</sup> . The ruling was in favour of the Plaintiff Treaty 8 First Nations and has declared the western boundary to follow the height of land along the continental divide between the Arctic and Pacific watersheds.<br><br>s.16<br><br>MAG is reviewing the decision in detail and preparing an IBN.   |  |

#### EVENTS

| Event Type | Issue | Location | Dates | Notes |
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| s.16  | Site C            | Nelson, Prince George, Hudson's Hope, Fort St. John (2 sessions) | September 26 <sup>th</sup> , 29 <sup>th</sup> & 30 <sup>th</sup> and October 1 <sup>st</sup> & 2 <sup>nd</sup> | Site C Inquiry community input sessions.   |
| Rally | Kinder Morgan TMP | Downtown Vancouver   | October 2 <sup>nd</sup>  | A peaceful rally organized in solidarity of First Nations' legal defence against the project. Grand Chief Stewart Phillip is scheduled to speak. |

## CRITICAL INCIDENTS AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT BRANCH

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:42 AM  
**To:** GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: TODAY'S FINAL: 10 Day Corporate Look Ahead

Hi Robyn,  
Would you be able to grant me access to the hub.gcpe.gov.bc.ca site?  
It would probably be useful to the rest of the Issues Managers (CC'd here) as well.  
-Alex

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**From:** GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 6:16 PM  
**To:** GCPE Executive (HQ); GCPE Cabinet Priorities; GCPE Comm Directors; GCPE Comm Managers; GCPE Editors  
**Cc:** LP Ministerial Assistants; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Wright, Don J. PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; Zaharia, Sarah GCPE:EX; GCPE Event Services; GCPE Media Relations; GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX; GCPE Digital Communications; LeSueur, Kathryn GCPE:EX; Behrens, Marlene GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Papik, Stephanie PREM:EX; Tello, Romeo PREM:EX; GCPE Citizen Engagement  
**Subject:** TODAY'S FINAL: 10 Day Corporate Look Ahead

Hello,

Attached is the latest draft of the **10 Day Corporate Look Ahead** which includes all known changes and updates.

**"New" and "Changed" tags on the Look Ahead are reset each morning and display next to all entries that were added or revised from the previous day's copy.**

**Tomorrow at-a-glance:**

## Wednesday, October 4, 2017

### Events, Speeches & Releases

| Wed Oct 4              | Lead | Activity/Details   | RLS           |
|------------------------|------|--|---------------|
| <b>Time TBD</b><br>NEW | FLNR | Information Bulletin only, regional -- BC Wildfire Service plans to burn Douglas fir beetle trap trees in the Prince George area. Timing: ASAP on approval   | BCGov<br>IB   |
| 9:30 am<br>NEW         | TAC  | News Release only, provincewide -- #ExploreBC this Thanksgiving Weekend: A prime opportunity for British Columbians to head out with friends and family discover their province and support local tourism businesses | BCGov<br>NR   |
| 11:00 am               | TAC  | Information Bulletin only, provincewide -- July Tourism Visitor Stats Released   | BCGov<br>IB   |
| 1:45 pm<br>CHANGED     | AG   | News Release, provincewide (time approx.) -- Hold for Legislation. <b>Media Avail to follow at 2:45pm in the Press Theatre.</b> Event Lead: Rick Devereux  | BCGov<br>NR   |
| 2:15 pm<br>NEW         | IRR  | Statement only, provincewide - Minister Fraser's Statement of support for Sisters in Spirit campaign (vigils honour families and friends of missing and murdered women)  | BCGov<br>STMT |
| 2:45 pm<br>CHANGED     | MH   | <b>Hold for Minister's Statement at 2:45pm responding to report from Representative for Children and Youth:</b> Followed by 3:15pm media teleconference  | BCGov<br>STMT |

Thanks,  
 Robyn Croft, Manager  
 BC Government Corporate Calendar  
 GCPE Cabinet Priorities, Strategic Communications Division  
 250 778 698-3498 or 250 812-4589

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 4:07 PM  
**To:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX; Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Subject:** FW: 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf  
**Attachments:** 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf; ATT00001.txt

Here is a copy of the letter from the folks who would like to meet sometime soon with the minister re: boundary settlement for Carcross Tagish FN and Teslin Tlingit.

s.22 is my contact person in Teslin that I've spoken with.

s.22

-----Original Message-----

From: s.22  
Sent: Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:49 AM  
To: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
Subject: 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf

That's it Alex

Thanks very much for your help, look forward to meeting you in Victoria soon.

s.22

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Oreck, Mira PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 8:53 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Mental Health and Addiction

Thanks, Alex.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2017, at 5:57 PM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

My number is 778-584-1371

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2017, at 5:20 PM, Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX <[Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

It's Alex, copied here.

Matt Hannah  
778.584.1249

On Oct 2, 2017, at 4:16 PM, Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <[Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Can you remind me who has MHA's in issues? I need to pull them into a meeting.

Thanks!

Mira Oreck, Director of Stakeholder Relations  
Office of the Premier  
604 775 2116

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 6:35 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Deck for Minister Briefing on BRFN  
**Attachments:** BRFN Strategy Briefing for Minister Sept 29.pptx; ATT00001.htm

Hey Alex,

To go over tomorrow ...

Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Ponchet, Kim IRR:EX" <[Kim.Ponchet@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Kim.Ponchet@gov.bc.ca)>  
**To:** "Roberts, Connie A IRR:EX" <[Connie.Roberts@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Connie.Roberts@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX" <[Jonathan.Sas@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jonathan.Sas@gov.bc.ca)>, "Wood, Jessica IRR:EX" <[Jessica.D.Wood@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jessica.D.Wood@gov.bc.ca)>, "Howie, Matthew IRR:EX" <[Matthew.Howie@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Matthew.Howie@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** FW: Deck for Minister Briefing on BRFN

Material for all BRFN mtgs (first one being this afternoon)

Kim Ponchet

Senior Executive Assistant to

Neilane Mayhew, Associate Deputy Minister

Ministry of Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation

Phone: 250-356-0226

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**From:** McCarthy, Tom IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 11:14 AM  
**To:** Caul, Doug D IRR:EX  
**Cc:** Ponchet, Kim IRR:EX; Howie, Matthew IRR:EX; Perrins, Greg IRR:EX; Recknell, Geoff IRR:EX; Scott, Douglas S IRR:EX  
**Subject:** Deck for Minister Briefing on BRFN

Doug –

Apologies that this is coming at you late. Attached is a deck we hope to use to brief the Minister on issues re BRFN, scheduled for 4:00 today. This is in advance of a meeting the Minister has with BRFN on Wednesday.

The deck walks through the suite of issues on the table at the moment – s.13,s.16

s.13,s.16

TLA status; and TLE status. s.13,s.16

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– it is complex and important the Minister understands the context behind

those decisions. Finally, the deck discusses the NE Stakeholder engagement piece.

If you have a chance, let us know if there is anything you'd like us to edit/update.

Regards,

Tom

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Tom McCarthy, Chief Negotiator, North Area

Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation  
250-847-1032 [tom.mccarthy@gov.bc.ca](mailto:tom.mccarthy@gov.bc.ca)

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 7:01 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Modified response to East of Rattlesnake Island fire



### Modified response to East of Rattlesnake Island fire

The BC Wildfire Service is responding to a two-hectare wildfire about two kilometres northeast of Rattlesnake Island, on the eastern shore of Okanagan Lake.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Ryckman, Scott GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 5:09 AM  
**To:** Ryckman, Scott GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** TNO training opportunity

Good morning,

Given all the new faces circulating through GCPE I thought the coming holiday week (October 9th - 13th) would be the perfect time to schedule a couple of TNO training sessions.

Similar to the writ-period training we staged in the spring, we will be offering two sessions: a basic and an advanced session.

The basic session will be targeting first-time users and clients who have rarely used TNO before but need the tool in their new role.

The advanced session will be targeting experienced users who may have been thrust into a new position and are missing some key insights. Several communication shops switched off auto reports and returned to the manual assembly of the daily summaries. As a result, special interest will be given to report builder and filter assembly which should help ease your early morning workload.

Please note, a similar session is being organized for new Legislature staff. That session will be held in the press theatre and include a live webcast. If you are unable to attend either of the GCPE sessions, perhaps check out the live feed of that training opportunity.

Please let me know if you are interested in either the basic or the advanced sessions - indicate which one and the number of attendees if you are answering for others in your office. Once I have final numbers, calendar invitations will be sent out along with a venue.

Scott Ryckman  
Director, Today's News Online  
250-356-5735

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Gallant, Linda GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 8:18 AM  
**To:** GCPE All Staff  
**Cc:** Nash, Amber PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX  
**Subject:** GCPE All Staff Phone List - effective October 4, 2017  
**Attachments:** GCPE\_All Staff Phone List\_Oct 4 2017.pdf; GCPE\_All Staff Phone List\_Oct 4 2017.xlsx

Good Morning,

Please find attached an updated All Staff Telephone List effective October 4th for your reference.  
This list has been revised to reflect recently announced staffing changes.

If there are errors or information that is out of date, or distribution list issues, please notify me as soon as possible to have this corrected.

In addition, please ensure that old phone lists are shredded and not sent to the garbage or recycle bins.

Note: PDF version attached for a quicker read on mobile device.

Thank you,

Linda

Linda Gallant  
Facilities Services Advisor  
GCPE – HQ  
4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 617 Govt St  
Victoria BC V8W 9V1

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:07 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note - WTO complaint

You may want to add a line about PJH advocating on behalf of farmers at the federal table re: small biz tax changes.

Sent from my iPhone

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note - WTO complaint

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Sent from my iPhone

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-Alex



## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 8:52 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note - WTO complaint

Will see what we have.

Sent from my iPhone

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The one thing that I wouldn't mind adding are a couple facts if they're handy about the wine sector.  
Maybe:  
Wine production represents X billion dollars, X thousand jobs sort of thing.

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**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 7:33 AM  
**To:** LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** The Daily - Health - Oct 03\_0745  
**Attachments:** The Daily - Oct 03\_0745.docx

Here are the top issues for Health today. Thank you

Stephen May  
GCPE – Health  
Phone: 250 952 3401  
Cell: 250 888 9879

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:14 AM  
**To:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Homelessness advocate bullets

Thanks for the heads up, Sarah.

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**From:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 6:50 AM  
**To:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Cc:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Homelessness advocate bullets

Point of clarification. The organizers have been saying they're going to St Anne's. Currently they are camped in a spot along the Gorge.

They are apparently periodically moving to various city owned locations every few days. They were over at Topaz Park before.

Sarah Plank  
Communications Director | Ministry of Mental Health & Addiction  
Government Communications & Public Engagement  
Mobile: [250.208.9621](tel:250.208.9621) | Email: [sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca)

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 2, 2017, at 8:16 PM, Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX <[Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

FYI from Municipal Affairs and Housing, re homeless encampment at St. Anne's in Victoria, being led by a very vocal advocate.

They advise that Saanich PD and the Integrated Outreach team, which includes Pacifica Outreach, and outreach workers from Ministry of Social Development are planning to go to the current encampment tomorrow at 8am. This is new territory for Saanich PD so the process looks a bit different than the streamlined approach the team has in place with the Vic PD.

This is just shared for your awareness – no action required, other than perhaps letting the minister know if you feel she should be made aware.

Thanks,  
Sarah.

Sarah Plank

Communications Director | Ministry of Mental Health & Addictions  
Government Communications & Public Engagement  
Office: 250.952.1889 | Mobile: 250.208.9621 | Email: [sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca)

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 10:53 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; s.22  
Jessica IRR:EX  
Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Wood,  
**Cc:** Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: heads up re: youth suicide

See below

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX" <Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca>  
**Date:** October 3, 2017 at 10:47:17 AM PDT  
**To:** "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX" <Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca>, "Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX" <Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca>, "Hughes, Doug J HLTH:EX" <Doug.Hughes@gov.bc.ca>  
**Cc:** "Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX" <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>, "Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX" <Kristy.Anderson@gov.bc.ca>, "Guerrero, Thomas HLTH:EX" <Thomas.Guerrero@gov.bc.ca>, "Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX" <Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** heads up re: youth suicide

Hi – another heads up as an FYI.

Northern Health has advised that a s.22 youth has committed suicide in s.22  
s.22 and remote community with a significant First Nations population. Someone from their Mental Health team has been in touch with the family, and is seeking to connect them to appropriate support services. NH is also reaching out to the community to offer contacts for support. They will provide more information when they have more to share.

Thanks,

Sarah.

Sarah Plank

Communications Director | Ministry of Mental Health & Addictions

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:08 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note - WTO complaint

<http://www.canadianvintners.com/wp-content/uploads/2017/03/BC-Grape-and-Wine-Industry-FACT-SHEET-2015.pdf>

All the stats you need should be in here, but suggest if Minister references them she credit the source.

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 3, 2017, at 8:21 AM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

The one thing that I wouldn't mind adding are a couple facts if they're handy about the wine sector.  
Maybe:

Wine production represents X billion dollars, X thousand jobs sort of thing.

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 8:00 AM  
**To:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** RE: QP Note - WTO complaint  
I want Ag to respond on the question.  
It opens up what could be a nice segue into Grow, Feed, Buy.  
Here is a draft.

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 7:32 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note - WTO complaint  
Nothing from us that I'm aware of other than VQA messaging I can flip you in a bit. JTT owns the file in terms of international trade/NAFTA.

Sent from my iPhone

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Hey folks,  
I don't have Will's email, so could you let him know as well that I'm going to pull together a note on the WTO complaint re: BC wines in grocery stores.  
If you've got anything that you feel we need in this note, let me know.  
-Alex

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:46 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: News Releases and Issues for Tomorrow

FYI

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**From:** Shepherd, Brent GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, October 2, 2017 4:09 PM  
**To:** hlth Ministerial and Executive Assistants  
**Cc:** GCPE Communications - Health  
**Subject:** News Releases and Issues for Tomorrow

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Here are the health news releases and issues for Tuesday.

### Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General / BC Coroners Service

**Panel makes recommendations on medical assistance in dying** – (11 am release) The chair of a 2016 death review panel on medical assistance in dying (MAiD) cases in British Columbia said the panel is satisfied that public safety is being met, but has made recommendations focused on quality assurance and quality improvement.

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## ISSUES

BC Coroners report on Medical Assistance in Dying (see release above)

**\*\*materials to be sent shortly**

Awareness Date

None

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:54 AM  
**To:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: FYI: Letter to Swanson Occupiers circulating on social media

If you don't already have this.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX" <[Leanne.Ritchie@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Leanne.Ritchie@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 3, 2017 at 9:33:56 AM PDT  
**To:** "Boelens, Robert GCPE:EX" <[Robert.Boelens@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Robert.Boelens@gov.bc.ca)>, "McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX" <[Meghan.McRae@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meghan.McRae@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX" <[Vivian.Thomas@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Vivian.Thomas@gov.bc.ca)>, "Lowther, Brett GCPE:EX" <[Brett.Lowther@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Brett.Lowther@gov.bc.ca)>, "Sitter, Donna GCPE:EX" <[Donna.Sitter@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Donna.Sitter@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** FYI: Letter to Swanson Occupiers circulating on social media

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Gilakas'daxw'la Dzawada'enuxw, Kwikwasut'inuxw, Haxwa'mis, and Gwa'wa'enuxw of the Musgamagw tribes of Kingcome Inlet and surrounding territories,Â

We are aware of the recent developments and actions taken by the RCMP. We have reviewed the Protocol Agreement presented by the RCMP but were not able to come to an agreement or provide any feedback for revisions to the pending agreement. We understand that the RCMP have pressed charges against one of our most high ranked official Hereditary Chiefs of the Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw, and couldn't be more disturbed. The RCMP have now acted before we were able to put the proper protocols in place. More concerning is that the RCMP, to date, have not taken the statements from our family members at Midsummer Island for a previous incident involving Marine Harvest staff, and the ill advised actions of Marine Harvest to remove occupation members personal property with knives or weapons. I have shared my concerns with Sgt. Michael Carey of the RCMP over a recorded telephone call dated Sept. 29th 2017.

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Nations involved. Hereditary Chiefs (attached photo) from numerous Nations supported us in a special meeting held in the Alert Bay Big House on the evening of Sunday, October 1st. We can also provide letters of support from Nations from one end of the Coast to the other, from Haida Gwaii to Washington State, USA.Â Â

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I strongly urge all parties, including the different levels of governments, elected and traditional to work effectively to resolve the problem of unwelcomed industry operations within the unceded territories of our Nations. We ask for calm, thoughtful and respectful resolve while we handle this delicate matter of rights and title within our collective waters. We must remind Marine Harvest, foreign industries, the Provincial and Federal Government to accept that our people own the lands, waters and territories in question and that the issues of ownership have never been resolved, and we challenge anyone who states otherwise. Ahe'am!Â Â Â

I look forward to an immediate response to my letter, on behalf of the occupation members, but not on behalf of the Namgis and Mamalilikulla elected leadership and Band Council Nations,Â Â

Gilakas'la

Kwakwabalas - Ernest AlfredÂ

Swanson OccupationÂ

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 7:32 AM  
**To:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Top Issues

Good morning everyone,

Slightly restructured list today to make it easier to follow. First section is the issues that tend to stick around. Second section is the issues of the day.

### Standing Issues

- Budget Update - Main Message
- Main Message – Jobs
- Main Message – Affordability
- Main Message – Services
- Government Accomplishments
- Wildfire Recovery
- Massey Replacement
- Site C
- LNG
- Comprehensive Housing Strategy
- Minimum Wage
- Child Care

### Hot Issues

- Party Allowance
- Office Budgets/Staff Hiring
- Government Advertising
- Carbon Tax
- Cannabis
- International Business Activity Program
- Litigation
- Greyhound Service
- CASA Secretariat
- Rural Education
- VSB By-Election
- Vacant Homes Tax
- Number of Sheriffs
- WTO Winemaker Dispute

Matt Hannah  
Director of Issues Management  
778.584.1249

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 2:53 PM  
**To:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Learning & Development at GCPE  
**Attachments:** Corporate\_Calendar\_Help\_File.docx; ATT00001.htm

Who has done this?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "GCPE HR GCPE:EX" <CommCareers@gov.bc.ca>  
**To:** "GCPE All Staff" <ALLSTAFF2@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** Learning & Development at GCPE

Good afternoon,

One of the many benefits of being a GCPE employee is the opportunity to access a wide variety of professional development resources to further develop your skills. We encourage you to check out the links to various training available to you. While this may be a reminder to some and new to others, this training will be helpful as you continue in your position.

For those new to GCPE - please note that your immediate action is required for **IM 117: Protection of Privacy, Access to Information and Records Management** outlined below.

If there is anything we can do to assist you now or throughout your career with GCPE, please don't hesitate to reach out to the [Talent Services team](#).

Happy learning!

GCPE Talent Services Team

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### **GCPE Training & Development General Information:**

- ☐ Click [here](#) to access the GCPE 411 - Training and Development page
  - Some of the highlights include:
    - Access to [Lynda.com](#) - an online learning platform with 40,000 video tutorials
    - Recommended Learning Plans – designed to take the guesswork out of what courses to take – some plans include New to Government, Leadership Development, Communication Skills
    - Interested in your own learning path or professional development? – find information on how to submit a [training request form](#) or apply for the Pacific Leaders Scholarship
    - Access to the [Learning Centre](#) through the BC Public Service Agency – free, online and in-person sessions to guide your learning on your own timeline

### **Legislature Information:**

- ☐ [Parliamentary Procedures Workshop](#) – register online...there's often a long waitlist, so sign up now!
- ☐ Stay Informed about Corporate News and Community Generated articles - <https://www.gov.bc.ca/news>
- ☐ [Hansard](#) - Debates of the Legislative Assembly

- ☐ [Legislature Glossary](#)

## **Information Security:**

- ☐ Review the [Appropriate Use policy](#).
  - ☐ This is a guide on the appropriate use of government systems and devices.
  - ☐ This policy outlines key considerations with respect to managing and protecting confidential information, including the use of personal email when doing government work and the necessity to abide by the [Standards of Conduct](#) and [Oath of Employment](#)
  - ☐ For further information, here is the article on [@Work](#).
- ☐ Review the [Security 101 Guidebook—The Basics of Information Security in the Government of British Columbia](#).

## **Corporate Calendar:**

\*Only applicable to employees in communications offices

You will receive access to the [BC Government Corporate Calendar](#) which provides a bird's eye-view of all communications activities across ministries, major agencies and beyond.

The purpose is to:

- Inform senior government officials of all government activities
- Prevent scheduling conflicts within government departments
- Improve efficiencies within the organization
- Streamline the business process of planning and executing government activities

Your supervisor and co-workers will arrange a tutorial within your first couple of weeks. A Help Guide is also attached to assist you with learning how to navigate the system. Various reports are run from this system by others such as a Cross-Government Look Ahead Report, 30-60-90 Reports and Planning Reports so attention to detail and accuracy of your entries is paramount. All entries are reviewed at GCPE HQ once you add or save changes. If further assistance is required or you are having issue with accessing the system, please contact Robyn Croft at 778 698-3498 or 250 812-4589 and she will be happy to provide a complete orientation and full overview.

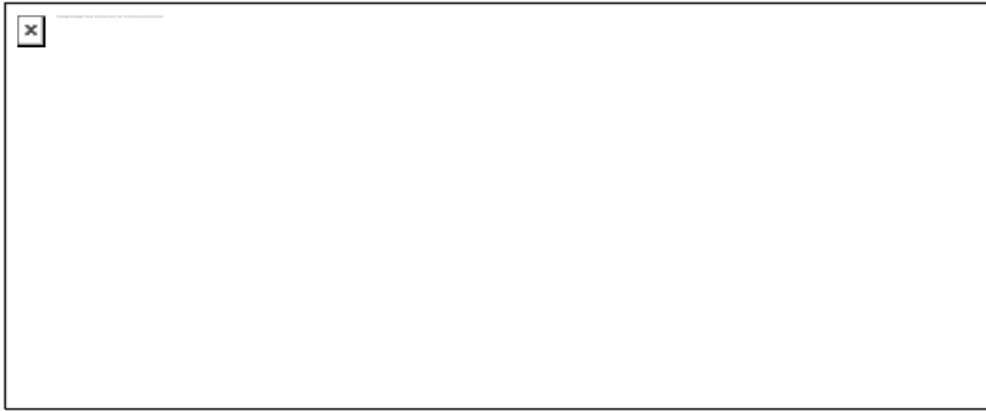
## **Records Management and Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act (FOIPPA):**

- ☐ You are required to complete **IM 117: Protection of Privacy, Access to Information and Records Management** within 30 days of employment and is mandatory for all public service employees. This online session takes a little over an hour. Here are the steps to register:

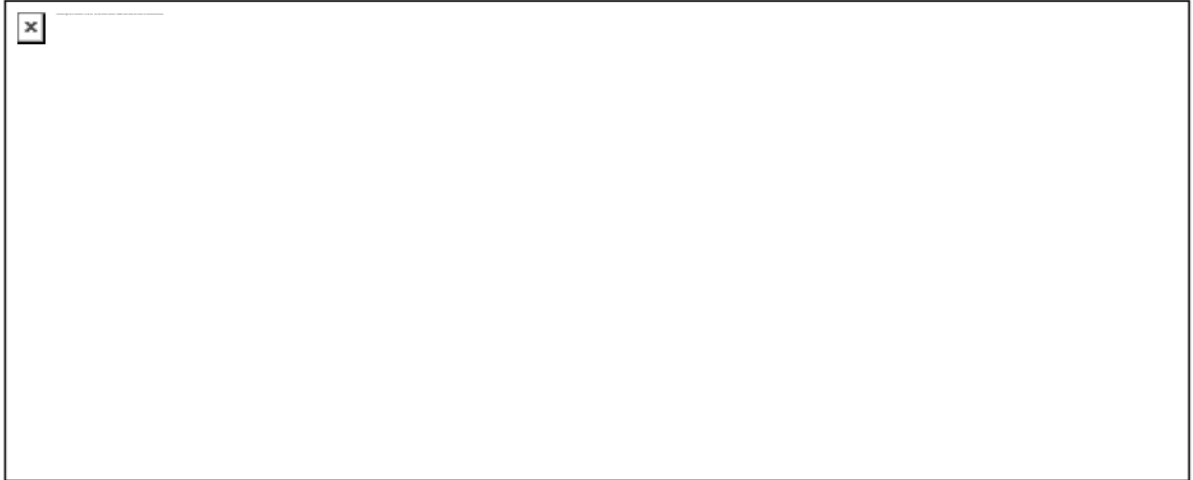
1. Go to the [Learning Center](#) site
2. Click on Learning Home



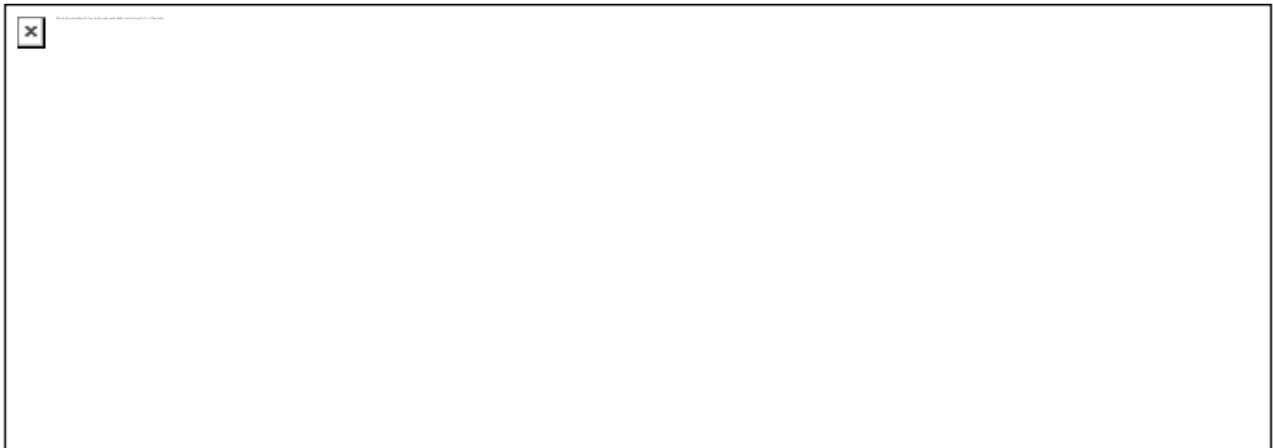
3. Search for the program in the Search for Learning tab: IM117



4. Click enroll:



5. Click submit enrollment at the bottom of the screen:



**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 11:47 AM  
**To:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX; Boelens, Robert GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Heads Up: Callers - fish farms

Hi there – just an FYI at this point but our MO is reporting that MSFs constituency office in Port Alberni appears to be the subject of a coordinated effort of telephone callers expressing their opinions against fish farms. They aren't asking for anything specific at this point of the minister.

Is MLPs office also getting these calls?

Our EA has government's high level bullets and is providing information as needed.

Cheers, Chris

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 12:02 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Review of professional reliance model to ensure public interest is protected



### Review of professional reliance model to ensure public interest is protected

The British Columbia government is conducting a review of the Province's professional reliance model to ensure the highest professional, technical and ethical standards are being applied to resource management in B.C.

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**From:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 12:00 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: FYI: Letter to Swanson Occupiers circulating on social media

FYI – we'll start to include you in these. Cheers, Chris

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**From:** Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:33 AM  
**To:** Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** FYI: Letter to Swanson Occupiers circulating on social media

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Swanson OccupationÂ

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## **MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 10:26 AM  
**To:** Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: 82435/Grizzly IB  
**Attachments:** IB Grizzly consultation\_draft 4.docx

FYI – this was in the look ahead for today as a new item. Consult on implementation of trophy hunt ban.

Info bulletin scheduled for 2pm from FLNRO.

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**From:** Croft, Robyn J GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:57 AM  
**To:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: 82435/Grizzly IB

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 2:02 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Government to consult on grizzly bear ban



### Government to consult on grizzly bear ban

British Columbians are being given the opportunity to provide input on new proposed grizzly bear regulations.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** GCPE HR GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 2:27 PM  
**To:** GCPE All Staff  
**Subject:** FOI Lead - Corporate Services Division - GCPE

Good afternoon,

GCPE is currently seeking an FOI Lead in our Corporate Services division. This position has been posted on the [BC Public Service Job Opportunities site](#).

We encourage GCPE staff who are interested in being considered for this role to apply directly to the [FOI Lead posting](#) no later than **October 10, 2017 at midnight**.

Thank you,  
GCPE Talent Services

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 12:26 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Joint NR today? HLTH-82498

FYI – this just came into corp cal for this afternoon.

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**From:** Croft, Robyn J GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 12:16 PM  
**To:** Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Thistle-Walker, Carlene GCPE:EX; Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX; McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Joint NR today? HLTH-82498

Hi there Laura, can you clarify who is **issuing** this Joint News Release? Is it joint with the ministry and is BC Cancer Agency issuing it?

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| HLTH-82493<br>created 9 minutes<br>ago | New | Today 2:00-<br>2:05 pm <b>TBC</b> | FIT test suspension (colon screening program)<br>The BC Cancer Agency is suspending the screening test for col<br>test (manufacturer issue). |
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**Release** ?

Release Time:

10/03/2017  2:00 PM PST

Origin:

Joint Ministry (HLTH) / 3rd party release ▾

Distribution:

Provincewide ▾

**Issue:** ☒

**Significance:**

Will mean that people need to wait for screening and could increase wait times.

Characters remaining: 421

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 3:05 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Glen Eden IN  
**Attachments:** IN\_Glen Eden.docx

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**From:** Fillion, Corinna GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 9:35 AM  
**To:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Glen Eden IN

FYI on this one. We had a call from Global about funding



## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 3:20 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Sisters In Spirt Vigils/ Red Dress Day

Yes please.

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 3:17 PM  
**To:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Sisters In Spirt Vigils/ Red Dress Day  
I'm in MHA. Could I pop by in 15-20 mins?

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 3, 2017, at 3:15 PM, Wood, Jessica IRR:EX <[Jessica.D.Wood@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jessica.D.Wood@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Fyi, Have a sec to chat?

**Jessica Wood** | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Scott Fraser | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 250-953-4103 | 778-587-2058 (Cell)

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**From:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 3, 2017 1:55 PM  
**To:** Lisun, Luba LASS:EX  
**Cc:** Larsen, Angela LASS:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Sisters In Spirt Vigils/ Red Dress Day  
Thank you Luba -  
Hi Angela, as it's tomorrow, I'm happy to answer any questions the speaker may have at their earliest convenience.

**Jessica Wood** | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Scott Fraser | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 250-953-4103

On Oct 3, 2017, at 11:10 AM, Lisun, Luba <[Luba.Lisun@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Luba.Lisun@leg.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Jessica,  
I have forwarded this to Angela Larsen in the Speaker's Office. Could you please follow up with her as approval must come from the Speaker and more information may need to be provided, as well as determining an appropriate location.

Thank you

Luba

**Luba Lisun**

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**From:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX [<mailto:Jessica.D.Wood@gov.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 03, 2017 8:41 AM

**To:** Lisun, Luba <[Luba.Lisun@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Luba.Lisun@leg.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** Sisters In Spirt Vigils/ Red Dress Day

Hi Luba,

I'm Minister Fraser's MA and I wanted to check in with you about a day we are hoping to recognize. It's Red Dress Day tomorrow and we'd like to hang a red dress to acknowledge missing and murdered Indigenous Women and wanted to see what the protocol was for doing so.

More information below:

**Sisters In Spirt Vigils/ Red Dress Day**

October 4th is a day where we honour the lives of Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women and Girls (MMIWG). Originally set by the Native Women's Association of Canada (NWAC) whose Sisters in Spirit project focused on research, education and policy to raise awareness about Violence against women in Canada. The annual Sisters in Spirt Vigils have become one way in which the ongoing epidemic of MMIWG is recognized, and those lost, honoured. More info here: <http://www.october4th.ca/> and here <https://www.nwac.ca/policy-areas/violence-prevention-and-safety/sisters-in-spirit/october-4th-vigils/>

One of the ways this day is marked was inspired by Metis artist Jaime Black who created The REDress Project seven years ago, describing it as an "aesthetic response" to the issue of violence against aboriginal women. She has since invited all Canadians to display their own red dresses to signal their support of indigenous women and to draw greater public attention.

More info here: <http://www.thereddressproject.org/> and here <http://www.ctvnews.ca/canada/red-dresses-seek-to-draw-attention-to-missing-murdered-aboriginal-women-1.2593772>

We encourage all to participate in any way they are able, including hanging a red dress for the day in a place that is visible to the public. Ideally outside.

**Jessica Wood** | Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Scott Fraser | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 250-953-4103

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

**From:** CIEM Branch ABR:EX  
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**Subject:** MIRR Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update: October 2

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**The following issues are included in this week's Critical Incidents and Emergency Management Update.  
Please scroll down to the report for specific details on each file.**

| Emergency Management Updates   | Critical Incidents Updates  |
|--|---|
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>NEW – No further updates expected. Hydraulic fluids leaked into Beatton River, northwest of Wonowon.</li></ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Fish Farm Occupations</li><li>Opposition to Kinder Morgan TMP</li><li>Unist'ot'en Camp – Blockade</li><li>Gitxsan Madii Lii – Blockade</li><li>Opposition to Site C</li><li>NEW – No further updates expected. s.16</li></ul> |

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|  | s.16<br><ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Semiahmoo – Archaeological concerns</li> </ul> |
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CIEM Branch is engaged in the following s.16 and managing and/or facilitating a coordinated response through engagement with line agencies, enforcement agencies, regional staff and other contacts. For more information, including any s.16 : not listed below please contact any member of the CIEM Branch: [CIEMBranch@gov.bc.ca](mailto:CIEMBranch@gov.bc.ca).

#### EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

| First Nation   | Situation  | Status Update  | Next Steps/Comments   |
|--|--|--|---|
| <b>FIRST NATIONS POTENTIALLY OR DIRECTLY IMPACTED</b>  |  |  |   |
| Blueberry River<br>Doig River<br>Halfway River<br>West Moberly<br>Dene Tha'<br>Horse Lake<br>New | Leak of hydraulic fluids into Beatton River due to a motor vehicle accident. | <p>On September 27<sup>th</sup>, a pumper truck left the roadway and rolled into the river at the Beatton River Bridge on Mile 135 Road, northwest of Wonowon.</p> <p>It was reported that an undetermined amount of hydraulic fluid, and not diesel, leaked into the river.</p> <p>An environmental response contractor continues to work on site clean-up and remediation. Blueberry River First Nations (BRFN) raised concerns initially; MOE and the environmental response contractor have been working with BRFN including conducting site tours with representatives to determine impacts of the spill.</p> | <p>CIEM Branch worked with EMBC and MOE to determine which First Nations were potentially impacted.</p> <p>MOE is overseeing the response and continues to share information with BRFN and other impacted First Nations.</p> <p>CIEM Branch will continue to work MOE and EMBC to ensure a coordinated response.</p> <p><b>No further updates expected.</b></p> |

#### CRITICAL INCIDENTS

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| First Nation | Issue and Key Contacts | Status Update | Response Update |
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| First Nation   | Issue and Key Contacts  | Status Update   | Response Update   |
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|  |   | legal obligation to act in the best interests of Coldwater Indian Band.   | s.16  |
| Unist'ot'en Camp   | <p><b>Opposition to pipelines and resource development through traditional territory.</b></p> <p><u>CI</u>: Ashlyn Schwaiger/Janice Franklin</p> <p><u>MAG</u>: Keith Phillips and Becky Black</p> <p><u>Lead</u>: MIRR/CIEM Branch</p> | <p>One blockade remains in place, with multiple gates blocking access over the Morice FSR 66km bridge.</p> <p>s.16</p> <p>Camp organizers continue to advertise and fundraise for their October work camp during which they plan to complete the construction of the healing centre. The work camp is scheduled for October 14<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup>.</p> | <p>CIEM Branch continues to work with MAG, Risk Management Branch, the LNG/Major Projects Action Plan group, and the s.16 s.16 to assess next steps. The LNG/Major Projects Action Plan group is working to revisit and s.16 s.16 ; no new direction has been received on this issue yet.</p> <p>EMPR and the First Nations LNG Alliance will facilitate discussions on LNG to enhance the prospects of developing an LNG Industry. Meetings will be held in Smithers, Fort St. John, Vancouver and Terrace between October 2<sup>nd</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>.</p> <p>s.16</p> |
| <p>Gitxsan</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Kispiox Mill Site Blockade (Nikate'en Wilp)</li> <li>Madii Lii Camp (Luutkudziwus Wilp)</li> </ul> | <p><b>Opposition to pipelines and resource development through traditional territory.</b></p> <p><u>CI</u>: Ashlyn Schwaiger/Janice Franklin</p> <p><u>MAG</u>: Keith Phillips/Becky Black</p> <p><u>Lead</u>: MIRR/CIEM Branch</p>     | <p>On September 25<sup>th</sup>, Nikate'en protesters agreed to leave the GDC-owned Kispiox Mill site. An information picket has been set up across the road but is not impacting GDC operations at the mill site. s.16 s.16</p> <p>s.16 . No further updates expected.</p> <p>The Madii Lii blockade remains in place.</p>   | <p>CIEM Branch will continue to share information with GCPE, MIRR Region, FLNR, and MAG s.16</p> <p>CIEM Branch is working with MAG, Risk Management Branch, the LNG Action Plan group, and the s.16 s.16</p> <p>s.16</p>   |
| Opposition to Site C   | <u>CI</u> : Ashlyn Schwaiger  | The BC Utilities Commission (BCUC) released their preliminary report on Site  | The Province, led by MIRR and EMPR with support from FLNR and MAG, will be  |

| First Nation                        | Issue and Key Contacts  | Status Update   | Response Update   |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|---|
| s.16                                | <p><u>MAG</u>: Erin Christie</p> <p><u>Lead</u>: MIRR/FLNR/BC Hydro</p> <p><u>Proponent</u>: BC Hydro</p> | <p>C on September 20<sup>th</sup> and has requested responses from BC Hydro and the public by October 1<sup>st</sup>. BCUC requested that several organizations remove an initial, uncensored version of the report from public websites. The final report is expected by November 1<sup>st</sup>.</p> <p>BCUC Community Input Sessions are ongoing. Separate sessions for First Nations have been scheduled in Prince George, Fort St. John, Vancouver, and Victoria.</p>            | <p>separately engaging Treaty 8 First Nations on Site C matters outside of the BCUC Inquiry Terms of Reference.</p> <p>s.16 , CIEM Branch is coordinating with MAG, EMPR, MOTI, GCPE, FLNR, Arch Branch, EAO, BC Hydros.16</p> <p>s.16 particularly in the wake of the BCUC final report and a Cabinet decision.</p>  |
| s.16                                | <p>Opposition to paying fees at s.16</p> <p><u>CI</u>: Stasia Ferbey/Ashlyn Schwaiger</p>                 | s.16  | <p>s.16</p> <p>s.16 . CIEM Branch is working with BC Parks on messaging regarding fees and a more robust staff safety protocol for BC Parks staff and contractors.</p> <p>BC Parks is committed to working on G2G relationships with First Nations in relation to the park.</p> <p>s.16</p>   |
| NEW<br>No further updates expected. |   |   |   |
| Semiahmoo                           | <p><b>Planned construction in possible archeological site.</b></p> <p><u>CI</u>: Stasia Ferbey</p>        | <p>On September 14<sup>th</sup>, Semiahmoo First Nation Leadership interrupted a ground-breaking ceremony for the City of White Rock's Memorial Park upgrade project. Semiahmoo leaders indicated that they have ethnographic evidence regarding an archaeological site at the park.</p> <p>The City has been in communication with Semiahmoo and a follow up meeting is scheduled for October 5<sup>th</sup>. The City hopes to commence construction on October 6<sup>th</sup>.</p> | <p>Arch Branch is working with MAG to determine whether the proposed project falls under provincial or federal jurisdiction. If federal, the <i>Heritage Conservation Act</i> does not apply, and there is no equivalent federal legislation. Arch Branch reports that under federal jurisdiction, the City would not require a permit though most archaeologists work to provincial standards.</p> <p>s.16</p> |

#### EVENTS

| Event Type | Issue | Location | Dates | Notes |
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| s.16                  | Site C         | Prince George, Fort St. John, Vancouver, Victoria | September 29 <sup>th</sup> , October 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 6 <sup>th</sup> and 11 <sup>th</sup> | Site C First Nations Input Sessions. Public are invited to attend however, speaking spots are available and pre-arranged only for First Nations. |
| s.16                  | Site C         | Vancouver and Nanaimo                             | October 5 <sup>th</sup> and 10 <sup>th</sup>  | Site C Inquiry community input sessions.   |
| Celebration/<br>Rally | Wild Salmon    | Vancouver to Adams Lake                           | October 7 <sup>th</sup> – 12 <sup>th</sup>  | Supporters will travel from Vancouver to Adams Lake, with several stops in between, during the 3 <sup>rd</sup> annual Wild Salmon Caravan.       |
| s.16                  | Salmon Farming | Hotel Grand Pacific, Victoria                     | October 10 <sup>th</sup>  | BC Salmon Farmers Association is hosting its Seafood West Conference and AGM. AGRI Minister and DFO Minister will be attending the event.        |

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**Attachments:** 230844 Attachment Table.xlsx; ATT00001.htm; 230844 EWN finfish aquaculture.doc; ATT00002.htm

A slightly old doc but still likely helpful

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**From:** Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX  
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**To:** Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; [don.wright@gov.bc.ca](mailto:don.wright@gov.bc.ca); Popham, Lana AGRI:EX  
**Cc:** Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Sheldan, Tim FLNR:EX; Caul, Doug D ABR:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: EWN on finfish aquaculture

Don/Geoff,

Sending on behalf of Tim Sheldan and I. This is the first of a few products (others will take a bit longer) that will be coming to you on fish farms.

Wes

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**Subject:** EWN on finfish aquaculture

Please find attached the requested note on finfish aquaculture including table attachment. Cheers,

Rudi Mayser  
Resource Manager, Authorizations  
FLNRORD, West Coast

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
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**Importance:** High

As discussed.

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Hi Ian,

Thanks for your help earlier. Attached is our IN on this issue. This incorporates feedback from both PHSA and your team. Can you let me know if it is good by you?

We will also likely use this as a statement to send to media, should anyone come to us. Any concerns?

"The ministry has been working closely with the Colon Screening Program, through the Provincial Health Services Authority, with the laboratories, the Agency for Pathology and Laboratory Medicine and with the manufacturer to resolve the testing issue.

"We will also continue to work with the program and with health authorities as we move forward, so that there are as few impacts to patients as possible, and we are able to mitigate any increase in wait times. It is very important to remember that screening is for people who do not have any symptoms and are not at a high risk of colon cancer. At any time, if you are at high risk of colon cancer or are experiencing any symptoms, please speak with your primary care provider right away."

Thx  
Laura

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Pamela's questions

Just a heads up that Pamela Fayerman has indeed contacted BC Cancer. Their spokes will speak to her. Her specific questions were:

- 1) How did this come to light?
- 2) How many tests are we talking about?
- 3) Is this a recent problem?
- 4) Are these only the BC tests, or the tests in other provinces as well?

**Laura Heinze**

Sr. Public Affairs Officer, Ministry of Health  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**Subject:** TODAY'S FINAL: 10 Day Corporate Look Ahead  
**Attachments:** Today's Final Look Ahead.pdf

Hello,

Attached is the latest draft of the **10 Day Corporate Look Ahead** which includes all known changes and updates.

**"New" and "Changed" tags on the Look Ahead are reset each morning and display next to all entries that were added or revised from the previous day's copy.**

### Tomorrow at-a-glance:

**Wednesday, October 4, 2017**

### Events, Speeches & Releases

| Wed Oct 4              | Lead | Activity/Details   | RLS           |
|------------------------|------|--|---------------|
| <b>Time TBD</b><br>NEW | FLNR | Information Bulletin only, regional -- BC Wildfire Service plans to burn Douglas fir beetle trap trees in the Prince George area. Timing: ASAP on approval   | BCGov<br>IB   |
| 9:30 am<br>NEW         | TAC  | News Release only, provincewide -- #ExploreBC this Thanksgiving Weekend: A prime opportunity for British Columbians to head out with friends and family discover their province and support local tourism businesses | BCGov<br>NR   |
| 11:00 am               | TAC  | Information Bulletin only, provincewide -- July Tourism Visitor Stats Released   | BCGov<br>IB   |
| 1:45 pm<br>CHANGED     | AG   | News Release, provincewide (time approx.) -- Hold for Legislation. <b>Media Avail to follow at 2:45pm in the Press Theatre.</b> Event Lead: Rick Devereux  | BCGov<br>NR   |
| 2:15 pm<br>NEW         | IRR  | Statement only, provincewide - Minister Fraser's Statement of support for Sisters in Spirit campaign (vigils honour families and friends of missing and murdered women)  | BCGov<br>STMT |
| 2:45 pm<br>CHANGED     | MH   | <b>Hold for Minister's Statement at 2:45pm responding to report from Representative for Children and Youth:</b> Followed by 3:15pm media teleconference  | BCGov<br>STMT |

Thanks,  
Robyn Croft, Manager  
BC Government Corporate Calendar

GCPE Cabinet Priorities, Strategic Communications Division  
250 778 698-3498 or 250 812-4589

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**Subject:** FW: PHC-MDABC (Mood Disorders) partnership Dec. 2014

Hi – Here are a couple of older issues notes on the mood disorders matter.  
Thanks,  
Lori

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 5:35 PM  
**To:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
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**Subject:** Duncan overdose prevention site - community open house  
**Attachments:** KM\_Duncan OPS community meeting\_03OCT17\_FINAL.DOCX; Cowichan OPS Open House\_2017-10-04.pdf; IB\_Cowichan OPS Open House Oct 2017.docx; IN\_Duncan OPU.DOCX

Hi all,

A heads up that Island Health had planned a small neighbourhood event in Cowichan on Oct. 5 to address concerns of businesses located next to the overdose prevention site in Duncan. It was intended for the neighbours in close proximity to the site. Yesterday, they became aware that the invitation had been widely circulated on social media. Because of the increased interest from the community, they have postponed the event and rescheduled two open houses for October 19th.

They let neighbours know about the new dates today by distributing a handout (see attached) and tomorrow morning at 9 a.m. they will release this information bulletin (attached) to Cowichan-specific media outlets. They also distributed a notice today through social media about the expanded event.

We have attached some draft key messages for Minister Darcy, should they be required.

Thanks,  
Sarah.

Sarah Plank  
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Meaghan & Sarah,

This email will be CLIFFed and handled by Corp Ops in the usual way. It has been sent to a number of Ministers, including Minister Darcy.

However, I am forwarding to you given the writer's final paragraph and the potential that she will be "going public" with this story.

**Mary Kelly**

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:07 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Status Update on the Ombudsperson Report  
**Attachments:** Status Update Ombudsperson Report - October 4, 2017.pdf; Status Update on Progress Toward Recommendations.pdf; Message to All Employees Regarding the Status Update.pdf

Will be posted today between 3:00 and 3:30pm

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**From:** Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 5:08 PM  
**To:** Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Currie, David GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Status Update on the Ombudsperson Report

Here is the report. I checked with DW's office and no one who is still there could tell me when it would be public. I'll send Keira a note.

### Robyn Spilker

Senior Ministerial Assistant  
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier  
250-952-7627

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**From:** Higgins, Keira PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 4:00 PM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX; Avendano, Christian AVED:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX; Cheevers, Michael LBR:EX; Cooling, Karen PREM:EX; Currie, Kathie PREM:EX; Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX; Dycke, Cassandra HLTH:EX; Frampton, Caelie PREM:EX; Gardea, Daniela CSCD:EX; Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX; Godfrey, Sam AG:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Harder, Derrick PREM:EX; Harrison, Veronica PSSG:EX; Henry, Molly PREM:EX; Iliffe, Liam PREM:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; Louie, Jacqueline JTST:EX; Maartman, William EDUC:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; McNish, James EMPR:EX; Milne, Gala AG:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Papadopoulos, James AEST:EX; Perry, Alisma, TRAN:EX; Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX; Riley, Karl CITZ:EX; Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX; Sali, Meghan JTT:EX; Sanderson, Melissa MEM:EX; Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Smith, George AG:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX; Squance, Leah PREM:EX; Talbot, Sarena MCF:EX; Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX; Vdovine, Stepan PREM:EX; Winstanley, Lori PSSG:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** BCPSA Agency DMC List  
**Subject:** Status Update on the Ombudsperson Report

*Good afternoon,*

*Please ensure your respective Minister receives the attached letter and corresponding attachments sent on behalf of Deputy Minister Don Wright.*

*Thanks,*

**Keira Higgins, Executive Administrative Coordinator**  
Office of the Premier, Deputy Minister  
272 West Annex, Parliament Buildings | Victoria, BC | V8V 1X4

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Gallant, Linda GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 4:38 PM  
**To:** GCPE All Staff  
**Cc:** Nash, Amber PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX  
**Subject:** GCPE All Staff Phone List - effective October 10, 2017  
**Attachments:** GCPE\_All Staff Phone List\_Oct 10 2017.xlsx; GCPE\_All Staff Phone List\_Oct 10 2017.pdf

Good afternoon,

Please find attached an updated All Staff Telephone List effective October 10th for your reference. This list has been revised to reflect recently announced staffing changes.

If there are errors or information that is out of date, or distribution list issues, please notify me as soon as possible to have this corrected.

In addition, please ensure that old phone lists are shredded and not sent to the garbage or recycle bins.

Note: PDF version attached for a quicker read on mobile device.

Have a wonderful Thanksgiving Weekend!

Linda

Linda Gallant  
Facilities Services Advisor  
GCPE – HQ  
4<sup>th</sup> Floor, 617 Govt St  
Victoria BC V8W 9V1

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 4:35 AM  
**To:** van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Forbes, Brooke GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; Peaker, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Access to MAID  
**Attachments:** MLA letter 031017.docx; IN\_New\_MAI\_D\_fees\_Aug\_28\_2017\_FINAL.docx

So this is an issue with MAiD on the Island....not sure how this would be sorted out re: lead MA (seniors/Island/doctor fees) so looping you all in

We have a note on the fees – attached here and I have flagged for Island that their doc did this using their letterhead.

### Kristy Anderson

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[Kristy.Anderson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Kristy.Anderson@gov.bc.ca)

**From:** Robertson, David W (Dr) <[William.Robertson@viha.ca](mailto:William.Robertson@viha.ca)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, October 03, 2017 3:35 PM  
**To:** Leonard.MLA, Ronna-Rae LASS:EX; Furstenau.MLA, Sonia LASS:EX; Horgan.MLA, John LASS:EX; Fraser.MLA, Scott LASS:EX; Krog.MLA, Leonard LASS:EX; Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX; Trevena.MLA, Claire F LASS:EX; Weaver.MLA, Andrew LASS:EX; Stilwell.MLA, Michelle LASS:EX; Olsen.MLA, Adam LASS:EX; Popham.MLA, Lana LASS:EX; James.MLA, Carole A LASS:EX; Fleming.MLA, Rob LASS:EX  
**Cc:** Beuthin, Rosanne; XT:Cosgrave, Lois HLTH:IN; Blythe, Nancy HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Access to MAID

Dear MLA,

I have attached a letter giving you some background for why some of you have been contacted by constituents who cannot find a provider for MAID in their community.

If any of you are looking for further information please do not hesitate to get in touch with me by any of the routes below. If you would like me to come and talk to a group of you (or other MLAs) then please contact me.

Dr. W. David Robertson FRCPC  
Executive Medical Director  
Geography 3—Laboratory Medicine, Pharmacy, Medical Imaging  
Phone—250 737 2030 Ext. 44108  
Cell – 250 715 8277 [william.robertson@viha.ca](mailto:william.robertson@viha.ca)  
Administrative Assistant Carolyn Jenkinson 27635

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 12:14 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Requests to be Published  
**Attachments:** IN\_FOI\_Mental\_Health\_Substance\_Use\_Beds\_4OCT17\_FINAL.DOCX; ATT00001.htm; HTH-2017-72262 - Response - Partial Disclosure - REVISED.DOCX; ATT00002.htm

M.  
[12508892994](#)

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX" <[Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 12:12:20 PM PDT  
**To:** "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX" <[Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX" <[Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca)>, "Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX" <[Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** FW: Requests to be Published

Hi, Meaghan – Last Friday there was an FOI released. Below are more details on the request, and attached is an IN should it be needed, along with an FOI analysis document, which is helpful for additional background.

HTH-2017-72262 - For the fiscal years 2011-2012, 2012-2013, 2013-2014, 2014-2015, 2015-2016 and 2016-2017, in a format similar to HTH-2016-63456, a detailed facilities report/inventory for all publicly funded mental health and substance use beds/units, including: Type/classification/client category of bed/unit; Legislation it falls under e.g. CCALA, Residential Tenancy Act, etc.; The number of beds/units by facility/provider; Ownership - non-profit, for-profit, public; Health Authority region; Municipality; Funding source if available; Client volume broken down by absolute client count and on a per capita basis; Clarification of whether any of these beds/spaces are also counted in BC Housing's annual count/inventory, and which ones.

Applicant Type: Interest Group

Thanks,

Lori

**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 3:45 PM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Forbes, Brooke GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; Peaker, Alex GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: IN\_PediatricSurgicalWaitTimes\_04Oct2017  
**Attachments:** IN\_PediatricSurgicalWaitTimes\_04Oct2017.doc

Jas – thinking this one falls to you under surgical waits .... See the flag below from FH.  
We will add this to the ministers Daily for tomorrow morning. As you know Minister Darcy has been vocal on this topic.

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Please find attached an Issues Note related to a child requiring myringotomy surgery (ear tubes). The mother has written to the Minister of Health concerned about how long it will take for the child to get his surgery.

Let us know if you have any questions.

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 3:52 PM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** NH Privacy Breach -- letter and note  
**Attachments:** 20170922-IN-Haida Gwaii privacy breach (corr-final) Sep 25 update.docx; 2017-09-26 HG Terrace Breach Notification Letter Draft v2 (003).docx

Hi there,

Looping you in on this one – a casual Northern Health employee has been found to have inappropriately accessed patient records. NH has conducted an investigation, and the employee has been terminated. Attached is their IN on that issue, as well as a letter that will be going out to all of the patients whose records are found to have been inappropriately accessed.

Any questions, please let me know.

Thx  
Laura

**Laura Heinze**

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778-698-7122 cell: 250-213-1824  
[Laura.Heinze@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Laura.Heinze@gov.bc.ca)



## **MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:00 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: The Daily - Oct 05\_0855  
**Attachments:** The Daily - Oct 05\_0855.docx

Here you are as well.

### **Kristy Anderson**

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**From:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:54 AM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** The Daily - Oct 05\_0855

Adding in MAiD Fees noting the letter sent from an Island Health physician to MLAs.

### **Stephen May**

**GCPE – Health**  
Phone: 250 952 3401  
Cell: 250 888 9879

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 3:14 PM  
**To:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Andrew Weaver introduces bill to ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve land over five acres  
**Attachments:** Andrew Weaver introduces bill to ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve land over five acres.pdf

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**From:** Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 3:10 PM  
**To:** Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Andrew Weaver introduces bill to ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve land over five acres

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**From:** Oliver, Jillian [<mailto:Jillian.Oliver@leg.bc.ca>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 1:39 PM  
**Subject:** Andrew Weaver introduces bill to ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve land over five acres

## B.C. GREEN CAUCUS

For immediate release  
October 5, 2017

### **Andrew Weaver introduces bill to ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve land over five acres**

VICTORIA, B.C. - Andrew Weaver, leader of the B.C. Green Party, reintroduced a bill that would ban foreign ownership on Agricultural Land Reserve (ALR) land over five acres. Weaver first introduced the bill in February 2016.

"B.C.'s Agricultural Land Reserve is vital for promoting our province's food security and growing our agricultural sector," said Weaver.

"Today I am reintroducing a bill that would prohibit foreign entities from purchasing ALR land over five acres.

"B.C. currently imports 70% of its vegetables from the United States, with half of that coming from California. With these regions increasingly experiencing extreme weather events such as droughts and floods, it is more important than ever that B.C. take the future of our food security seriously. Moreover, agriculture presents a significant economic opportunity for B.C. Our thriving wine industry alone has a \$2.8 billion economic impact, generating 12,000 jobs throughout the province.

“One of the key reasons why young people are unable to pursue farming is due to the cost of land. By allowing ALR land to be subject to international real estate speculation, we are limiting their opportunities to get into this vital, sustainable industry.

“Alberta, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Quebec and PEI have all passed similar legislation to protect their agricultural land. This leaves B.C. as the only western province without such a law. It's time we took action on this important issue so that we can ensure that ALR land is used as it is intended - to offer opportunities to local communities across the province and to promote the overall food security of our province.”

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Kelly, Mary P MH:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 9:15 AM  
**To:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: BIA Letter Response  
**Attachments:** 7 - 2017.09.29 MHA - BIA Letter Response - FINAL.docx; Mental Health and Addictions Table of Contents.docx

I understand that GCPE will now be doing the retype of the Minister's QP binder, which is waiting for you to collect from our office.

Alex MacDonald sent the final copy of the BIA letter response for the QP binder to me, which I am now forwarding to you to ensure it is included in your updates. Alex has also provided some direction on how the Minister likes the pages to be arranged.

Regards,

**Mary Kelly**

Administrative Assistant  
Ministry of Mental Health & Addictions  
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Ph: 250-952-7623

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:16 AM  
**To:** Kelly, Mary P MH:EX  
**Subject:** BIA Letter Response

Hi Mary,

Here is a final copy of the BIA Letter Response for the QP binder.

I've also attached the table of contents that we were using.

Also, one other thing – because many of these are two-pagers (and potentially three) I would like for the first page to be hole-punched on the right-hand side so that the minister can have two pages open on the same issue at the same time in her binder.

Thanks.

-Alex

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 2:00 PM  
**To:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; Wade, Debbie HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Prince George Hallway Issue -- KMs  
**Attachments:** KM\_Prince George hallway psychiatric patient\_04Oct17\_DRAFT.docx

Here are the KMs for the PG hallway issue.

Thanks,

Lori

Lori Cascaden  
Communications Manager  
Ministry of Mental Health and Addictions  
[778-698-2892](tel:778-698-2892) (office)  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 2:01 PM  
**To:** Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Ministry Contact Info  
**Attachments:** MO Staff List - Oct 06.docx; ATT00001.htm

Matt Hannah  
778.584.1249

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Clark, Layne PREM:EX" <[Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 6, 2017 at 1:58:38 PM PDT  
**To:** LP Ministerial Assistants <[LPMAs@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca](mailto:LPMAs@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca)>, LP Executive Assistants <[LPEAS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca](mailto:LPEAS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** LP Premiers Vancouver Office <[LPPVO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca](mailto:LPPVO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca)>, LP PO Executive Office <[LPPOEO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca](mailto:LPPOEO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Ministry Contact Info

Hi All,  
Please see attached most up to date contact information list.  
Thank you,  
Layne

## **MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 7:56 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** The Daily - Health - Oct 04\_0755  
**Attachments:** The Daily - Oct 04\_0755.docx

Here is today's Daily Issues Update for October 4 – including lines on the suspension of FIT tests for colon cancer

Stephen May  
GCPE – Health  
Phone: 250 952 3401  
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## **MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:27 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** The Daily - Health - Oct 05\_0820  
**Attachments:** The Daily - Oct 05\_0820.docx

Here is today's Daily top issues for the Ministry of Healht

We received a heads-up that Roundhouse Radio is going to release an "exclusive" about elder abuse in Burnaby at 10:00 a.m. – since that's also QP time – we've added elder abuse messaging just in case.

Stephen May  
GCPE – Health  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:58 AM  
**To:** Hughes, Doug J HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX; Glynn, Keva HLTH:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park

Much appreciated!

Thanks all,

M.  
[12508892994](#)

On Oct 5, 2017, at 11:55 AM, Hughes, Doug J HLTH:EX <[Doug.Hughes@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Doug.Hughes@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

We will assign to MOH for response thru the HA with a report back this PM on the situation.

Sent from my BlackBerry 10 smartphone on the TELUS network.

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:47 AM  
**To:** Hughes, Doug J HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park

Sorry meant to copy you Doug!

MJD wants to ensure person is getting MH supports & wants some background. See below email.

M.  
[12508892994](#)

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX" <[Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 11:44:55 AM PDT  
**To:** "Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX" <[Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca)>, "Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX" <[Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca)>, "MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX" <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)>, "Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX" <[Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park

MJD would like an urgent briefing on this situation & to ensure person is receiving mental health crisis support vs police.

M.

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Darcy, Judy MH:EX" <[Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 9:55:34 AM PDT  
**To:** "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX"  
<[Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca)>, "Lindsay-Baugh, Anna  
MHA:EX" <[Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from  
Porpoise Bay Park**

Please talk to health about this asap - eviction of someone from a  
park with MH issues.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Heyman, George PREM:EX"  
<[George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 8:41:03 AM PDT  
**To:** "Darcy, Judy MH:EX"  
<[Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca)>, "Simpson, Shane  
PREM:EX" <[Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual  
from Porpoise Bay Park**

Any comment/concern. The person is in park under  
this policy:  
[http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/fees/disability.ht  
ml](http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/fees/disability.html)

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX"  
<[Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 7:42:12  
AM PDT  
**To:** "Heyman, George PREM:EX"  
<[George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Frampton, Caelie PREM:EX"  
<[Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca)>,  
"Xia, Eveline ENV:EX"  
<[Eveline.Xia@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Eveline.Xia@gov.bc.ca)>,  
"Standen, Jim ENV:EX"  
<[Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Eviction of Unsafe**

**Individual from Porpoise Bay  
Park**

Minister:

Please let us know if you have any questions. Normal process is to provide the MO a heads-up on these types of issues before actioning.

Regards, Mark

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Standen, Jim ENV:EX"  
<[Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe  
Individual from Porpoise Bay  
Park  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 5:30:55  
PM PDT  
**To:** "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX"  
<[Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca)>

Mark,

Before I responded to Jennie I wanted to give you head up about this emerging situation in Porpoise Bay. The acting RD and I support the move to evict this person for public safety reasons as recommended by the health authority.

Jim

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Aikman,  
Jennie S ENV:EX"  
<[Jennie.Aikman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jennie.Aikman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 4,  
2017 at 3:59:53 PM  
PDT  
**To:** "Standen, Jim  
ENV:EX"

<Jim.Standen@gov.b  
c.ca>

**Cc:** "Cadden, Don  
ENV:EX"

<Don.Cadden@gov.b  
c.ca>

**Subject: Eviction of  
Unsafe Individual  
from Porpoise Bay  
Park**

Hi Jim and Don,

We have an individual who has been staying in the Porpoise Bay Park campground under a disability permit and has exceeded the 14 day stay.

The Park Operator issued an eviction notice today after several requests that the individual leave the park. At this point, she has been in the park approximately 18 days. When issued the eviction notice, the individual became very aggressive with the PO.

Rod has consulted with the individual's social worker and a mental health worker from Vancouver Coastal Health and they both are recommending her eviction from the park by the RCMP as they are concerned she poses a risk to park visitors and staff.

We have inquired and they do not have a plan for this individual going forward, I gather they have exhausted their options.

I am checking in with you to confirm you are okay with us contacting the RCMP to proceed with the eviction. I believe this to be the best course of action at this time, and so recommend that we proceed.

Please advise if you have any questions or concerns.

Jennie

Sent from my iPhone

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 2:30 PM  
**To:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Subject:** Flagging  
**Attachments:** 915352077848649728; ATT00001.htm

**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 12:15 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Wine  
**Attachments:** IN NAFTA BC Wine Grocery Stores\_3 Oct FINAL.DOCX

In case you don't have this already

Meghan McRae  
Communications Director,  
Ministry of Agriculture  
Government Communications and Public Engagement  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 1:07 PM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; Forbes, Brooke GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; Peaker, Alex GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Heads upCBC asking about out of country coverage

Just FYI that CBC is asking general questions about out of country coverage.....we suspect it is related to Las Vegas but they did not say.

We let them know there was info on our webpage and to let us know if they had questions. They have not come back to us. I don't think we want the MOH stepping into this one just yet. Let me know if you feel otherwise and we can always adjust. Below is what is on the website.

### Out-of-Country Emergency Medical Care

The cost of medical care outside Canada can be much higher than the amounts payable by MSP and extended health care plans. For complete protection, additional medical insurance should be purchased from a private insurance company, even if you only plan to leave the country for a day. Check the exclusions and limitations of your private insurance policy carefully to ensure that the policy meets your personal needs.

If you have extended health benefits through your employer you should contact them to determine the policy provisions prior to purchasing additional medical insurance.

When you receive medical services outside Canada (or in some instances outside B.C.), you will need to claim reimbursement from MSP using an Out of Country Claim Form. The completed form should be returned with:

- an itemized account, including the dates of service and details of services performed, and
- either the unpaid bills or the original receipts if the bills have been paid.

**Note:** Out of Country claims must be submitted within 90 days of the date of service. In-patient hospital claims (and any associated medical claims) must be submitted within six months of discharge.

Payment for physician services will be issued in Canadian funds only and will be paid at the same rate that would have been paid if the services were received in B.C.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:45 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FW: REMINDER: today's QP Prep

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**From:** McCaffrey, Julianne GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:41 AM  
**To:** Hughes, Trevor LBR:EX; Cooling, Karen PREM:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: REMINDER: today's QP Prep

I circled back with my colleague from HLTH and she was unaware that it was being punted to them, but she's also fine with it. Our messaging is aligned.

Their messages

### Health Care Assistants - Workplace Violence

Background - Health care assistants, including frontline caregivers in homes and residential care facilities, held a conference on workplace safety on October 3rd. At the conference it was stated that health-care assistants have the highest risk of on-the-job injury in the province. Workplace violence was stated as one of the reasons for this.

- All health-care providers deserve to work in violence-free workplaces, despite the very real risk of violence many face when caring for vulnerable individuals.
- This is something I firmly believe and earlier this year signed the BC Nurses' Union pledge to make workplaces safer.
- We are committed to making workplaces safer for people and working closely with frontline staff, health authorities, WorkSafeBC, SafeCare BC, Doctors of BC and unions, including the Hospital Employees' Union and the Health Sciences Association, to develop specific strategies to reduce and prevent violence.
- Part of this will be delivering a provincial policy framework that builds on the \$37-million Health and Safety in Action initiative and its investment in a province-wide violence prevention education program.
- The policy framework will aim to improve injury reporting systems, provide more effective violence prevention training, and create greater accountability for policies and practices among all public and private health employers.
- In addition the Ministry and Nurses' Bargaining Association continue to invest in making high-risk sites safer, providing \$6 million in combined funding to support violence prevention at 10 high-risk sites

### Supporting Facts

- The people working to care for British Columbians provide over 30-million health services to patients each year; 0.01 per cent of those interactions involve violence.
- While this figure may seem small, the number of reported violent incidents for all health-care workers has steadily increased by 18 per cent over the past four years:
  - From 210 reported violent incidents per month to 248 reported incidents per month as of early 2017 (Source: Workplace Health Indicator Tracking and Evaluation database).
  - Over the same period, time-loss claims related to violent incidents have increased three per cent:
    - From 0.64 per 100 full-time equivalent (FTE) employees to 0.66 per 100 FTE employees.
- Typically, these incidents have been under-reported in the past and it is our goal to ensure they get reported and addressed, and that associated time away from work decreases long-term.

- All health authorities offer violence prevention training to staff and physicians working in areas with increased exposure to violence such as mental health units, emergency departments, and residential care facilities.
- The Ministry of Health requires health authorities to assess the risk for violence and aggression in all facilities, and ensure there are associated safety plans and programs in place.
- The provincial Occupation Health, Safety and Violence Prevention Committee works with the regional violence prevention committees in each health authority to help guide location-specific programs.
- Every health authority has a standardized Code White response protocol and response teams that are used to defuse potentially dangerous situations and help protect staff, patients and bystanders.

**From:** Hughes, Trevor LBR:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:34 AM  
**To:** McCaffrey, Julianne GCPE:EX; Cooling, Karen PREM:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: REMINDER: today's QP Prep  
Do we have any topics? Did the health violence item get moved to Health?  
Thanks.  
T.

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**From:** McCaffrey, Julianne GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:28 AM  
**To:** Hughes, Trevor LBR:EX; Cooling, Karen PREM:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** REMINDER: today's QP Prep  
Will be a couple minutes late for QP Prep. I have a 11:00-12noon meeting and will hussle right over, but it's about a 10 min walk.

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Julianne McCaffrey  
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**To:** Singh, Jasmyrn HLTH:EX  
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**Subject:** RE: IN\_PediatricSurgicalWaitTimes\_04Oct2017

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**Subject:** FW: IN\_PediatricSurgicalWaitTimes\_04Oct2017

Jas – thinking this one falls to you under surgical waits .... See the flag below from FH.  
We will add this to the ministers Daily for tomorrow morning. As you know Minister Darcy has been vocal on this topic.

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Let us know if you have any questions.

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 1:07 PM  
**To:** Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park

Absolutely. Health might know more too

M  
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On Oct 5, 2017, at 1:00 PM, Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX <[Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Tamara.Casanova@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Meaghan,  
The Ministry is looking into this, however there are no identifying factors for the client.  
If we can get something, I will have someone contact the HA right away. Are you OK if we contact ENV for details?

Thanks,  
Tamara

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:45 AM  
**To:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Casanova, Tamara HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park  
MJD would like an urgent briefing on this situation & to ensure person is receiving mental health crisis support vs police.  
M.

Meaghan Thumath, RN, BScN, MScPH, PhD(c.)  
Senior Ministerial Assistant, Minister's Office  
Ministry of Mental Health and Addictions  
Government of British Columbia  
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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Darcy, Judy MH:EX" <[Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 9:55:34 AM PDT  
**To:** "Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX" <[Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meaghan.Thumath@gov.bc.ca)>, "Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX" <[Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Anna.LindsayBaugh@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** Urgent - Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park

Please talk to health about this asap - eviction of someone from a park with MH issues.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Heyman, George PREM:EX"  
<[George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 8:41:03 AM PDT  
**To:** "Darcy, Judy MH:EX" <[Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Judy.Darcy@gov.bc.ca)>, "Simpson, Shane PREM:EX" <[Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park**

Any comment/concern. The person is in park under this policy:  
<http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/fees/disability.html>

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX"  
<[Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 5, 2017 at 7:42:12 AM PDT  
**To:** "Heyman, George PREM:EX"  
<[George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:George.Heyman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Frampton, Caelie PREM:EX"  
<[Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca)>, "Xia, Eveline ENV:EX" <[Eveline.Xia@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Eveline.Xia@gov.bc.ca)>, "Standen, Jim ENV:EX" <[Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park**

Minister:

Please let us know if you have any questions.

Normal process is to provide the MO a heads-up on these types of issues before actioning.

Regards, Mark

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**From:** "Standen, Jim ENV:EX"  
<[Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Fwd: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park**  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 5:30:55 PM PDT  
**To:** "Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX"  
<[Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mark.Zacharias@gov.bc.ca)>  
Mark,

Before I responded to Jennie I wanted to give you head up about this emerging situation in Porpoise Bay. The acting RD and I support the move to evict this person for public safety reasons as recommended by the health authority.  
Jim

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Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "Aikman, Jennie S ENV:EX"  
<[Jennie.Aikman@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jennie.Aikman@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 3:59:53 PM PDT  
**To:** "Standen, Jim ENV:EX"  
<[Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jim.Standen@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Cadden, Don ENV:EX"  
<[Don.Cadden@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Don.Cadden@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject: Eviction of Unsafe Individual from Porpoise Bay Park**

Hi Jim and Don,

We have an individual who has been staying in the Porpoise Bay Park campground under a disability permit and has exceeded the 14 day stay.

The Park Operator issued an eviction notice today after several requests that the individual leave the park. At this point, she has been in the park approximately 18 days. When issued the eviction notice, the individual became very aggressive with the PO.

Rod has consulted with the individual's social worker and a mental health worker from Vancouver Coastal Health and they both are recommending her eviction from the park by the RCMP as they are concerned she poses a risk to park visitors and staff.

We have inquired and they do not have a plan for this individual going forward, I gather they have

exhausted their options.

I am checking in with you to confirm you are okay with us contacting the RCMP to proceed with the eviction. I believe this to be the best course of action at this time, and so recommend that we proceed.

Please advise if you have any questions or concerns.

Jennie

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 1:25 PM  
**To:** Shoemaker, Wes AGRI:EX; Mack, James AGRI:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: New? Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council Question Who is Protecting Who?

Latest.

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**From:** "Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX" <[Leanne.Ritchie@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Leanne.Ritchie@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 1:20:47 PM PDT  
**To:** "Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX" <[Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca)>, "Grimes, Melissa IRR:EX" <[Melissa.Grimes@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Melissa.Grimes@gov.bc.ca)>, "Ferbey, Stasia IRR:EX" <[Stasia.Ferbey@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Stasia.Ferbey@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Cowan, Cale GCPE:EX" <[Cale.Cowan@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Cale.Cowan@gov.bc.ca)>, "Hill, Edward GCPE:EX" <[Edward.Hill@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Edward.Hill@gov.bc.ca)>, "Sitter, Donna GCPE:EX" <[Donna.Sitter@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Donna.Sitter@gov.bc.ca)>, "McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX" <[Caroline.McAndrews@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Caroline.McAndrews@gov.bc.ca)>, "Boelens, Robert GCPE:EX" <[Robert.Boelens@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Robert.Boelens@gov.bc.ca)>, "McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX" <[McRae.McRae@gov.bc.ca](mailto:McRae.McRae@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** New? Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council Question Who is Protecting Who?

This was posted an hour ago on the Swanson occupation facebook page and Cleansing Our Waters. But it's dated yesterday. It looks new to me.

Leanne

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE  
October 3, 2017

Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council Question Who is Protecting Who?  
In Full Support Of the Fish Farm Occupation, Call Upon Senior RCMP To Intervene

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Campbell River, BC - October 3, 2017 - In the view of the Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council (MDTC), the Royal Canadian Mounted Police (RCMP) are working with Marine Harvest to shut down a public protest by our First Nation peoples within our Title lands. They have neglected any of the occupiers' safety concerns, and have recently arrested one of the nations' hereditary leaders. These actions indicate the RCMP are appearing to be in cahoots with industry.

The Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council fully supports the occupation of the Midsummer Island fish farm by its members, and others there in support. Let it be known that the people on the front lines are there with the blessing of both the nations' political & hereditary chiefs and their communities, both on and off reserve.

Marine Harvest fish farms have been occupied by members of the Musgamagw nations for the last month, including their sites at Wicklow and Midsummer Island. They have indicated that they will remain so until the industry has removed all open-net farm sites from their traditional waters. Midsummer is a main point of contention as Marine Harvest is midway through restocking. If this is allowed to proceed, it will allow the company to be there past the expiry of their current license of occupation. Essentially, if DFO and the Provincial Government allow this to happen they are unofficially renewing those licenses, without the consent of the MDTC membership.

To date, the RCMP have not yet responded to an incident involving Marine Harvest workers armed with knives arbitrarily confiscating a banner owned by the occupiers on September 27th. We are utterly disappointed in the recent RCMP conduct where a Hereditary Chief was arrested in relationship to a small length of rope. The Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council is hereby requesting a meeting with the top level of Senior RCMP officials to rectify this absurd situation.

About the Musgamagw Dzawada'enuxw Tribal Council:

The MDTC is an umbrella organization that comprises of the Dzawada'enuxw First Nation (DFN), the Kwikwasutinuxw Haxwa'mis First Nation (KHFN) and Gwawaenuk Tribe, providing direction and support for the political, social, cultural and economic needs of the individual communities with respect and unity for the individual and collective tribe vision.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:58 AM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Ear case from summer

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### Fraser Health – Pediatric patient surgical wait times

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### Supporting facts

- As of July 31, 2017 there are 84,159 patients currently on surgical waitlists compared to 83,351 as of July 31, 2016.
- 4,017 patients were waiting more than 52 weeks at the end of July 31, 2017, up from 3,540 in 2016.

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**From:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:20 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Subject:** RE: RCY report  
**Attachments:** SN\_statement for media avail\_RCY Report\_03OCT17\_FINAL\_7am.docx

Here you go Alex.

-----Original Message-----

From: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
Sent: Thursday, October 5, 2017 11:17 AM  
To: Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
Cc: Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX; Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
Subject: RCY report

Could you flip me the speaking notes MJD used yesterday?

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 9:29 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** RE: QP Note for Today

**Importance:** High

This is wrong

- Higher than normal positive results from the testing indicated the possibility of false negatives.

Its false positive that are indicated – no false negatives. There is no concerns of someone being missed.

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**To:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** RE: QP Note for Today

Here's the draft for PJH's binder.  
Anything else to add before I submit?

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 7:46 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note for Today

Thx. Our latest messaging will be in our daily issues summary. We will send that shortly.

Kristy Anderson  
778.678.5200

On Oct 4, 2017, at 7:43 AM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

The premier's binder for QP today will be including a QP note on the FIT suspension.

**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:08 AM  
**To:** Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Better Services  
**Attachments:** 2017.09.19 QP - Improved Services - Final.docx

Good morning!

Please find attached a note on improved services delivered by our government that can be added/updated in your ministers' QP binders.

Don't hesitate to call if you have any questions.

Best,

Sheila Matthen  
Issues Management | 250-893-5218

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 3:07 PM  
**To:** van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX; Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; Lawrie, Hannah GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Roundhouse interview

Summary of the roundhouse elder abuse story below. We are seeing if program/FH have more details.

Kristy Anderson  
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<http://cirh2.streamon.fm/listen-pl-12453>

Ralph Fairbrother, a 97 year-old resident of George Derby, passed away on Sept. 25, 2017.

According to an Oct. 5, 2017 interview with Roundhouse Radio and Fairbrother's granddaughter Chloe Fairbrother, Ralph died of injuries following a punch to the head from another resident. The altercation took place on Sept. 25 but Ralph was not taken to the hospital until found unconscious three days later. Chloe says the doctors told her they were shocked by the amount of medication Ralph had been taking.

Chloe said while the coroner is still determining the cause of death, they have been told Ralph did not die from natural causes and the RCMP are investigating. Chloe said a family member was approached by a worker at George Derby who told her the facility was trying to cover-up the death.

Ralph and his wife were both residents of George Derby, and Ralph had dementia. When his wife passed away on Aug 11, Ralph became confused and agitated, visiting other rooms and accusing people of killing his wife. According to Chloe, the facility worked to limit his mobility by removing his cane, attempting to keep him strapped to a chair and giving him anti-psychotic medications.

Both Chloe and the host raise staffing issues and cuts as a cause for the lack of supervision.

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:26 AM  
**To:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Roundhouse Radio - Elder Abuse

Hearing this may actually be a case of resident on resident violence. Messages for that are below.

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Chand, Rita GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, September 13, 2017 1:07 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; GCPE HR GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** One Month Follow up - ALEX MACDONALD

Hi Alex,

I hope you are doing well! Just a quick note to let you know that you are at the one month mark in the Issues Manager position.

I wanted to touch base to see how everything is going.

Now that you have completed the first month in your new role, here is some more information about the BC Public Service employee performance and development tool, MyPerformance Profile.

MyPerformance Profile is the online tool for recording conversations with your supervisor about job expectations, goals, learning and development plans and overall performance.

- All BC Government employees need to create a MyPerformance Profile.
- GCPE's cycle is July 1 to June 30.
- All employees are required to participate in the MyPerformance conversations, which include:
  - The planning, focussing and review discussions
  - Reviewing and rating conversation and sign-off of their profile.
- Check out the MyPerformance Profile information specific to GCPE on the 411.
- Making MyPerformance Work for Me (Performance Management 110 - Online course) – Go to MyLearning to access.
  - Get oriented to the new conversation-centered approach to performance management and how to use the MyPerformance Profile in the process

Also, have a look at our recommended learning plan for employees who are new to GCPE. This plan contains a list of courses and links to online materials you may find useful as you continue in your new position.

Below are a few links to training resources for people new to BC Public Service that you may find helpful:

- Gov 101 - explains some of government's processes
- Parliamentary Procedures workshop
- Welcome to the Public Service (a Learning Centre course) – click MyLearning and search the catalog for the next offering.

If you have any questions or comments that you would like HR's assistance with please contact me at 250-886.5482.

Cheers,  
Rita

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:14 AM  
**To:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Ear case from summer

Also need the examples of when Judy brought this up I am in meeting couldn't find it in Hansard earlier  
Cliff again indicates<sup>s.22</sup> wrote to the premier

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 5, 2017, at 8:58 AM, Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX <[Kristy.Anderson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Kristy.Anderson@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:  
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### Fraser Health – Pediatric patient surgical wait times

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:13 AM  
**To:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Ear case from summer

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 11:40 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: TWO MEDIA REQUESTS: Weaver's Foreign Ownership Bill

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** "McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX" <[Meghan.McRae@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Meghan.McRae@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 6, 2017 at 11:16:42 AM PDT  
**To:** "Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX" <[Jessica.C.Smith@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Jessica.C.Smith@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Cc:** "Beale, William AGRI:EX" <[William.Beale@gov.bc.ca](mailto:William.Beale@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Subject:** TWO MEDIA REQUESTS: Weaver's Foreign Ownership Bill

FYI guys, hoping Minister will have time to call in to Tina. They'd like to get her on radio for the hourly clips.

Also, below is a statement for Ming Pao for her to sign off on, if she'd like it included.

Another media request just came in...will write it up as well and send up.

### Reporter

Tina Lovgreen, Reporter

CBC - Vancouver

[tina.lovgreen@cbc.ca](mailto:tina.lovgreen@cbc.ca)

604-787-0647 c: 778-863-7117

**Deadline** Today, 3:30 PM

### Request

I'm wondering if Minister Popham is available to comment on B.C. Greens introducing a motion to ban foreign speculation on farmland. I believe they announced this on Aug 25. But we're getting some reaction from the communities today.

My deadline is 3:30 p.m. PT today. A phone interview is preferred.

### Recommendation

s.13

**Reporter**

Austin Feng, Reporter

Ming Pao

[newsdesk@mingpaovan.com](mailto:newsdesk@mingpaovan.com)

604-916-9162

**Deadline** ASAP

**Request**

The reporter is requesting a comment/statement from MLP on BC Green Party leader Andrew Weaver's bill today in the legislature to ban foreign ownership of farmland.

**Recommendation**

s.13

**Dave Townsend**

Government Communications and Public Engagement

Ministry of Agriculture

Office: 250 356-7098 Cell: 250 889-5945

Email: [dave.h.townsend@gov.bc.ca](mailto:dave.h.townsend@gov.bc.ca)

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:09 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Beale, William AGRI:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Note on Foreign Ownership

Ministry doesn't have provincial stats on this.

Sent from my iPhone

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**Subject:** Re: Note on Foreign Ownership  
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Thanks.

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**From:** Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 9:18 AM  
**To:** Kelly, Mary P MH:EX  
**Cc:** Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX; MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Re: BIA Letter Response

Thanks Mary. I'll pop down there in a bit for it.

Thanks,  
Sarah

Sarah Plank  
Communications Director | Ministry of Mental Health & Addiction  
Government Communications & Public Engagement  
Mobile: [250.208.9621](tel:250.208.9621) | Email: [sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca](mailto:sarah.plank@gov.bc.ca)

Sent from my iPhone

On Oct 6, 2017, at 9:14 AM, Kelly, Mary P MH:EX <[Mary.P.Kelly@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mary.P.Kelly@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

I understand that GCPE will now be doing the retype of the Minister's QP binder, which is waiting for you to collect from our office.

Alex MacDonald sent the final copy of the BIA letter response for the QP binder to me, which I am now forwarding to you to ensure it is included in your updates. Alex has also provided some direction on how the Minister likes the pages to be arranged.

Regards,

**Mary Kelly**

Administrative Assistant  
Ministry of Mental Health & Addictions  
[MH.Minister@gov.bc.ca](mailto:MH.Minister@gov.bc.ca)  
Ph: 250-952-7623

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 10:16 AM  
**To:** Kelly, Mary P MH:EX  
**Subject:** BIA Letter Response

Hi Mary,

Here is a final copy of the BIA Letter Response for the QP binder.

I've also attached the table of contents that we were using.

Also, one other thing – because many of these are two-pagers (and potentially three) I would like for the first page to be hole-punched on the right-hand side so that the minister can have two pages open on the same issue at the same time in her binder.

Thanks.

-Alex



## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:33 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Beale, William AGRI:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Note on Foreign Ownership

Will check.

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**From:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:56 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Addition to Recovery note

I'll check in with the Red Cross; but given it was for evacuees, I don't expect big changes to the number.

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**From:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:08 AM  
**To:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Addition to Recovery note

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**MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX**

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**From:** Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 7:46 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Singh, Jasmyn HLTH:EX; Dycke, Kassandra HLTH:EX; van Baarsen, Amanda HLTH:EX  
**Subject:** Re: QP Note for Today

Thx. Our latest messaging will be in our daily issues summary. We will send that shortly.

Kristy Anderson  
778.678.5200

On Oct 4, 2017, at 7:43 AM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

The premier's binder for QP today will be including a QP note on the FIT suspension.

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 11:25 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: BiV: Greens call for ban on foreign ownership of farmland

Minister may get asked by media

Matt Hannah  
778.584.1249

Begin forwarded message:

**From:** <[tno@gov.bc.ca](mailto:tno@gov.bc.ca)>  
**Date:** October 4, 2017 at 11:21:32 AM PDT  
**To:** Undisclosed recipients;;  
**Subject:** **BiV: Greens call for ban on foreign ownership of farmland**

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, October 6, 2017 9:00 AM  
**To:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX  
**Cc:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Meeting Re: Alert Bay

Hey Alex,

Can Insuggest you invite Mira from PO?

Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

> On Oct 6, 2017, at 8:59 AM, McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX <[Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

>

> Yup, good idea. I will be a bit late, but there.

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX

> Sent: Thursday, October 5, 2017 7:57 PM

> To: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

> Cc: Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX; Wood, Jessica IRR:EX; Beale, William AGRI:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

> Subject: Re: Meeting Re: Alert Bay

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> Great!

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> Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

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>> On Oct 5, 2017, at 7:52 PM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

>>

>> So we're all getting together to discuss the Alert Bay visit next week in Will and Jessica's office (327A) tomorrow (Friday) at 11am.

>> Kenn, I hope you can carve off some time in your day to be there.

>> -Alex

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>> Sent from my iPhone

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Renneberg, Tim PREM:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 8:25 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Addition to Recovery note

Will check.

We're not doing QP prep today. Minister has meetings until 9:45.

Story today in regional papers about a lookout tower built on Crown land without authorization. Could end up in QP, but I think we will be prepared.

Tim Renneberg  
Ministerial Assistant  
Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development  
250-387-6240  
[tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca](mailto:tim.renneberg@gov.bc.ca)

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**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 7:52 AM  
**To:** Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Top Issues

Good morning everyone.

### Standing Issues

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- Minimum Wage
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- Colon Cancer Screenings
- Lobbying Reform
- VSB By-Election
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- Number of Sheriffs
- WTO Wine Dispute

Matt Hannah  
Director of Issues Management  
778.584.1249

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 5:55 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Wood, Jessica IRR:EX  
**Subject:** Re: 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf

Thanks Alex,

We'll check if this came in through our office to.

Thanks

Jonathan Sas | Senior Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation | 778-587-4376

> On Oct 5, 2017, at 4:06 PM, MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX <[Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Alex.MacDonald@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

>

> Here is a copy of the letter from the folks who would like to meet sometime soon with the minister re: boundary settlement for Carcross Tagish FN and Teslin Tlingit.

>s.22 s my contact person in Teslin that I've spoken with.

>s.22

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: s.22

> Sent: Thursday, October 5, 2017 9:49 AM

> To: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

> Subject: 20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf

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> That's it Alex

> Thanks very much for your help, look forward to meeting you in Victoria soon.

>s.22

> <20170823\_ LTR to Scott Fraser.pdf>

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> Sent from my iPhone

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 7:32 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Cc:** Beale, William AGRI:EX; Smith, Jessica C AGRI:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Note on Foreign Ownership

Will check.

Sent from my iPhone

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 5:19 PM  
**To:** GCPE All Staff  
**Subject:** Thanksgiving and thank yous!

Good day all GCPErs,

On behalf<sup>s.22</sup> Evan Lloyd, I just want to say a very, very, very big thank you to all of you.

I know we don't say this nearly enough, but you are all doing fantastic work – especially in somewhat unrelenting circumstances ☺ as a new government and new ministers come on board full of energy and ideas (and announcements, consultation plans, speeches, events, you know what I'm talking about....).

Here at Exec, we are working on new plans and processes to hopefully make your work lives a little better, but that's for discussion on another day in the near future.

In the meantime, we're hoping you all have a wonderful Thanksgiving long weekend filled with good food and laughter (and many, many naps)!

Thank you so much,

The Exec team

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Robb Gibbs  
ADM – Strategic Communications  
Government Communications & Public Engagement  
P: 1-778-698-7469  
C: 1-778-584-1242

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 12:58 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE:s.13

Ok thanks for the heads up

-----Original Message-----

From: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
Sent: Wednesday, October 4, 2017 12:52 PM  
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX  
Cc: Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX; Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
Subject: Re:s.13

I may be a couple minutes late.

Sent from my iPhone

> On Oct 3, 2017, at 11:19 AM, Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <[Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

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> Alex, let me know if it does and I'll send a calendar invite.

>

> Looking forward,

> M

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX

> Sent: Monday, October 2, 2017 6:20 PM

> To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX

> Cc: MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

> Subject: RE:s.13

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> Hi Mira,

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> Thank you so much for getting back to us! We should be able to make 1pm on Wednesday work for us, it will be right when the Minister is in the caucus meeting before QP.

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> Looping in our issue manager, Alex. I'm hoping this time works for you too!

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> I look forward to talking.

>

> Sincerely,

> Anna

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX

> Sent: Monday, October 2, 2017 4:18 PM

> To: Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
> Cc: Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
> Subject: RE:s.13  
>  
> Hi Meaghan,  
>  
> Thanks for this note. I've been giving this some thought and would like to set up a time for the three of us to connect, along with your issue manager. This seems to fall somewhere between/amongst all of our work. How is Wednesday at 1pm for a call? If that time doesn't work, please send an option or two that does.  
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> Thank you,  
> Mira  
>  
> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Thumath, Meaghan MHA:EX  
> Sent: Saturday, September 30, 2017 2:12 PM  
> To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX  
> Cc: Lindsay-Baugh, Anna MHA:EX  
> Subject: s.13  
>  
> Hey Mira,  
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s.13

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> Do you have any time next week?  
>  
> M.  
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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 2:16 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News



### Open burning project scheduled for Pidherny area

The BC Wildfire Service is planning to conduct a series of controlled open burns in the Prince George Fire Zone to help reduce Douglas fir beetle populations in the Pidherny area, which lies within the City of Prince George's jurisdictional boundaries.

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Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, Services

### Honouring the lives of missing and murdered Indigenous women and girls

Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Scott Fraser has issued the following statement to acknowledge the Sisters in Spirit vigils and the Red Dress campaign:

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## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 11:30 AM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Recent note on BCTS/Quartz River

Hi! Not yet. I see the August 28<sup>th</sup> (unhelpfully) does not include timelines. Timeline for this timber sale is 2018/2019.

Current status is that the second hydrological assessment is currently being finalized. Once it is completed it will be shared with the community and as well, results from the assessment will be used to inform how the timber sale is laid out.

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**To:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Recent note on BCTS/Quartz River

Aug 28 is the most recent IN I have. Is there something more recent?  
-Alex

## MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX

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**From:** noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca  
**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 3:26 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Delays expected on the Coquihalla this weekend



### Delays expected on the Coquihalla this weekend

The ministry is advising motorists to plan ahead, check live traffic conditions on DriveBC.ca and expect delays on the Coquihalla/Highway 5 on the Thanksgiving long weekend.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Public urged to use caution with outdoor burning



### Public urged to use caution with outdoor burning

The BC Wildfire Service is encouraging the public to exercise caution with any outdoor burning. The current weather forecast is calling for increased winds starting today, through the long weekend, throughout the entire Prince George Fire Centre. Winds up to 50km/h, gusting to 80km/h in some areas, can be expected with abrupt wind-direction changes.

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**Subject:** BC Gov News - Hunting closures will help protect moose in the Cariboo



### Hunting closures will help protect moose in the Cariboo

Two areas of the Cariboo Region that were severely impacted by wildfires this summer will be closed to moose hunting for the Oct. 15-31 and Nov. 1-15, 2017, seasons.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Improvements to Highway 1 in North Vancouver now complete



### Improvements to Highway 1 in North Vancouver now complete

The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure has completed road improvements along the westbound lanes of Highway 1 from the Lynn Valley overpass to the Taylor Way overpass in North Vancouver.

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**Subject:** BC Gov News - Minister encourages British Columbians to #ExploreBC this Thanksgiving weekend



### Minister encourages British Columbians to #ExploreBC this Thanksgiving weekend

As part of the \$1.1-million provincial investment to assist tourism in wildfire-affected areas, the Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture is encouraging British Columbians to lend their support by visiting these areas over the Thanksgiving long weekend.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Minister's statement on representative's investigative report



### Minister's statement on representative's investigative report

Judy Darcy, Minister of Mental Health and Addictions, issued the following statement today in response to the release of the Representative for Children and Youth's report that investigated the suicide of a youth in 2015:

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - One lane of travel in each direction returns to the Malahat



### One lane of travel in each direction returns to the Malahat

Now that the summer peak travel period is over and traffic volumes are lower, the ministry will be reducing the highway to one lane in each direction on the Malahat between Aspen Road and Shawnigan Lake Road.

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**Subject:** BC Gov News - Open burning remains prohibited in most of the Southeast



### Open burning remains prohibited in most of the Southeast

The BC Wildfire Service would like to remind the public that Category 2 and Category 3 open fires remain prohibited in the Boundary, Arrow, Kootenay Lake, Invermere and Cranbrook fire zones due to current and forecasted weather conditions, and to help prevent human-caused wildfires and protect public safety.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Over two kilometres of median barrier coming to Vernon



### Over two kilometres of median barrier coming to Vernon

A new median barrier separating northbound and southbound traffic will be installed along a stretch of Highway 97 in Vernon, improving safety for motorists by preventing cross-over incidents.

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**Subject:** BC Gov News - Provincially funded Victoria Marathon attracts participants from over 25 countries



### Provincially funded Victoria Marathon attracts participants from over 25 countries

The Province is investing \$30,000 in the Goodlife Fitness Victoria Marathon to help welcome approximately 9,000 participants, their supporters and volunteers to Victoria, announced Lisa Beare, Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Public reminded to fully extinguish their campfires



### Public reminded to fully extinguish their campfires

The BC Wildfire Service is reminding the public to adhere to all open burning regulations and be more diligent with their campfire use.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Historic Nanaimo coal mine structures to be conserved



### Historic Nanaimo coal mine structures to be conserved

The Government of British Columbia is providing \$25,000 to conserve historic coal mine structures in Morden Colliery Historic Provincial Park near Nanaimo.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Holt Creek Trestle near Lake Cowichan to close for repair



### Holt Creek Trestle near Lake Cowichan to close for repair

The Holt Creek Trestle which acts as a bridge for pedestrians, cyclists and horseback riders along the Trans Canada Trail between Shawnigan Lake and Lake Cowichan, will be closed to the public as of Oct. 10, 2017, for rehabilitation work.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - AgriRecovery fund open to B.C. ranchers and farmers



### AgriRecovery fund open to B.C. ranchers and farmers

B.C. ranchers and farmers can now access the \$20-million 2017 Canada-British Columbia Wildfires Recovery Initiative to help rebuild their livelihoods.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Support the Moose Hide Campaign – wear your pin with pride



### Support the Moose Hide Campaign – wear your pin with pride

Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Scott Fraser has issued the following statement in support of the National Moose Hide Campaign Gathering in Ottawa:

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - The sky is the limit with new Salmon River Bridge



### The sky is the limit with new Salmon River Bridge

Another height restriction has been removed from the Highway 97 corridor north of Prince George, with the completion of the Salmon River Bridge replacement project.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - #BuyBC this Thanksgiving weekend



### #BuyBC this Thanksgiving weekend

Minister of Agriculture Lana Popham has issued the following statement in recognition of B.C.'s agriculture producers and the upcoming Thanksgiving long weekend:

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Finance Minister embarks on North American investor tour



### Finance Minister embarks on North American investor tour

Finance Minister Carole James will meet with banks, investment firms and credit rating agencies to discuss the Budget 2017 Update.

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 12:16 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Bailey Bridge in South Surrey will undergo full replacement



### Bailey Bridge in South Surrey will undergo full replacement

The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure is planning to replace the Bailey bridge which crosses the Nicomekl River on King George Boulevard.

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**Sent:** Wednesday, October 4, 2017 1:49 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Government takes action to modernize democracy



### Government takes action to modernize democracy

The Government of British Columbia is taking action to modernize democratic institutions and make government work for people.

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**Subject:** BC Gov News - Province names Fair Wages Commission members



### Province names Fair Wages Commission members

Minister of Labour Harry Bains took the next step toward raising British Columbia's lowest paid workers with the official launch of the Fair Wages Commission.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Slight dip in July tourism statistics and visitor numbers



### Slight dip in July tourism statistics and visitor numbers

July international visitor arrival numbers show a slight dip in growth for the tourism sector in British Columbia.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Statement on Mental Illness Week and World Mental Health Day



### Statement on Mental Illness Week and World Mental Health Day

Minister of Mental Health and Addictions Judy Darcy has issued the following statement regarding Mental Illness Week, Oct. 1–7, 2017, and World Mental Health Day on Oct. 10, 2017:

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Government proclaims World Teachers' Day



### Government proclaims World Teachers' Day

The Province has officially declared Oct. 5, 2017, as World Teachers' Day in British Columbia to celebrate the outstanding contributions of educators throughout the province.

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**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** BC Gov News - Statement from Premier John Horgan for the Mid-Autumn Festival



### Statement from Premier John Horgan for the Mid-Autumn Festival

Premier John Horgan has released the following statement in honour of the Mid-Autumn Festival:

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**Sent:** Thursday, October 5, 2017 3:03 PM  
**To:** MacDonald, Alex GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Password and GAL Manager: Setting Up Your Security Profile

Keeping your information secure is a high priority for government. Using the web-based Password and GAL Manager application (accessible from <https://77000.gov.bc.ca>) to reset your IDIR password eliminates the need to verbally share confidential information, such as your password.

(Note: You may be receiving this as a reminder if our records indicate that you have not set up your security profile.)

From this application, you can also manage some of your Global Address List (GAL) information. The GAL is a directory in the Government's Exchange e-mail system and contains information such as your business address and telephone numbers. You can see your entry by clicking on the address book icon in Outlook and typing in your name (lastname, firstname).

To get started, you need to set up your security profile:

Use Internet Explorer to log on to the Workstation Services website at <https://77000.gov.bc.ca>. You will need to enter your IDIR and password.

After logging on to the site, set up your security profile:

1. Click "Update GAL Info" on the left side of the Welcome Page

2. Read the statement on the privacy page.

- If you choose "Decline", you will be returned to the Welcome page and you will not be able to manage your GAL information. You may come back at any time to accept the statement.

- If you choose "Accept", you will proceed to "Update GAL Info and Set Up Security Profile."

3. Answer a short series of questions to complete your profile.

(Note: You will need to remember the answers to these security questions.)

Service Desk personnel are NOT able to read your security data, and the storage of this information is highly secure.

By setting up your security profile as soon as possible, you will avoid follow-up reminders.

Once you have set up your security profile, you can:

1. Change your IDIR password.

2. Update your contact information in the Global Address List (GAL).

If you need help setting up your profile, please contact the 7-7000 Service Desk at (250) 387-7000.

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