Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

From:

Sanford, Donna L ENV:EX

Sent:

Thursday, July 27, 2017 9:25 AM

To:

Frampton, Caelie PREM:EX

Subject:

FW: Climate Leadership Team

Hello Caelie. This is FYI. Geoff Meggs and I will follow up with the Green Caucus on this and then we'll get in touch with you regarding a meeting with Minister Heyman. No need for you to action anything at this point.

Cheers, Donna 250-893-4771

From: Weaver, Andrew [mailto:A.Weaver@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Wednesday, July 26, 2017 11:38 PM
To: Lilly, Liz LASS:EX; Sanford, Donna L ENV:EX

Subject: Climate Leadership Team

Hello Liz and Donna, I am hoping that we might set up a meeting with the three of us (as well as George Heyman and his MA) prior to him setting up a new Climate Leadership Team or moving forward with establishing separate sectoral reduction targets and plans. I am very concerned that the Minister might start committing to recommendations from the previous panel without actually stepping back and asking what the purpose of the CLT is, who should be on it, and what their mandate is. I would suggest that there need to be very different players on the CLT team and that it's mandate should not be to specify policy options but rather to give guidance on interim targets taking us to 2030. We need to ensure that the civil service is the group recommending policy options not activists or special interests.

Best wishes Andrew

From:

Weaver, Andrew

To:

Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Subject:

Question

Date:

Thursday, August 17, 2017 10:02:41 AM

Hello Donna, thank you for your ongoing assistance with respect to the implementation of the CASA agreement. I very much appreciate the amount of work that is going into this.

On a slightly different note, I am getting mixed messages with respect to the derelict vessel issue. I understand that Ministry staff apparently have a solution. Last night I got an email from a Councillor suggesting that nothing is moving forward. Would it possible for me to get either a briefing or an update as to where things stand.

With best wishes Andrew

Request for information

BC Green Caucus

In relation to the Resort Municipality Initiative can you please advise:

- a) Whether the program is going to continue beyond April 1st, 2018;
- b) If there is any way to provide longer term funding certainty for the municipalities involved;
- c) Whether the 14 municipalities involved have been consulted on the future of this initiative?

From:

Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

To:

Lilly, Liz LASS:EX

Cc:

Vdovine, Stepan PREM:EX

Subject: Date:

FW: Query from MLA Weaver -- RMI Tuesday, August 29, 2017 9:34:00 PM

Attachments:

MLA Weaver query Aug 24,pdf

Hello Liz. Please see below in response to MLA Weaver's queries re: resort municipalities. -Donna

From: Meadows, Jennifer L JTST:EX Sent: Tuesday, August 29, 2017 3:39 PM

To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX Cc: Vdovine, Stepan PREM:EX

Subject: FW: Query from MLA Weaver -- RMI

Importance: High

Good afternoon Donna,

I am responding on behalf of Ministerial Assistant, Stepan Vdovine.

The inquiry from MLA Weaver has been redirected to the Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture as we have responsibility for the Resort Municipality Initiative. Below are responses to MLA Weaver's questions:

a) Whether the program is going to continue beyond April 1, 2018;

The RMI was recently extended from December 31, 2017 to March 31, 2018. A
decision regarding the continuation of the program beyond that date has not been
made.

b) If there is any way to provide longer term funding certainty for the municipalities involved;

 Currently, the RMI is a grant program funded through an annual request for budget Contingencies. The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture (MTAC) has reviewed options around longer term funding certainty, should the program be extended.

c) Whether the 14 municipalities involved have been consulted on the future of this initiative?

- The 14 RMI communities have been consulted on the future of the RMI as part of the development of two RMI studies conducted in 2016.
 - One study was commissioned by the Resort Communities' Collaborative (made up of mayors and CAOs from each of the 14 communities) to analyze the outcomes and impact of RMI funding.
 - The other study was conducted by MTAC to review potential tourism infrastructure program options beyond March 31, 2018.
- It is likely Minister Beare will meet with the Resort Communities Collaborative (i.e.: all 14 communities) at the upcoming UBCM convention and further information regarding the future of the RMI will be available in the coming months.

Thank you.

From:

Weaver, Andrew

To:

Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX

Cc:

Lilly, Liz LASS:EX; Hartrick, Taylor D LASS:EX; Oliver, Jillian LASS:EX

Subject:

Today's announcement

Date:

Tuesday, August 22, 2017 12:12:39 AM

Hello Donna,

As you will know, we did an announcement on ridesharing in Vancouver today. I've initiated a process to gain feedback on potential draft legislation here:

http://www.andrewweavermla.ca/2017/08/21/im-introducing-ride-sharing-legislation-fall/

I would be most grateful if you would pass this along to the appropriate people in the Ministry of Transportation.

With best wishes

Andrew