

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 11:19 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording

In Minister Chen's emails, the only harm is see if the name of s.22 personal privacy.

which I believe should be redacted under S. 22

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording

From: White, Emily MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 29, 2018 3:56 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: RE: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording

See attached. Good to send straight to Carmen?

Emily White

Administrative Coordinator

The Hon. Katrine Conroy

Minister of Children and Family Development

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 29, 2018 3:51 PM
To: White, Emily MCF:EX; Wilson, Cherie MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording

Please see this revised FOI for MKC/MSKC sent emails etc. from September: (The applicant has agreed to exclude correspondence from individuals responding on behalf of the Minister/Minister of State._

Due tomorrow to Carmen, so need to make this a priority.

From: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 12:12 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: FW: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording

Hi Paula,

FYI please see revised updated wording for FOI request CFD-2018-83612 which was sent originally to you on May 15. Records for this request are due May 30. Let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,
Carmen

From: Frelick, Melinda CITZ:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 12:10 PM
To: Lapthorne, Carmen MCF:EX
Subject: CFD-2018-83612- Revised wording
Importance: High

Good morning Carmen,

I have an update for the CFR for this cross government file. The applicant has agreed to exclude correspondence from individuals responding on behalf of the Minister/Minister of State. New wording:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages sent from the Minister/Minister of State - excluding attachments and any correspondence from individuals responding on behalf of the Minister/Minister of State (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2017 To 09/30/2017)

Thank you,

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: ST_End of Child Care Month_May 31 2018_DRAFT 11 - for final accuracy check only pls

Good, thanks!!

Sent from my iPhone

On May 31, 2018, at 9:51 AM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Good from me too.

From: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 9:50 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: ST_End of Child Care Month_May 31 2018_DRAFT 11 - for final accuracy check only pls

Looks good

Sincerely,

Niki Sharma
Ministerial Assistant to
The Hon. Katrina Chen
Minister of State for Child Care

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From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 9:47 AM
To: Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: ST_End of Child Care Month_May 31 2018_DRAFT 11 - for final accuracy check only pls

OK – I think (pray) we have reflected everyone's input/thoughts here. The only thing I will point out is that we talk about the spaces approved to opt in – that is the 79 percent figure which is now not in the release (I mention it in case anyone asks how many providers have actually been approved thus far). Good job all. And we will have time to spare to get this to the editors ☺
kj

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 7:54 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Subject: Note for today
Attachments: 2018.05.31 QP Note- Support for Tourism Industry - FINAL.docx

Just in case. Feel free to add extra points if you wish, and let me know. Thanks!

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 31, 2018 7:38 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: Note for today
Attachments: 2018.05.31 QP Note - Ride-hailing - Last Day of Session.docx

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Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:54 AM
To: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX; Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Hi Aileen - RE: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging
Attachments: 2018-05-30 QP Note - Legacy Projects - draft.docx

Here are the messages with very minor revisions, in our QP note format. James/Kelly, can you provide to the Minister?

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Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:50 AM
To: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Hi Aileen - RE: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging

The key messages below are approved by ministry staff and with our MO and reflect recent Estimates and media questions/ coverage.

Trish

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:48 AM
To: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Subject: Hi Aileen - RE: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging

Hi Aileen.

We have an IN on this.
It should be in your issues binder (last updated January 2018).


We are just checking if there is anything which requires updating in it.

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Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
Sport and Multiculturalism

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Please consider the environment before printing this email.

From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:40 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging

Hi Aileen – here are our KMs on the topic. We’ve done 6 with plans to do Lytton and Yale later this summer. These monuments are driven by the community and, aside from one in Vancouver, no other communities are eager to do the rest.

Here ya go:

- This government understands that diversity and multiculturalism is an essential part of the culture – and history – of British Columbia.
- We know how important it is to support and promote programs that celebrate our rich multicultural history and that includes the incredible contribution made by Chinese British Columbians.
- The legacy projects commemorate the unanimous apology in the legislature and help celebrate this important contribution. So far, six monuments have been unveiled with another two unveilings (Lytton and Yale) expected later this summer and one more planned in Vancouver. No details at this point as we continue to work with local communities.
- These unveilings are community driven events and we will continue to work with local communities to identify other opportunities.
- As well, we have recently celebrated the launch of the companion book, “Celebration: Chinese Canadian Legacies in British Columbia” which celebrates the stories of British Columbians of Chinese descent. This book will soon be available to online.
- We understand very well the significant contribution made by Chinese British Columbians to the history, the economy and the culture of this province. The Premier’s Chinese Advisory Council is convened because we believe the Chinese community in B.C. can provide an important and unique perspective and that their voices must be included as we move towards a more inclusive British Columbia.
- We will continue to engage this – and other communities – in open and ongoing dialogue to ensure their voices are part of any initiatives going forward.
- And, we will always be happy to help celebrate their invaluable contributions. In fact, we are in the very, very early stages of developing a proposal for a Chinese history museum and we will provide more information as these plans move forward.

Other facts:

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To: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging

Hi Trish,
Is there an updated issue note on this topic with background included?

Let me know, thanks!

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From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 5:28 PM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: TAC - Legacy Initiative Messaging

Hi There – here are some KMs for Monday. We can turn this into a KM document for MLB as she may be asked about it.

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Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:32 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Premier on CFX this morning
Attachments: 2018.05.30 QP Note - E&N Corridor - draft.docx

Does this work for today?

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From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 10:00 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Premier on CFX this morning

It was Al Ferraby's CFX show.

From: "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Date: May 30, 2018 at 09:03:45 PDT
To: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: GCPE Communications - Transportation & Infrastructure <CommT@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Premier on CFX this morning

Hi Katie – Jamie & I “listened live” to the Premier’s interview with CFX 1070 this AM.
The first part was (of course) related to the pipeline and the federal govt buying it, but the second half was related to the Malahat closure.
Here are the quick point form notes I took on what was said...(Jamie jump in if I missed anything)

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 30, 2018 9:01 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.30 QP Note - BC Bus North - draft.docx

Let me know if you have any concerns. Thanks!

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 2:20 PM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: New QP Note for Monday
Attachments: 2018.05.25 QP Note BC Ferries - FINAL.docx

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Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 1:48 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?

Hi Katie,

For the other requests coming in on the crash that happened yesterday and why isn't there an alternate route, I think we could use a statement based on these lines, then provide the rest of the info as background.

- There are significant costs and engineering challenges associated with alternate routes that have been considered to this point.
- If there are reasonable ideas for options that are brought forward, we would take a look at those ideas.
- Vancouver Island families, communities and visitors rely on the Malahat highway as a vital link.
- Anyone who has traveled on the Malahat understands the frustrations with congestion and delays.
- Significant safety improvements are underway on the highway through the Malahat Village and are on track to finish later this year:
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- In the long term, the ministry intends to continue to work toward safety improvements for the corridor, including more four-laning and adding median barrier to the route.

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Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?

Flagging that the media requests we have are not specific to the Premier's comments. Will/James I strongly suggest you have Janelle and Scott take a quick look.

Aileen also, possible to beef up the safety stuff...these are not minor safety improvements these are major.

Katie Robb

Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 1:20 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?

I think these are better for a statement but the other bullets are useful background info on the bridge study specifically. James?

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 1:07 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?

Also please let me know if you'd rather we use these bullets or the ones from staff

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 1:05 PM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?

Moving them to the top. I think they are ok – let me know and we will send to Sage.

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Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 1:03 PM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Thoughts on these KMs?
Importance: High

Do these work? Special attention to the last two bullets.

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Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 12:54 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Thoughts on these KMs?

I like these. We need to get them to Sage, I think.

Sent from my iPhone

On May 25, 2018, at 12:39 PM, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

- There are significant costs and engineering challenges associated with alternate routes that have been considered to this point.

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Is this better?

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 25, 2018 12:38 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Thoughts on these KMs?

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Aileen I have a bit more on Malahat one sec

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On May 25, 2018, at 12:35, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: KMs

Another addition, highlighted below. Please note – the safety improvements being undertaken are major improvements – total \$35 million.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 11:23 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Note
Attachments: 2018.05.24 QP Note Staff information management - for PREMIER - DRAFT.docx

Updated.

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Updated background and title.

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Note

Thanks. Can we update the title and background this morning?

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Subject: Note

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 10:26 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Please review.

I don't think we can say more than this right now.

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 24, 2018 10:23 AM
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Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Please review.

What is new messaging minus speculation line? Please send ASAP

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To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Please review.
Importance: High

FOR BACKGROUND ONLY:

Major media including CTV and Global are reporting that a toddler has died after wandering away from a daycare in Mission.

According to media reports, the girl was found unresponsive in a backyard swimming pool nearby and was airlifted to hospital. RCMP and BC Coroners Services are investigating.

Media are also reporting that the daycare centre, Melissa's Bright Beginnings Childcare Centre, was the subject of a surprise inspection by Fraser Health back in January, and was found to be caring for too many young children.

The licensed home multi-age child care centre was found to have 5 kids under the age of 36 months but its license only allows for 3 kids under the age of 36 months.

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Subject: Revised

Following on recommendations made by the former Information and Privacy Commissioner, the BC Government has developed information management training that addresses employees' key responsibilities across records management, access to information, and protection of privacy. The training is delivered by career public servants who are subject matter experts in information management. Given the importance of demonstrating accountability in this space, all government employees are required to take this training, with ministerial staff additionally being required to sign attestations to the fact that they took the training, understood the training and are aware of resources available upon request. Printed resources are also provided to all ministerial staff to allow quick reference to key issues encountered as a part of their role. Finally, completion of information management training is routinely monitored by ministry employees to ensure a high level of compliance with this training requirement is maintained.

The Corporate Records and Information Management Office (CIRMO), located within the Ministry of Citizens' Services, can provide a range of materials regarding the above training initiatives, including curriculum content, supplementary resources as well as training statistics. CIRMO has indicated that they are available to assist you in the event that these corporate training records are of interest to you.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 23, 2018 10:56 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Issues scan

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 23, 2018 10:55 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 6:41 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: RDKB Impacts Request

Some info. Waiting for more from Liam.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX" <Jordan.Turner@gov.bc.ca>
Date: May 22, 2018 at 4:26:23 PM PDT
To: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX" <Shawn.1.Robins@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RDKB Impacts Request

Hi Aileen,

As requested, here is an overview.

General Messaging:

- The Province and the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary are still in active response to flooding in Grand Forks.
- In anticipation of needs throughout B.C., the Province is standing up the Recovery Branch which supports communities starting with re-entry through to long-term recovery.
- The Province is working with key ministries and B.C. communities to identify needs and services available.
- Town Hall meetings were held in Rock Creek and Grand Forks last week. Provincial staff attended to provide information on Disaster Financial Assistance (DFA) and short-term recovery. Service BC is also providing access to computers for residents to complete DFA claims.
- Currently, rapid damage assessments of properties are being completed in the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary.

Industries impacted:

- Interfor - evacuated May 10 at 9:00 a.m. rescind to alert May 19th at 8:00 pm (shut down for 11 days)

- Rockwool / remainder of industrial park - evacuated May 10 at 9:00 a.m. Rescinded May 21 at 3:00 pm (shut down for 11 days)

Families impacted:

- At the height of the flooding, we had over 1,600 addresses, and 3,200 people evacuated from their homes in the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary.

Colour Placards on properties:

As part of the response to the emergency, notices (placards) have been placed on buildings in and around the risk area. The placards indicate that a basic safety assessment had been carried out and as a result, structures were classified as red, yellow or green.

- RED – Do not enter the building because it is unsafe.
- YELLOW – Buildings are considered either suitable for restricted access until issues are resolved, or use may be possible in those parts of the building that have not been damaged.
- GREEN – The building has been assessed and while no apparent structural or other safety hazards are found, a more comprehensive inspection may reveal safety hazards.

Here is an overview of what has been identified in the RDKB:

Summary RDA table

Row Labels	Count of Posting
INSPECTED (Green placard)	643
RESTRICTED USE (Yellow placard)	326
UNKNOWN (Access not possible)	34
UNSAFE (Red placard)	57
Grand Total	1060

Detailed RDA:

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INSPECTED (Green placard)	58	1	3	12	
RESTRICTED USE (Yellow placard)	33		1	11	
UNKNOWN (Access not possible)	1				
UNSAFE (Red placard)	4				3
Grand Total	96	1	4	26	

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 4:46 PM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Cannabis QA

Importance: High

Is this accurate?

Background:

- The province's cannabis legislation (Cannabis Distribution Act, Cannabis Control and Licensing Act, and Motor Vehicle Act amendments) all passed third reading as of last week.
- The Motor Vehicle Act amendments have already received royal assent, with royal assent for the other two expected next Thursday (May 31).
- There are still questions around the timeline for legalization, as well as how exactly roadside testing will work.
- Minister Farnworth has said that we're waiting on the federal government for details on the federal standard for roadside testing for cannabis impairment, including what devices will be used as breathalyser equivalents during roadside stops.
- The legalization bill C-45 is in the Canadian Senate right now.

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Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 4:44 PM
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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 4:45 PM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Cannabis QA

Ok, what about on the roadside testing devices? Is that federal responsibility, and are we waiting on feds for the details on those devices?

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 4:14 PM
To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: Letter
Attachments: 276834 Hayes.pdf; ATT00001.txt

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 1:54 PM
To: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Freshet Updates - May 22, 2018

Thanks Jordan. The Premier is doing media tomorrow, so we are hoping to provide him with an update on it before then... by end of day, if possible. Let me know, thanks.

Aileen Machell
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From: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 10:48 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Freshet Updates - May 22, 2018

Will check on that.

Thanks,

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On May 22, 2018, at 10:42 AM, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Jordan,
Would it be possible to get a summary of the situation in Grand Forks, including any impacted industries? We are also looking for information on next steps in Grand Forks – what does recovery look like, and what role or assistance does the provincial government have?

Thanks,
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From: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Brown, Tom G EMBC:EX; Woodcock, Danielle EMBC:EX
Cc: Rice, Jennifer PSSG:EX; Pecora, Talea PSSG:EX; Turner, Robert EMBC:EX; Denlinger, Becky EMBC:EX; Lowe, Mike GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; EMBC PECC Public Information 1 EMBC:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX; GCPE Comm Directors; Hardin, Karl GCPE:EX
Subject: Freshet Updates - May 22, 2018

Hi all,

Updates for today are in RED

There are currently 708 properties on evacuation order in the province, and 6564 properties on evacuation alert.

Given the large number of evacuation orders lifted over the last two days, we will be distributing the attached (draft) Info Bulletin on “tips to return home safely” shortly.

Thanks,

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Ministry: Emergency Management BC Date: Updated May 22, 2018 Minister Responsible: Mike Farnworth	<i>2018 Flood Support and Investments</i>
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DAILY UPDATE REPORT FOLLOWS BELOW

ADVICE AND RECOMMENDED RESPONSE:

General Messaging:

- We must all work together to prepare for and respond to flooding and other disasters.
- During this trying time, we want British Columbians to know we will be here to help.
- Our government will assist them in any way we can.
- We continue to plan and prepare. This includes shipping flood mitigation equipment and millions of sandbags to the interior.
- We continue to work with the federal and local governments to protect communities and are monitoring the situation closely.
- The Province has announced several major flood prevention and emergency preparedness projects this year, including funding for the National Disaster Mitigation Program, the Community Emergency Preparedness Fund, and several other structural and non-structural flood mitigation projects throughout B.C.

Matching Red Cross contribution:

- The B.C. government is matching contributions to the Canadian Red Cross and will match donations up to \$20 million to help those impacted by the recent devastating floods.
- We're seeing incredible strength and resilience in communities affected by flooding – and British Columbians from all corners of the province want to provide a helping hand. Donations to the Canadian Red Cross will provide vital help in a time of greatest need for so many people and communities.

Federal Flood Support:

- Public safety is our top priority.
- We remain committed to stand with British Columbians through this challenging flood season.
- Up until this point, the province has been able to provide the necessary support for communities in need. Now that this event has significantly challenged provincial capacity, the Province has requested Federal assistance.
- We thank and commend the federal government for partnering with us to provide more support and resources to help B.C. communities struggling with the impacts of flooding.
- The Canadian Armed Forces (CAF) have deployed personnel to work with the province.

- The Military is providing flood mitigation work in the Regional District of Okanagan Similkameen, the Regional District of Central Okanagan, and the Regional District of Kootenay Boundary (Grand Forks).
- The Canadian Armed Forces and Canadian Coast Guard have also deployed small boats in the Fraser Valley.
- The Province is always in communications with the Federal government, and representatives from the Canadian Armed Forces, Environment Canada and Public Safety Canada have been stationed at our Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre for weeks.
- This additional support will help us provide the resources needed to better protect B.C. communities and public safety.

General Federal RFA Messaging:

- If a local government needs support of any kind in an emergency beyond what they have available, that request is elevated to the Provincial Regional Operations Centre (PREOC) in the area.
- The PREOC then looks to source support from the region. If regional support is not readily available, the request is elevated to the Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre (PECC) in Victoria who will look for support in unaffected regions of the province.
- When the capacity of the province is no longer able to meet the needs of communities, a request for federal assistance is made. Requests are not made for military assistance specifically – the federal government will fill the need with their available resources from their various program areas.

Fraser River Flooding

- Persistent warmer than normal temperatures across British Columbia for the past three weeks has led to a much earlier than normal runoff period for the Fraser River.
- The Lower Fraser River is currently experiencing high-flow rates.
- The Fraser River Basin has not seen a combination of weather conditions, including high temperatures, snow melt and river-flow of this nature in many years.
- Over the last few weeks, regions that contribute to the Fraser River have experienced temperatures of five degrees above normal.
- This means a potential for flooding in communities in the Lower Mainland along the Lower Fraser.
- With hot weather forecast to continue over the Fraser River watershed through this week, additional rises on the lower Fraser River are expected this coming weekend.
- The higher temperatures will increase snowmelt and contribute to higher flows.
- Weather will be the key factor in how the situation progresses, as we go forward. As snowpacks become diminished, rainfall will become the key risk for the potential for flooding in the coming week or two.

Current Actions

- The River Forecast Centre continues to monitor river flow levels and provide guidance.
- Southwest PREOC is working closely with First Nations and local governments, supporting them and identifying areas at risk.
- Emergency Management BC is working with First Nations and local governments to determine what support is needed and how the province can help.
- EMBC continues to prepare for an increased need for Emergency Social Services, critical infrastructure assessments and evacuation support.

Provincial Flood Support and Investments

Emergency Management BC is assisting local governments in flood response. As of May 22, the province has:

- Activated the Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre (PECC) to support the Central (CTL), Southeast (SEA) and Northeast (NEA) Provincial Regional Operation Centres (PREOCS).
- Activated PREOCS in Kamloops, Prince George, Surrey and Nelson to provide assistance to local governments.
- Deployed over 3.56 million sandbags to local governments to protect homes and public infrastructure.
- Provided 12 sandbag machines to Cache Creek, Oliver, Vernon (2), Willowbrook, Kelowna (2) and Prince George staging area (3), Enderby (1).
- Six sandbag machines are on loan from Saskatchewan.

- Currently deployed 331 BC Wildfire Service fire fighters to Kelowna, Lower Nicola Indian Band, Okanagan, Grand Forks, Oliver, Osoyoos to assist with sandbagging.
- Shipped 3.316 km of Gabions and 14.3 km of tiger dams to the interior.
- FLNRORD's River Forecast Centre and Water Stewardship Branches are providing water flow expertise, as well as geotechnical specialists and engineers.
- **EMBC has additional flood response resources ready to deploy:**
 - Prince George:
 - 144000 sandbags
 - 3116 metres of Gabions
 - 2,000 metres of tiger dams
 - 1 sandbagging machines
 - Kelowna:
 - 81,000 burlap sandbags
 - 42,000 plastic sandbags
 - 960 metres of gabion
 - Chilliwack:
 - 28,000 burlap sandbags
 - 1,982,000 bio degradable sandbags
 - 11,925 metres of tiger dam
 - 5,142 metres of gabions
 - 6 sandbag machines
- **Disaster Financial Assistance (DFA) is also available for eligible British Columbians who may have been impacted by overland flooding or landslides from heavy rains.**
- **This DFA is available in the geographic areas within the Regional Districts of Kootenay Boundary, Okanagan Similkameen, Central Okanagan, Columbia Shuswap and North Okanagan (including electoral areas, municipalities and First Nations communities).**
- **DFA is available to eligible homeowners, residential tenants, small business owners, farmers, charitable organizations and local government bodies that were unable to obtain insurance to cover disaster-related losses.**
- **British Columbians can access the DFA application at: <http://www.gov.bc.ca/disasterfinancialassistance>**
- **While we're prepared to respond to flooding to protect public safety, anything we can do to understand and prepare for flood risk is a step in the right direction.**
- **That is why the Province funds programs such as National Disaster Mitigation Program and the Community Emergency Preparedness Fund for local governments.**
- **The National Disaster Mitigation Program and Community Emergency Preparedness Fund enable communities to develop flood risk assessments, maps and mitigation plans in addition to constructing flood protection infrastructure. A full list of potential funding programs can be found at Emergency Management British Columbia's Disaster Mitigation Branch webpage.**
- **We are committed to working collaboratively to improve public safety and disaster preparedness for all British Columbians.**

If asked about recent investments in mitigation:

- EMBC is committed to improving the public safety of all British Columbians; that is why we are investing heavily in flood prevention and protection.

- In April, 2018, the Province announced \$6.5 million in disaster-mitigation projects throughout the province. Funding highlights include:
 - \$2.6 million to plan and undertake structural and non-structural flood-mitigation projects in various locations throughout B.C.;
 - \$1.75 million to further assess earthquake-related hazards in the Metro Vancouver area;
 - \$1.5 million to the Union of British Columbia Municipalities (UBCM) for the Community Emergency Preparedness Fund;
 - \$450,000 to the Fire Chiefs Association of British Columbia to support road rescue, fire safety and prevention; and
 - \$130,000 to Avalanche Canada and the District of Stewart to support avalanche reporting and mapping.

National Disaster Mitigation Program:

- On Feb. 2, 2018, the Governments of Canada and B.C. announced funding for 30 projects, valued at approximately \$12.1M (including investments from local governments and NGOs) through the National Disaster Mitigation Program.
 - B.C. government contribution: approximately \$5 million.

April 2018 Mitigation Funding:

- \$2.5 million to plan and undertake structural and non-structural flood-mitigation projects in various locations throughout B.C., including:
 - \$1.5 million to support local government flood-mitigation projects through the UBCM Community Emergency Preparedness Fund.
 - \$1.45 million for the Okanagan Water Basin Board to obtain aerial photos and surface topography for the entire Okanagan watershed during the current spring freshet.
 - \$500,000 for the Central Coast Regional District to develop a flood risk assessment and to model several flood scenarios in the Bella Coola Valley.
- Previous investments:
 - In March 2017, EMBC announced the investment of \$60 million for flood mitigation projects in B.C. communities.
 - This followed the announcement in 2016 of \$50 million of funding earmarked for 15 community hazard mitigation projects including upgrades to dikes.

If asked about Disaster Financial Assistance (DFA):

- Disaster Financial Assistance is a provincial program to help individuals and local governments recover from uninsurable disasters. The program is administered by Emergency Management BC.
- The purpose of DFA is to provide a helping hand to get people and local governments back on their feet after an uninsurable disaster.
- The eligibility criteria for DFA, which has been consistently and fairly applied since 1995, is defined according to the Emergency Program Act and Disaster Financial Assistance Regulation.
- DFA is available in the event of a disaster in respect of which the minister, or designate, has determined that disaster financial assistance may be provided.
- When this determination is made, Emergency Management BC defines the eligible dates and geographic locations, notifies affected local governments, posts this information on its website, publishes information in local papers, and attends community meetings if requested.
- For flooding disasters, DFA is available to qualifying home owners, residential tenants, small business owners, farm owners, and charitable organizations. Applicants should be aware of the following:
 - Financial assistance is provided for each accepted claim at 80% of the amount of total eligible damage that exceeds \$1,000, to a maximum claim of \$300,000.
 - Claims may be made in more than one category (e.g., home owner and farm owner).
 - A home owner or residential tenant must show that the home is the applicant's principal residence.
 - Seasonal or recreational properties, hot tubs, patios, pools, garden tools, landscaping, luxury items (like jewelry, fur coats and collectibles), and recreational items (like bicycles) are not eligible for assistance.
 - Small business owners and farm owners must demonstrate the business or farm is the applicant's primary source of income.
 - Charitable organizations must provide a benefit of service to the community at large.

- Assistance is also available to local governments for essential materials and to rebuild or replace essential public infrastructures to the condition it was in before the disaster. Assistance is provided for each accepted recovery claim at 80% of the amount of total eligible damage that exceeds \$1,000. There is no maximum claim.

If asked about the impact of overland flood insurance on DFA assessments:

- Until recently, overland flood insurance was only available for commercial buildings. The B.C. Government expects that within two years DFA will be available to family residences throughout B.C. Overland flood insurance is now available in certain municipalities throughout B.C.
- Disaster Financial Assistance is not applicable where flood insurance is readily and reasonably available. In communities where flood insurance has not yet been introduced, DFA is applied according to the eligibility criteria established since 1995.
- All residents or tenants who make a DFA application will be treated on a case-by-case basis and, as is normal practice, will be given a form to fill out and then present to their insurance agent or broker to determine whether the resident was offered the flood insurance option.

If asked about support provided for the 2017 freshet:

- EMBC supported evacuees through Emergency Social Services.
- During the 2017 freshet, EMBC coordinated the deployment of hundreds of personnel to assist communities—including technical experts from several fields and ministries. For example:
- EMBC deployed flood mitigation resources to support local authorities, including:
 - Approximately 4.4 million sandbags
 - 7.5 km of gabions (wall-like structures filled with sand)
 - 6.7 km of Tiger Dams (stackable orange tubes filled with water)
 - 9 sandbag filling machines, used in communities throughout the flood season

Community Emergency Preparedness Fund

The Community Emergency Preparedness Fund (CEPF) is a suite of programs designed to enhance the resiliency of local governments and their residents. The Province provides the funding, which is administered by UBCM. In March 2017, the Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure launched CEPF as part of an \$80 million announcement for emergency preparedness. In April, the government provided \$1.5 million to the CEPF to support local government flood mitigation projects throughout the province.

Funding streams:

- Flood Risk Assessment, Flood Mapping & Flood Mitigation Planning
- Emergency Social Services
- Emergency Operations Centres & Training
- Structural Flood Mitigation

Flooding Safety Preparedness:

British Columbia has geared up for the busy spring flooding season, also known as freshet.

The Provincial Emergency Coordination Centre has been activated to support emergency operation centres and affected communities as they prepare for localized flooding.

Steps you can take to help protect your home, property and family:

- Create a [household emergency plan](#), put together your [grab-and-go bag](#), and [connect with your neighbours](#)
- Move equipment and other assets to higher ground
- Clear perimeter drains, eavestroughs and gutters. Maintain your sump pumps
- Move electrical appliances to upper floors and make sure to anchor fuel supplies

- Park vehicles away from streams and waterways

If you are placed under Evacuation Alert:

- This is the time to get prepared to leave your home on short notice.
- Get your grab-and-go bags ready (which should include several days of clothing, toiletries and medications), your emergency plan, copies of important documents and important mementos.
- Listen to local emergency officials for further information on the situation.

If you are placed under Evacuation Order:

- Leave the area immediately.
- Follow the directions of local emergency officials and evacuate using the route(s) they've identified.
- Do not return home until you've been advised that the Evacuation Order has been rescinded.
- For those needing additional support, an Emergency Social Services Reception Centre may be opened.

Tips for staying safe around flood waters:

- Never drive or walk through flooded streets. Water can be deeper than it appears, and levels can rise very quickly
- Keep clear of eroded banks, as they may result in unstable ground. Most importantly, keep children and pets away from stream banks
- Stay alert for changing conditions, particularly if you live in low-lying areas or near waterways
- Listen to local officials and follow their instructions if asked to evacuate

DAILY UPDATE REPORT (NEW INFORMATION IN RED):

EMBC UPDATE – May 22, 2018 AS OF 0700 HRS – ASSESSMENT

The PECC will remain activated today at level 2 in support of the CTL, SEA, NEA/NWE, and SWE PREOCs.

The Provincial situation continues to stabilize. There are still areas of concern with the Lower Fraser River and Okanagan Lake continued to forecast to rise. Significant rainfall and high temperatures remain strong influences driving rapid snowpack melt into high river flowrates. The water levels in lakes and rivers across the province continue to react to influences from snowmelt compounded by weather patterns.

The updated Regional summaries are below.

PROVINCIAL WEATHER

The warm weather continues today as a ridge of high pressure establishes itself today from about Prince George southwards. Valley bottom temperatures close to 30 degrees are expected over the Fraser Canyon, Thompson, Okanagan, West Columbia and Boundary; about 8 to 10 degrees above average highs for late May. A broad dome of warm air with freezing levels greater than 3600 metres will develop south of Prince George and east of Tofino.

The ridge shifts slightly to the east but the warm air holds for Wednesday and Thursday, supporting melting of the remaining of high elevation snowpack. The weather charts are also showing increasing instability and the possibility of thunderstorms for late Wednesday and Thursday. It's too early to tell exactly where these showers or thunderstorms will be, but some localized rainfall can be expected. The forecast location and amounts from these thunderstorms by the models will be watched closely.

Longer term the upper ridge of high pressure will shift further eastwards and an upper trough of low pressure will begin to push in from the Pacific on Friday and Saturday. Lowering freezing levels are expected as we move into the weekend with initial computer model estimates showing 3000 metre freezing levels over the south coast and Okanagan, and 2500 metre freezing level over the Cariboo and central interior including Prince George.

WEATHER ALERTS

No weather alerts are currently in effect.

RIVER FORECAST CENTRE

Flood Warning: Bulkley River including tributaries around Houston, Smithers and adjacent areas. Salmon River near Falkland and Salmon River near Salmon Arm. Boundary, including the Kettle River, West Kettle River, Granby River and surrounding tributaries. Slocan River.

Flood Watch: Nautley River. Okanagan including Mission Creek and tributaries in the Vernon, Kelowna, Penticton, Oliver and surrounding areas. Similkameen River and tributaries including the Tulameen River. Shuswap River Central Interior including the Nicola River, Coldwater River, Bonaparte River, Guichon Creek and tributaries in the Merritt, Kamloops, Cache Creek and surrounding areas. West Kootenay, East Kootenay.

High Streamflow Advisory: Prince George area, including the Chilako River, Salmon River and surrounding tributaries. Fraser River, including the main stem from Lytton through Hope and the Fraser Valley. Bella Coola River and Lillooet River. North Thompson River and tributaries including the Clearwater River. Thompson River near Spences Bridge. Dean River. Fraser River at Prince George through Quesnel. Nechako River

PROVINCIAL TOTALS

PECC Activated - Level 2	VIR	SWE	NWE	CTL	SEA	NEA	Total
PREOC's Activated		1	1	1	1	1	5
SOLEs		5		23	8		36
BCRs		2		10		3	15
Evac Orders		5		29	6	1	40
Evac Alerts		13	1	39	10	5	68
ESS Reception Centres		1		10	1		12
ESS Group Lodging							0

- M, A state of local emergency has been declared in 36 communities (5 in Southwest region, 23 in Central region, 0 in Northeast region, 8 in Southeast region).
- There are 40 evacuation orders in effect across the province (5 in Southwest region, 29 in Central, 1 in Northeast region, 6 in Southeast region).
- There are 68 evacuation alerts (39 in Central region, 10 in Southeast region and 5 in Northeast region, 13 in Southwest and 1 in Northwest).

CENTRAL REGION (CTL)

The Central PREOC remains activated to level 2 in support of regional EOC's response to flood and debris flow incidents.

Columbia Shuswap Regional District (CSRD):

- **CSRD Area C – Sunnybrae:** A SOLE (expires May 25th) and an Evacuation Order remains in place to prohibit entry to homes destroyed in 2017 landslide.
- **CSRD Area D - Falkland:** A SOLE (expires May 25th) remains in effect due to imminent or occurring flooding.
- **CSRD Area F:** An Evacuation Alert remains in effect for 4 addresses in the Vicker's Trail and Robinson Creek areas due to spring 2017 flooding.
- **Little Shuswap Indian Band:** A BCR issued on May 8th remains in effect.

Regional District Okanagan-Similkameen (RDOS):

- **Electoral Area A:** A SOLE (expires May 23rd) remains in effect due to flooding risk near Osoyoos. An evacuation order remains for 16 units (Willow Beach).
- **Electoral Area B:** A SOLE (expires May 29th) remains in effect due to flooding risk in Cawston. An Evacuation Order remains for one property. An Evacuation Alert is in effect for 375 properties.

- **Electoral Area C:** A SOLE (expires May 28th) remains in effect. 16 properties remain under an Evacuation Order in the Sportsmen's Bowl Road area and 148 properties are under Evacuation Alert. An Evacuation Alert is in place for one property on Gold Tau Road.
- **Electoral Area D:** A SOLE (expires May 29th) remains for Green Lake (south of Okanagan Falls), Green Mountain Road and Farleigh Lake. One property on Green Mountain Road remains under evacuation Order. An Evacuation Alert remains in effect for 81 properties.
- **Electoral Area E:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in effect. No Orders or Alerts in effect.
- **Electoral Area F:** A SOLE (Expires May 26th) and an Evacuation Alert remain in effect for 60 properties near Faulder and Meadow Valley. An Evacuation Order for one property at Kettle Place is still active.
- **Electoral Area G:** A SOLE (expires May 29th) remains in effect. 1 Order for 9 properties and 4 Alerts for 394 properties remains in effect. A new Order was issued today for 4 properties in the Keremeos area.
- **Electoral Area H:** A SOLE (expires May 29th) remains in effect. There are 15 properties under Evacuation Order and approximately 245 properties under 2 Evacuation Alerts.
- **Village of Keremeos:** 511 properties in Keremeos remain on an Evacuation Alert.
- **District of Summerland:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in effect due to the threat of flooding on Eneas Creek. An evacuation alert for 2 properties on Garnet Avenue was issued on May 10.
- **City of Penticton:** A SOLE (expires May 28th) remains in effect for the entire city due to the risk of overland flooding.
- **Penticton Indian Band:** A BCR remains in place due to flooding risk on IR#1 & 2.
- **Okanagan Indian Band:** A BCR remains in place due to flooding risk covering reserves 3, 6, & 7. Three Orders covering 6 properties have been rescinded. Two Alerts covering 45 properties remain in effect.
- **Town of Osoyoos:** A SOLE (expires May 29th) remains in effect due to flooding risk on Osoyoos Lake. Two Evacuation Orders remain in effect for 24 properties. Two Evacuation Alerts remain in place for 143 properties.
- **Upper Similkameen Indian Band:** A Band Council Resolution remains in effect for Chuchuwayha IR 2.
- **Lower Similkameen Indian Band:** A BCR's remains in place along with an Evacuation Order for 2 properties and an Evacuation Alert for an unknown number of properties.
- **Town of Princeton:** A SOLE (expires May 23rd) remains in effect due to the threat of flooding. An Alert remains for 465 properties.

Thompson Nicola Regional District (TNRD):

- **Electoral Area J:** A SOLE (expires May 23rd) remains. And 1 order for two properties.
- **Electoral Area M:** A SOLE (expires May 23rd) remains in effect for Beautiful Nicola Valley North. Evacuation Orders have been rescinded for 19 properties in Stumbles Creek, Beaton Road and Guichon. 5 Evacuation Alerts remain for 84 properties.
- **City of Merritt:** A SOLE (expires May 26th) remains in effect due to threat of flooding on the Nicola River. 3 Evacuation Orders remain and an Evacuation Alert remains for 171 properties.
- **Upper Nicola Indian Band:** BCR in place. An Evacuation Alert remains in effect for 31 properties and 6 orders for 8 properties.
- **Lower Nicola Indian Band:** One BCR remains in effect due to rising waters and potential flooding issues. An Evacuation Alert is in place for 16 properties near Godey Creek. An Evacuation Order is in place for 7 properties.
- **Village of Cache Creek:** An Evacuation Alert remains in effect for one home.
- **Nooaitch Indian Band:** A BCR and Evacuation Alert remain in effect for 6 homes along Highway 8, west of Merritt, due to flooding risk. A BCR remains in effect to support an Evacuation Order for homes rendered uninhabitable during spring 2017 freshet flooding.

Regional District of Central Okanagan (RDCO):

- **RDCO Area West:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in effect for Central Okanagan West area. Two Alerts for two properties.
- **City Of Kelowna:** A SOLE (Expires May 28th) remains in place due to flooding along Mill Creek.
- **District of Peachland:** A SOLE (Expires May 27th) was declared due to a landslide at Princeton Ave and water flowing across Hwy 97.
- **District of Lake Country:** SOLE remains in place (Expires May 29th)
- **City Of West Kelowna:** A SOLE (Expires May 25th) remains in place. An Evacuation Order remains in effect for one property on Capri Road.
- **Westbank First Nation:** A BCR has been issued for IR#9 and 10.

Regional District of North Okanagan (RDNO): Issued a SOLE (expires May 24th).

- **Village of Lumby:** An Evacuation Alert remains in place for 170 properties.

NORTHEAST REGION (NEA)

The Northwest and Northeast regions opened a joint PREOC on May 11th to support EOCs opened across the two regions.

- **City of Prince George:** An Evacuation Alert remains in effect for 16 properties.
- **Nazko First Nation:** A BCR is in place. There is currently an Alert for 50 properties on Nazko First Nation IR20 & Besikoh IR27 and an Order for one property.
- **Regional District Fraser Fort George (RDFFG):** One property remains on Evacuation Alert.
- **Tl'etinqox (Anaham) Government:** A BCR is in place. One alert was issued for 5 homes at Anaham Meadows IR#1.
- **Xat'sull (Soda Creek Indian Band):** A BCR and an Evacuation Alert remain in place for 6 properties.

NORTHWEST REGION (NWE)

- **Regional District of Bulkley Nechako:** There is one Evacuation Alert in place for 23 properties in the Ebenezer Flats area.

SOUTHEAST REGION (SEA)

The Southeast PREOC remains activated in support of Local Authority's and First Nation EOC's response to flooding.

Regional District of Kootenay Boundary (RDKB): 761 properties were rescinded across RDKB and are now on Alert.

- **RDKB Area C:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in place. The Evacuation order has been partially rescinded to an Evacuation Alert for 532 properties. 156 properties remain under Order.
- **RDKB Area D:** A SOLE (Expires May 22nd) remains in place.
- **RDKB Area E:** A SOLE (Expires May 24nd) remains in place. The Evacuation order has been partially rescinded to an Evacuation Alert for 374 properties. 268 properties remain under Order.
- **City of Grand Forks:** A SOLE (Expires May 23rd) remains in effect. The group lodging has closed, but the Reception Centres remained open. The Evacuation order has been partially rescinded to an Evacuation Alert for 338 properties. 42 properties remain under Order.
- **Village of Midway:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in effect due to flooding. The Evacuation order has been partially rescinded to an Evacuation Alert for 35 properties. 31 properties remain under Order. The Midway Reception Centre closed.
- **City of Greenwood:** SOLE (expires May 22) An Evacuation Order is in place.

Regional District Central Kootenay (RDCK):

- **Area G:** A SOLE (expires May 21st).
- **Burton/Sentinel Mountain FSR** – Both locations have 1 Alert for 1 property due to landslide.
- **City of Castlegar:** An Evacuation Alert remains in place for 3 properties in Castlegar due to a landslide that occurred in Bloomer Creek in May 2017.
- **Village of Salmo (RDCK):** SOLE (expires May 21) On May 14th an Evacuation Alert was issued for all areas of Salmo affecting approximately 1049 properties due to rising waters on Erie Creek.
- **Slocan River Area** – One Alert was issued for 40 residences on Slocan Valley West Road. One Alert was issued for Indian Point Road for 17 residences.

SOUTHWEST REGION (SWE)

The Southwest PREOC remains activated to support communities at risk of flooding.

- **City of Abbotsford:** 1 Alert for 20 properties remains in effect.
- **City of Chilliwack:** A SOLE (expires May 28th) remains in effect. An Evacuation Order remains for 3 properties and an Evacuation Alert remains in effect for 6 homes. The privately constructed berm behind Ballam Road has failed and water has begun to flow across the fields towards structures. Residents remain despite evacuation order and have been sandbagging their homes.
- **City of Pitt Meadows:** SOLE (expires May 25th) An Evacuation Order and Evacuation Alert has also been issued.
- **District of Hope:** Issued an Alert for 44 properties.
- **District of Kent:** A SOLE (expires May 24th) and an Evacuation Order remains in place for six properties due to a rockslide which occurred on November 5, 2017. A new Alert for 23 properties was issued for Harrison Mills May 18th.
- **District of Mission:** The Reception Centre at Mission Fire Hall has closed.
- **Fraser Valley Regional District (FVRD):** A SOLE (expires May 24th) remains in effect.
 - **Electoral Area C:** 1 Order for 5 properties in the Harrison Bay area remains. An Alert for 428 properties was issued yesterday.
 - **Electoral Area G:** 1 Order for 18 properties, and 2 Alerts with an unknown number of properties remains in effect.
- **Katzie First Nation:** A BCR has been issued and an Evacuation Alert for all of Katzie First Nation (103 properties).
- **Leq'a mel First Nations:** Issued an Alert on May 18th

- **Metro Vancouver Regional District (MVRD):** Electoral Area A: A SOLE (expires May 23) for 70 properties remains in effect. Public access to Barnston Island has been restricted except for residents and authorized personnel.
- **Peters First Nations:** A BCR (expires May 25th) and an alert was issued for 11 properties
- **Township of Langley:** An Evacuation Alert for approximately 266 properties has been issued for the unprotected flood plain areas of Northwest Langley, Glen Valley, Brae Island and McMillian Island.

2018 Freshet Background:

- A higher than normal snowpack combined with hot temperatures has led to on-going rises in river levels and flooding incidents in a number of communities across the province.
- Above normal temperatures are forecast to continue for next week, and river levels are expected to increase again in areas with snow.
- With hot weather forecast to continue over the Fraser River watershed through this week and, additional rises on the lower Fraser River are also expected this coming weekend.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 10:13 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Draft Q&A
Attachments: 2018.05.22 BC Ferries QA - draft.docx

Updated. Please review and flag any issues. Thanks!

Aileen Machell
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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 22, 2018 8:18 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Fwd: Draft Q&A

One theme to consider, especially in kinder Morgan deadline looming context...

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Katie Robb

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>
Date: May 22, 2018 at 08:07:06 PDT
To: "Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX" <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>, "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Draft Q&A

Debora,

Can you please review the attached draft q&a for BC Ferries?

Thank you,

Will

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Sunday, May 20, 2018 10:48 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Revised

Sorry a couple changes to last paragraph.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Sunday, May 20, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Revised

Here's my first draft. Haven't spoken to James or Will yet but will keep you posted.

Dear Mr. Hayes,

I appreciate our conversation Friday,^{s.22}

As you know, our government has committed to making life more affordable for the people in our province, including by ensuring travel by ferry is affordable. The Transportation Ministry worked very closely with BC Ferries for several months to negotiate an agreement that would enable government's ferry fare relief commitments which went into effect on April 1st, 2018. This included freezing fares on the three Major routes, reducing the fares on all other routes by 15 percent and reinstating the 100% discount on seniors' passenger fares on travel Monday through Thursday. To achieve these reductions, government increased the subsidy to BC Ferries by \$59 million over two years, the highest single increase in more than a decade.

During the last week, I was surprised and disappointed to learn that BC Ferries was going to announce publicly the removal of the fuel rebates of 2.9 percent on the Major and Minor routes and 1.9 percent on the Northern Routes, less than two months after government's fare reduction strategy was put into place. As a Minister I am personally committed to delivering on our government's promise to freeze fares. I expressed that to you, and I

believe the move by BC Ferries to eliminate the fuel rebate, thus increasing the cost British Columbians pay, is contrary to that.

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I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Saturday, May 19, 2018 9:19 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Flood Map for Public

FYI - flood map to go online today.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Kristianson, Eric GCPE:EX" <Eric.Kristianson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: May 18, 2018 at 7:11:31 PM PDT
To: "Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX" <Shawn.1.Robins@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Singh, Gurdeep FLNR:EX" <Gurdeep.Singh@gov.bc.ca>, "Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX" <Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>, "Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX" <Liam.Lawson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Flood Map for Public

Excellent idea!

Eric Kristianson
ADM Strategic Issues Division
GCPE

On May 18, 2018, at 6:26 PM, Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX <Shawn.1.Robins@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Fantastic

Sent from my iPhone

On May 18, 2018, at 6:26 PM, Singh, Gurdeep FLNR:EX <Gurdeep.Singh@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

As below - looks like we may be able to get an interactive Flood map online as soon as this weekend for the hub site. Eric and I discussed how this was a gap earlier this week.

Will let you all know how this progresses. It should make the site much more popular.

Jordan Turner

Communications Manager | EMBC

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, "Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX"

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Subject: Flood Map for Public

As per discussion with Ian Lightbody (see email below) we would like to discuss the opportunity to create and launch a Flood Map for Public. If there is an agreement and approval we can launch it tomorrow afternoon. There is so much public interest on what, when and where of flooding.

From: Lightbody, Ian EMBC:EX

Sent: Friday, May 18, 2018 16:39

To: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; Bates, Stan EMBC:EX; McLarty, Jennifer EMBC:EX; McClintock, Carol EMBC:EX

Cc: Arril, Ben FLNR:EX; Singh, Gurdeep FLNR:EX

Subject: GIS addition to emergency info BC

Gurdeep has come up with a proposal to have a slimmed down version of the COP with just Evacuation Orders, alerts and the River Forecast Centre information (advisories, watches, warnings) available for public consumption through EmergencyInfoBC. Right now there is no map/GIS viewable part of EmergencyInfoBC and having a map view is much more intuitive than the list of districts. s.13

s.13

If there is any interest in this, Gurdeep proposed doing a call tomorrow afternoon. If not we can put it on the back burner.

Ian

Ian Lightbody | Director Projects

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 18, 2018 1:46 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Note
Attachments: BN Fuel Rebates May 16.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 17, 2018 4:56 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Farny On Accomplishments
Attachments: Farny On Accomplishments.m4a; ATT00001.txt

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 17, 2018 9:11 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: Updated note
Attachments: 2018.05.17 QP Note Staff information management - Aileen edits.docx

Importance: High

Updated note for today Shannon. Liam/Nimmi – FYI for Minister Farnworth. Thanks.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 17, 2018 8:26 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.17 QP Note Email Accounts - draft.docx

And another.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 17, 2018 8:25 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: New note

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, May 17, 2018 8:21 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Note
Attachments: 2018.05.16 QP Note - E&N Corridor - FINAL.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 7:16 PM
To: Curtis, David CITZ:EX
Subject: Statement

The following statement is from Don Wright, Deputy Minister to the Premier:

“As staff learned their roles and responsibilities, there may have been some instances of best practises not being followed. Staff have since received training and are taking a more cautious approach to the management of email.

“While we are not aware of any specific records being handled in a way that violates policy, my office will be reviewing email records for this time period and restore any records if necessary.”

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 6:51 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Another one
Attachments: CTZ-2018-81316, Page 32 & 33 w Emails Severed.pdf

Minister is also hoping this one could be provided to Palmer. Let me know if that's possible. Thanks!

I have also attached an email Minister Sims sent to Chief of Staff Geoff Meggs referenced by MLA Mike De jong in the House on May 10, 2018. Clearly this email was referencing the timing of an event and was not a discussion about a multi-billion-dollar project.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 6:46 PM
To: Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX; Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Subject: Another email to provide
Attachments: CTZ-2018-81316, Page 32 & 33 w Emails Severed.pdf

Hi Shruti,
Can you also provide this one to Dr. Romana? Thank you.

I have also attached an email Minister Sims sent to Chief of Staff Geoff Meggs referenced by MLA Mike De jong in the House on May 10, 2018. Clearly this email was referencing the timing of an event and was not a discussion about a multi-billion-dollar project.

Happy to provide more information if you would like.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 6:24 PM
To: Curtis, David CITZ:EX
Subject: As discussed
Attachments: Response Letter - AED-2018-82418.pdf

Thank you,

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 6:11 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX; Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX
Subject: Message for Dr. Romana
Attachments: CTZ-2018-81316, Page 32 & 33 w Emails Severed.pdf

Hello,

Minister Sims' emails were discussed on Romana's show this morning. We are hoping you could send this to him, along with the attachment:

Here's the email from Minister Sims that was discussed by MLA Peter Milobar on your show. As you can see, a private citizen emailed the constituency office and it was forwarded to the minister's personal email. She then forwarded it to her ministry office staff without comment. There was no discussion of policy related to procurement over her personal email, as the opposition is suggesting.

Happy to provide more information if you would like.

Let me know, thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 12:23 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: UPDATED QA
Attachments: 2018.05.16 - MN - Records Management.docx

Importance: High

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 12:08 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Hynes, Colin GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: UPDATED
Attachments: 2018.05.16 QP Note Staff information management - Deputy version.docx; ATT00001.htm

Updated note! Please put in his binder.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Date: May 16, 2018 at 11:32:12 AM PDT
To: "Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX" <Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>, "Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX" <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: UPDATED

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 11:19 AM
To: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Note for today

See you soon.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 11:32 AM
To: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: UPDATED
Attachments: 2018.05.16 QP Note Staff information management - Deputy version.docx

Importance: High

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To: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Note for today

See you soon.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 11:32 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.16 QP Note Staff information management - SIMS version MH.docx

Updated version. Please ensure she has this one instead. Thanks!

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 11:20 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: New note
Importance: High

For Minister Sims to use in QP.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 11:15 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.16 QP Note - E&N Corridor - FINAL.docx

Importance: High

Hi!

Feel free to make suggestions and to add in any background you think is necessary. Here's the updated messaging. I'll be late to QP prep as I'm working on another issue. Of note – View Royal Mayor is quoted on the E&N story today.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 16, 2018 10:52 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: QA for today
Attachments: 2018.05.15 - MN - Records Management - FINAL.docx

Please ensure Minister has time to read through this.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 9:22 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP Note
Attachments: 2018.05.15 QP Note Staff information management - Deputy version draft.docx

Importance: High

Last version.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 9:10 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP Note

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 9:01 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP Note
Importance: High

Wait, don't use this one. Another one coming shortly.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 8:54 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: QP Note

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 15, 2018 8:38 AM
To: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: Please review
Attachments: 2018.05.15 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - draft.docx

Importance: High

For today's QP.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 12:12 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: 2018.05.14 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - FINAL.docx
Attachments: 2018.05.14 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - FINAL.docx; ATT00001.txt

Here's the final version for today's QP.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Updated
Attachments: 2018.05.14 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - FINAL.docx; 2018.05.14 QP Note Staff information management - PREMIER version.docx

Expanded DFA eligibility added in messaging and resources in background.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 11:04 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Notes
Attachments: 2018.05.14 QP Note Staff information management - draft PREMIER version.docx; 2018.05.14 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - draft.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 14, 2018 9:22 AM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.14 QP Note Staff information management - MINISTER version.docx

Importance: High

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 11:20 AM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Subject: New note
Attachments: 2018.05.09 QP Note- Support for Tourism Industry - draft.docx

Just in case. Will likely add updates later.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:30 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Talbot, Sarena AEST:EX
Subject: Final version
Attachments: 2018.05.09 QP Note - VIU Transportation.docx

Final version. Thanks all!

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:20 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Talbot, Sarena AEST:EX
Subject: RE: Draft note

Ok, here's the latest with a few minor edits. Adding Sarena on to the chain as well.

Katie/Rodney, is this line accurate?

- BC Transit and Vancouver Island University are examining a variety of options to make a difference in the daily lives of students commuting in the region.

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:15 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Draft note

I like this frame (from TRAN perspective) and the focus on service improvements

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:14 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Draft note
Importance: High

Updated note. Does this work?

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX

Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 10:06 AM

To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX

Subject: RE: Draft note

Input from TRAN/BC Transit perspective (full info below)

- BC Transit, in collaboration with local governments is working on the Future Plan for transit in the area over the next three years
- Part of this work includes looking at new connections to Nanaimo from the Cowichan Valley
- Once all partners have reached an agreement (on service, funding, etc) this can go ahead

UPASS is a discounted pass program offered to universities and colleges through an agreement with the university, the student union and the local government. For the UPASS program to be implemented agreement must be reached between the three parties. Students must then vote through a referendum process to agree to participate in the program which has a mandatory fee, whether they use the service or not. At this time VIU does not offer a UPASS program.

The Cowichan Valley Transit Future Plan identifies a number of transit expansion initiatives over the next 3 years to improve transit service. The initiatives identified focus on improvements to evening and weekend service as well as potential improvements to transit services to Victoria and new connections to Nanaimo. These initiatives are subject funding being available from local government and the province.

System	Type	Year	Hours	Buses	Service Description
Cowichan Valley	Conventional	19/20	500	0	Improvements to core routes
Cowichan Valley	Conventional	20/21	2000	1	TFP Recommendations: Improvements to V
Cowichan Valley	Conventional	21/22	1000	0	TFP Recommendations: Improvements to F
Cowichan Valley	Conventional	21/22	2000	2	Cowichan to Nanaimo Connection
Cowichan Valley	Commuter	21/22	700	1	Additional weekday peak trip
Cowichan Valley	Custom	21/22	2500	1	TFP Recommendations

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Sent: Wednesday, May 9, 2018 9:58 AM

To: Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX

Subject: Draft note

Importance: High

Please review and provide input as soon as you can. Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 10:41 AM
To: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP note
Attachments: 2018.05.07 - Support for Flood Affected Communities - FINAL.docx

Here's my final version. Thanks!

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From: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 10:17 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP note

Hi Aileen – I've incorporated some of your messaging for my note which also includes funding details.

Draft attached.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 10:15
To: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: QP note
Importance: High

Can I get specifics on this:

- The Province has also announced several major flood prevention and emergency preparedness projects this year, including funding for the National Disaster Flood Mitigation Program, the Community Emergency Preparedness Fund, and several other structural and non-structural flood mitigation projects throughout B.C.

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From: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 10:07 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: QP note

Looks good, thanks Aileen!

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 9:46 AM
To: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Subject: QP note

Does this look alright?

Aileen Machell
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 10:03 AM
To: Riley, Karl CITZ:EX; Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: Updated note
Attachments: 2018.05.04 QP Note Staff information management - FINAL.docx

Importance: High

Based on the back and forth during estimates. Let me know if you have any concerns.
Thanks!

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 9:22 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Smith, George AG:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Note
Attachments: 2018-05-04 Red Light Cameras- FINAL.docx

Here's the final note..

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Issues Manager
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From: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 9:14 AM
To: Smith, George AG:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Note

In the note it says that its likely revenues for local governments will increase- is that likely?

On the photo radar question. The answer should be No. then the rest of what we have written. MMF has been emphatic that this is not photo radar.

On the ICBC piece can we add a separate section like the photo radar and only say that if asked and not include it in the main messaging.

Thanks,
Nimmi

From: Smith, George AG:EX
Sent: Monday, May 7, 2018 8:46 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Note

I think we should add that:

- The funds from the red light camera program will not be used to cover ICBC's insurance losses.

And maybe something like:

- The ultimate goal here is not to increase the amount of fines but instead to change the behaviour of drivers, reduce collisions and save lives.

-George

On May 7, 2018, at 8:34 AM, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi!

Please take a look and let me know of any concerns as soon as possible. Thanks!

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<2018-05-04 Red Light Cameras- draft.docx>

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 4, 2018 1:05 PM
To: Riley, Karl CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: note
Attachments: 2018.04.24 QP - ATTORNEY GENERAL - ICBC FINAL.docx

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From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, May 4, 2018 1:03 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: note

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 2:22 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX
Subject: DBC info for BCBC

Hi There – attached is the info re: the BC Visitor Centres.

Closures:

Vancouver International Airport VC – 2015
Mt. Robson Provincial Park – 2016
Golden – 2017
Merritt - Jan. 2018
Peace Arch will close Sept. 2018

YVR: Same location.

Osoyoos: Responsibility transitioned to Destination Osoyoos (DO); they moved into former British Columbia Visitor Centre (BCVC building). DBC still is tenant in this crown owned building (CITZ); DBC sublets to DO.

Golden: Responsibility transitioned to Tourism Golden. They now run visitor services from a new building that they built. Old BCVC building (closed) is owned by Town of Golden.

Mt Robson – transitioned to BC Parks. Same building as the former BCVC

Merritt – responsibility for visitor services transitioned to City of Merritt and they run visitor services from Baillie House Visitor Centre. Building closed.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 2:17 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Article

Nice! Good setup for the 16th

Katie Robb

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 2:11 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: Article

<https://www.thestar.com/vancouver/2018/06/27/hiring-requirement-on-federally-funded-projects-aims-to-spark-provincial-and-municipal-action.html>

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 11:18 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: DBC info
Attachments: 10. Visitor Services in Merritt_April 24.docx; 9. Visitor Services in BC_April 24.docx

Hi Aileen – here are the estimates notes on the topic and info that shows a decline in physical visits to the provincial visitor centres across BC over the last eight years:

Appendix 1 - Ten Year Visitation at B.C. Visitor Centres and Community Visitor Centres

	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017
Visitors	3,042,425	3,087,443	3,083,029	2,917,398	2,734,674	2,587,164	2,659,548	2,573,729	2,589,686	2,521,819

- In 2017/18, DBC worked collaboratively with the communities of Golden, Osoyoos and Merritt to successfully transition the operation and management of the BCVCs in their areas to community-led management models. These communities are all now funded members of the Visitor Services Network Program.
- Benefits to communities that are members of the Visitor Services Network include Visitor Services branding, use of trademarks, highway signage, training and training materials, and the opportunity to participate in social media visitor services training programs..
- Total operating costs for the Community Visitor Services program for 2018/19 is \$2.68 million which includes base funding, highway signage, social media visitor services, training and other operational expenses.

Merritt VC Info:

- DBC divested itself from directly providing visitor services in Merritt for the following reasons:
 - Visitor volume had declined significantly over the years, with the increased reliance on digital information and changes in consumer behaviour;
 - The building was used predominantly as a washroom stop, not for visitor services;
 - The centre was costly to operate. The facility's septic infrastructure had reached its end of life and required significant investment to upgrade;
 - Transitioning to a community based model equates to a cost savings of \$230,000 annually, which is being redirected to other priorities;
 - Local First Nations have expressed interest in redeveloping this site; and
 - Visitor services were simultaneously being offered in downtown Merritt (at the Baillie House);
- Transitioning visitor services from a provincial to community model allows for a more flexible, location-based, customer-centric model aligning to the unique services required by travelers and local businesses in the area, and driving visitors into the City of Merritt.
- The City of Merritt is now a member of DBC's Visitor Services Network Program and receives \$25,000 per year in base funding to assist with the delivery of visitor services.

- The City of Merritt is now providing visitor services through Tourism Merritt in a variety of ways, including face-to-face visitor services from the Merritt Visitor Centre at the Baillie House located in downtown Merritt, summer Tourism Ambassadors, social media and digital channels.

The new Rest Area 37 km east of Merritt on Hwy 97C (the Okanagan Connector) opened in February 2018 to complement the existing Rest Areas at Britton Creek (67 km south of Merritt), at the Coquihalla Lakes (former Toll Booth) on Hwy 5 (70 km South of Merritt and 64 km north of Merritt on Hwy 5 towards Kamloops at Walloper. The City of Merritt also has a number of commercial establishments offering visitor amenities such as dining, shopping, washrooms and parks.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 10:41 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: RE: For approval pls - ridehailing

I'm inclined to think a statement is better, but could be convinced. Those messages look good to me.

Matt

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 10:35 AM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: For approval pls - ridehailing

Thoughts on putting someone up?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 28, 2018 at 10:33:25 AM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For approval pls - ridehailing

All –

Two requests on the 'Ridesharing Now for BC' (Lyft/Tostenson) rally. Suggest we send responses before the rally begins at 11:30, if you can please review/approve this recommended response:

- We know people are frustrated and have been waiting too long for a solution to the lack of transportation options that are available - particularly in Metro Vancouver. People want more options for getting around the city efficiently and affordably — and they want it now.
- The Province is committed to bringing in a solution for taxis and other passenger directed vehicles.
- We're working hard on a plan that protects existing jobs but also opens the door to more modern transportation options that will deliver the convenience and reliability that people are looking for.
- We'll have more to say on government's next steps for taxi and ride hailing later this year.

MEDIA REQUEST #1:**Reporter**

Anita Bathe, Reporter

CBC - Vancouver

anita.bathe@cbc.ca

604-662-6910 c: 778-242-5915

Deadline Thursday, June 28, 2018 12:00 PM

Request

Reporter writes:

I have a news release saying Ride Share for BC is having a news conference today to urge government to bring in ride sharing asap.

These are the members of the group:

- Ian Tostenson - BC Restaurants and Food Services Association
- Nate Sabine - Blueprint, Barwatch, Hospitality Vancouver Association
- Curtis Robinson – Board Chair, Barwatch
- Kerry Gibson - EcoCentury Technologies
- Ken Beattie - BC Craft Brewers Guild
- Anita Huberman - Surrey Board of Trade
- Jeff Guigard –The Alliance of Beverage Licensees (ABLE BC)
- Chad Wetsch – Harbour Air Group
- Andrea Arnott – Vancouver Pride Society
- Val Litwin – President and CEO – BC Chamber of Commerce

Any chance of putting anyone else up for reax on camera?

MEDIA REQUEST #2:**Reporter**

Max Haberstroh, Producer

CBC British Columbia

max.haberstroh@cbc.ca

604-662-6819 c: 778-929-3537

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter writes:

Coming out of the presser today by Rideshare Now for BC, we're hoping to interview the minister for a check-in on the effort to bring those services to this province.

That interview would be pre-taped on-camera, and our calendar is wide open, so let us make it work for you.

Reporter has been informed the minister is unavailable for interview - suggest providing background messaging in response.

Proposed response:

- We know people are frustrated and have been waiting too long for a solution to the lack of transportation options that are available - particularly in Metro Vancouver. People want more options for getting around the city efficiently and affordably — and they want it now.
- The Province is committed to bringing in a solution for taxis and other passenger directed vehicles.
- We're working hard on a plan that protects existing jobs but also opens the door to more modern transportation options that will deliver the convenience and reliability that people are looking for.
- We'll have more to say on government's next steps for taxi and ride hailing later this year.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beare, Lisa TAC:EX
Subject: Call at noon.

Please use the following phone-in details for our call at noon today.

s.15;s.17

Extension: s.15;s.17

I will act as the moderator for the call.


Best,
Kelly



Kelly Newhook, Senior Ministerial Assistant

Minister's Office

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
Sport and Multiculturalism

 250-953-0905



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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 28, 2018 7:32 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: CHAN: Ridesharing rally

Know anything about this? We're pulling together some messaging now...

Katie Robb

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX" <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 28, 2018 at 07:30:31 PDT
To: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>, "Bowness, Lisanne GCPE:EX" <Lisanne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: CHAN: Ridesharing rally

I'll throw together some messaging

Begin forwarded message:

From: <tno@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 28, 2018 at 7:11:33 AM PDT
To: Undisclosed recipients;;
Subject: CHAN: Ridesharing rally

CHAN (Global BC - Vancouver)
Global BC Morning News
28-Jun-2018 06:36

A rally is planned today at Jack Poole Plaza to convince the government to allow Uber and Lyft in Vancouver. Earlier this week Premier Horgan backed away from a Christmas 2018 approval date. [pjhh, zpz, tran, maz]

TNO...

Request Transcript...

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 4:44 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Subject: FW: Surrey messaging

Hi Aileen, we've reviewed and here is edited with changes noted:

Gun and Gang Violence

KEY RESPONSES:

General:

- People deserve to feel safe in their communities and their neighbourhoods.
- A long-term solution will require all members of the community and all levels of government working hard together.
- I want British Columbians to know that they have a government that will be a full partner in building safer communities – and providing opportunities for people to succeed.
- Ending the gun violence that's taking lives, including those of our youth, and threatening bystanders will continue to require strong, strategic prevention and enforcement efforts.
- And it will take a long-term commitment from all levels of government, police, teachers, parents and others who play a role in the lives of our young people.

On policing efforts:

Use this:

- Ending the gun violence that's taking young lives and threatening bystanders will continue to require **strong, strategic prevention and enforcement efforts** – with a long-term commitment from all levels of government, police, teachers, parents and others.
- We're also keenly focused on ensuring communities have the right number of front line police officers, but also benefit from the expertise of specialized units like the Combined Forces Special Enforcement Unit (CFSEU-BC).

- We need to make sure young people are knowledgeable and resilient, and that police have the tools and structure they need to prevent crime, disrupt organized crime groups, and gather evidence toward successful prosecutions.
- A strong response to ending the gun violence also includes communities and families coming together and finding solutions.

Not this:

- We all want to make sure that communities have the right number of police on the ground at the right time and in the right location. That could be regular police officers, or the special units that are in place, but our job is to ensure access to the Combined Forces Special Enforcement Unit (CFSEU-BC).

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- Our government has approved every request for additional police resources from municipalities.

On Fed Government \$327 million pledge to help fight guns and gangs:

- We are pleased the federal government recognizes the devastating impact of gun and gang violence, and is stepping up to assist us and other provinces in dealing with it. We remain in discussion with the federal government about how that funding will be shared among us and when it will be dispersed.

Surrey Wrap Funding:

- In October, we announced secure, annual funding of \$500,000 for the Surrey Wraparound program, commonly known as Surrey Wrap.
- Since then, the number of families served by Wrap has grown by 10 per cent, to 147.
- Wrap is a proven program – it has helped hundreds of families and youth as young as 11, and it has reduced participants' negative police contacts by two-thirds.

- The annual funding we committed responds to the fact that this program has had exceptional uptake, year after year, and we expect that there will be continued interest and referrals.
- Surrey Wrap is about stopping the flow of young people into positions in the drug trade that open up when someone else dies or goes to jail.
- I can't stress how important this work is. No one wants to see a young person end up at either end of an illegal firearm.
- By keeping youth out of gangs, we can stop this vicious circle and build a better future for our communities.

On the tragic shooting of two Surrey youth:

- Let me begin by saying that my thoughts, and those of all of my government colleagues, have been with the families and friends of both Jason and Jesse since we heard about their deaths.
- Any senseless killing is tragic and appalling. But when the victims are so young, the injustice is amplified.
- It spurs us to demand justice, and to seek ways to shield other young lives from danger.
- In this case, we do know that IHIT is hard at work, and we are all eager to see them succeed, and to hear the results.
- Ending the gun violence that's taking young lives and threatening bystanders will continue to require strong, strategic prevention and enforcement efforts.
- And it will take a long-term commitment from all levels of government, police, teachers, parents and others who play a role in the lives of our young people.

Role of Families and Friends:

- **No one should believe that government alone, police alone, our schools or any single group is going to stop gang violence single-handedly.**
- **Certainly, we can collaborate to make sure young people are knowledgeable and resilient, and that police have the tools and structure they need to prevent crime, disrupt organized crime groups, and gather evidence toward successful prosecutions.**
- **But that collaboration also must include everyone who is in the know, stepping up and taking responsibility for the safety of their communities, and for curbing senseless bloodshed.**
- **If you suspect that a relative or a family member is involved in gang activity, you need to come forward with that information.**
- **Because that is one of the key ways in which the police are going to be able to put together a strong case and lay the charges that will result in a successful conviction in a court.**
- **Information from people like you can make a difference, further police investigations and, in some cases, help to bring justice for grieving families.**

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 4:34 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Cc: Zadavec, Don GCPE:EX; Sieben, Mark PSSG:EX; Sitter, Donna GCPE:EX; Hynes, Colin GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: KM - German report - response if needed

Hi Nimmi/Liam: KM below if needed for response to Peter German's comments on the need for a specialized gaming police force, (Designated Police Unit). German's comments from the news conference follow KM's.

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From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 4:28 PM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX; Carreras, Korleen TAC:EX; Holding, Marina TAC:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Avison, Claire TAC:EX; Carroll, Sandra TAC:EX; Meadows, Jennifer L TAC:EX; Poirier, Dorice TAC:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Media Notes - CBC Kelowna Interview - 7:20 a.m. Thursday - Merritt Visitor Centre
Attachments: INVU NOTE_KM Visitor Centre in Merritt CJ.DOCX

Hi Folks – attached are the notes/ background for MLB. We do not yet have the link or transcript of the interview this morning with the Mayor but will send as soon as we get it. This messaging is based on info from FLNRO, CITZ and TRAN as well as DBC.

Aileen has provided messaging for MLB to use should she be asked “*whose decision was it to close the visitor centre*”. This messaging was also shared with PO for use by PJH as needed. Please note the call-in/ interview details below:

DATE: Thurs, June 28
TIME: 7:20 a.m. LIVE. (Pls call studio number at 7:16 a.m.)
FORMAT: LIVE via PHONE
Length-of-Interview: 3 mins
HOST: Chris Walker
MEDIA OUTLET: CBC Radio Kelowna

FOCUS: *BC tourism minister Lisa Beare explains decision to move tourism information services into downtown Merritt, responding to criticism from Merritt Mayor Neil Menard.*

STUDIO CALL-IN: 250-861 3272

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 4:01 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX; May, Cheryl MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Media Request: HRT case

Approved. Thanks Shawn.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 27, 2018, at 3:27 PM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Paula,

Are you o.k. with the suggested response below?

Reporter

Charlotte Helston, Reporter
InfoNews
chelston@infotelnews.ca
250-309-5230

Deadline ASAP

Request

I am writing a story about the following Human Rights Tribunal case: Deborah Ashton v. IDM Youth Services and Her Majesty the Queen in the Right of the Province of British Columbia as represented by the Ministry of Children and Family Development.

Would it be possible to arrange an interview with a spokesperson?

Some of my questions include:

- When would a person's criminal record affect their chances of being hired to work with children and youth?
- How does the Ministry view criminal records where an individual has been acquitted of the charges? Does the record have any bearing on their chances of employment?
- Does everyone who works with children undergo a criminal record check? What other types of vetting do they undergo before being permitted to work with youth?

Background

Have advised the reporter that an interview is unlikely as this is a case-specific matter before the courts, but that I could get her some background information on hiring and record checks.

Recommendation

Background and criminal record checks are required for any position that directly delivers services to children and families.

We would consider all aspects of the criminal record check – charges, as well as convictions.

In circumstances where an applicant has been acquitted of past charges, we would need to weigh a number of factors, including: the nature and the circumstances of the charges, the reasons for the acquittal, and the nature of employment being sought.

We also check our child protection database to ensure the individual has not previously placed children at risk.

Our paramount consideration is always the safety and well-being of children and youth. We would take appropriate steps to ensure that anyone who is deemed unsafe or unfit does not work with vulnerable young people.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 3:57 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: IB

I just saw this!

FYI - Ours is going out at 10:45 tomorrow morning.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 3:56 PM
To: Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: IB

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2018JTT0029-001304>

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Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 3:00 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fee Reduction Initiative

When parents reach out..

- We are unable to comment on the status or circumstance of a specific provider's application to the Child-Care Fee Reduction Initiative.
- We encourage parents to talk to providers about their application, to read the [frequently asked questions \(FAQ\)](#) on our CCOF website, and parents can check on the status of their care provider, or others, using the ["Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative - Provider Opt-In Status" site](#).
- To discuss further, the constituent may contact Child Care Program and Service Centre at [1-888-338-6622](tel:1-888-338-6622) (select option #2).

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 1:43 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: Surrey messaging

Just sent you the most recent I have, but I believe you may already have them

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 1:27 PM
To: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: Surrey messaging

Hi!

Can you please send me the latest messaging on Surrey crime?

Thanks,

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 27, 2018 12:06 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: Media Response - Merrit Visitor Centre Closure - CBC Kelowna

Hi Aileen – MLB is doing an interview tomorrow a.m. on CBC Kelowna morning show. This is response to recent interviews/ comments by the Mayor of Merritt about the Visitor Centre (interview from this morning being retrieved) who was interview this a.m. on the show.

Below in the highlighted area is messaging for MLB with some additional questions she'd like to make sure she has info for and hoping you can help with these.

Reporter

Christina Low, Producer

CBC - Kelowna

christina.low@cbc.ca

250-861-3781 x 237

Deadline Tuesday, June 26, 2018 3:30 PM

Request

Looking into the Merritt mayor's call to reopening the Merritt tourist centre. Understands that Mayor Neil Menard has been in discussions with Minister Donaldson about it.

Looking for the minister's view on having the centre reopened given that:

People are still using the centre;

The centre is becoming unsightly;

The Lower Nicola Indian Band has expressed an interest and is open to operating the centre.

Host Chris Walker is talking with Mayor Neil Menard tomorrow morning at 7:15 a.m. about it.

Would the Minister be able to come on the show and respond at 7:20 a.m.

Details -

Show: CBC Daybreak South

Host: Chris Walker

Call-in time: 7:12 a.m.

Listen to Mayor Menard: 7:15 a.m.

Respond at: 7:20 a.m.

Call-in line (studio): 250 861-3272

Back-up: email Chris.Walker@cbc.ca

Ask for: Jaimie Kehler

Length: 2-3 minutes

KEY MESSAGES for CBC INVU:

- The Province recognizes the value that visitor services contribute to B.C.'s tourism industry and to the quality of the visitor experience.
- We know that traditional bricks and mortar visitor centres are seeing a steady decline in visitation.
- Based on consultations with the local community, the decision was made to close the Visitors Centre at the exit ramp of the Coquihalla and Highway 97C in January in order to give the community and visitors enough time to adjust before the busy summer tourist season.
- What was also confirmed was those using this public space was not for visitor information – it was to use the bathroom facilities.
- As part of Destination BC's strategy to transition the operation and management of BC Visitor Centres to local communities, all visitor services for the City of Merritt are now provided at the city's existing downtown location, the Visitor Centre at the Baillie House.
- This brings these services closer to the community and brings them into the city centre – providing a benefit to local businesses.
- For those planning to visit Merritt, there remains a wealth of information online.
- Destination BC will continue to work with the City of Merritt to ensure the Exit 286 booth is kept clean and maintained. The province will be funding that maintenance throughout the summer.
- As well, the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure is installing signage ahead of the long weekend to indicate the Visitor Centre at Exit 286 is closed and to redirect people into Merritt for visitor information and rest facilities.
- For those who are looking for rest services, there are nearby rest-stops along Highway 97C and Highway 5/ 5A:
 - Clapperton Chain-up on Highway 5 – 5KM north of Merritt (1 toilet)
 - Hamilton Brake Check on Highway 5A – 10KM southeast of Merritt (1 toilet)

- Nikola Lake on Highway 5A – 13KM east of Merritt (2 toilets)
- Loon Lake rest area on Highway 97C – 40KM south of Merritt (8 toilets when fully operational – currently porta-potties while filtration system is being installed for washroom facilities)
- For more information about rest stops in the area, check out DriveBC.ca.

If asked what will happen to the land and building where the Visitor Centre sits?

- The land at the site of the old Provincial Visitor Centre is owned by the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations & Rural Development (FLNRO), and the building is owned by the Strategic Real Estate Services, in the Ministry of Citizen's Services.
- The Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development recently awarded a grant to Spayum Developments Ltd. to create a master development plan that will identify the best future use of this property.
- This project will include a technical site assessment, servicing plans and consultation with local communities and First Nations.
- The plan is expected to be developed over the next year.

If asked if the province worked with local government on closing the old Visitor Centre

- The decision to move the visitor services was done in consultation with the community. The visitor services that were moved from the old highway location are now available closer to the very community it serves.
- We did not make this decision in isolation. It was made after careful consideration of what is best for visitors, for the community and for the responsible stewardship of facilities.
- The Merritt council was part of this decision – including, at the time, - the Mayor Merritt.
- This centre was primarily used as a bathroom rest stop and that was not serving the community or visitors.

- I know the Mayor has voiced concerns regarding the maintenance of the land around the old Visitor Centre and the province is working to not only maintain the current site but to find a new use for this property.

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BACKGROUND: ARTICLE WITH MAYOR'S CONCERNS

Provincial posted June 23, 2018 by Dylan McCullough

The province's empty visitor centre is becoming a problem says Merritt mayor

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From: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 4:14 PM
To: Kristianson, Eric GCPE:EX; Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FYI: PO FOI requests

Hi there – just making sure you're in the loop regarding FOIs from the PO that are being processed now. Cheers, Chris

From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 3:56 PM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Subject: update re: FOI requests

Here is the update on the processing of these requests:

- A total of 21 requests have recovered records with about 900 pages.
- Four requests will go out today with records pertaining to two staff (Amber Nash and Christine Kennedy)
- There are expected to be more going out later this week, however, staff don't have an exact number as they are still doing some consultation as part of the normal FOI review process.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 2:02 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: coffee this afternoon?

Ok, see you in 5!

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 2:01 PM
To: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: coffee this afternoon?

Sounds good.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 26, 2018, at 1:59 PM, Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Yep, I just made myself a tea but I can walk down with it. Meet at the east annex portico (just outside the doors)?

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 1:59 PM
To: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: coffee this afternoon?

Whoops 3 doesn't work for me anymore. Do you have time in the next half hour to meet up? I'm free until 3.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 26, 2018, at 12:20 PM, Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Want to chat childcare? I've got something to bounce off you...

Rosa Kouri
Director, Cabinet Priorities | Strategic Communications Division | Government
Communications and Public Engagement
Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca | Office: 778-974-2241 | Mobile: 778-676-1218

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 11:54 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: are you here this week?
Attachments: KMs-MKCinterview-JustineHunter-poverty-and-Indigenous-child-removal-June2018.docx

Hi Aileen, wondered if you wanted to take a look at this messaging if you are/

From: D'Souza, Pamela GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 25, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Globe interview

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, June 22, 2018 11:45 AM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Geary, Vanessa PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Fee Reduction and 18/19 Calendar



Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 21, 2018, at 10:51 PM, Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Really nice to see this.

Mira Oreck
604 839 1967

----- Forwarded message -----

From: Ariel Lewinski <ariellewinski@gmail.com>
Date: Thu, Jun 21, 2018 at 2:10 PM
Subject: Fwd: Fee Reduction and 18/19 Calendar
To: Mira Oreck s.22

This campaign promise will save us \$350 every month....thank you!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Susan Hoppenfeld <shoppenfeld@jccgv.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Fee Reduction and 18/19 Calendar
Date: June 20, 2018 at 8:20:16 AM PDT
To: Susan Hoppenfeld <shoppenfeld@jccgv.bc.ca>

Good morning everyone,
I'm forward good news from Jenn.
Do stop by if you'd like more information.
Warmly,
Susan

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From: Jennifer Trickett <jtrickett@jccgv.bc.ca>
Date: Wed, Jun 20, 2018 at 8:10 AM
Subject: Fee Reduction and 18/19 Calendar
To: Susan Hoppenfeld <shoppenfeld@jccgv.bc.ca>

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Jennifer Trickett, Director

Karen and Gary Simkin Family Child Development Centre
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Attachments: Daycare Closures 2018-2019.pdf; ATT00001.htm

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 20, 2018 2:42 PM
To: GCPE Strategic Issues Team
Subject: Fwd: CBC Kamloops

To include in scan

Matt Hannah
778.584.1249

Begin forwarded message:

From: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 20, 2018 at 2:41:02 PM PDT
To: "Nash, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>, "Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX" <Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CBC Kamloops

For Friday morning. Sage note the topics that they want to discuss with PJH. We may want issues to look at the FN topic.

From: Doug Herbert [<mailto:doug.herbert@cbc.ca>]
Sent: Wednesday, June 20, 2018 1:42 PM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: CBC Kamloops

Hi Sheena, the interview is set for 740 am Friday in studio at 218 Victoria street. He will be speaking with Shelley Joyce. We will speak about why he is in town, the kinder Morgan pipeline issue and how some of our local area bands want to buy into it, and some other issues of the day like the upcoming electoral reform referendum. Thanks again for setting this up. If he can be in by 730 that would be great. Doug

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 20, 2018, at 12:40 PM, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Here you go!

Sheena McConnell, Press Secretary
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 250-387-1688

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 3:04 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX; Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CFD Media Request: data on international adoptions - *3PM deadline*

Approved

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 2:34 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX; Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: CFD Media Request: data on international adoptions - *3PM deadline*

Hi Paula,

Please see the attached in response to a data request from the Globe and Mail.

With your approval, we will send ASAP (there was a tight timeline on this one and staff had to work quickly to compile this info today)

Reporter

Wendy Stueck, Reporter
Globe and Mail - BC Bureau
wstueck@globeandmail.com
604-631-6618 c: 778-772-6619

Deadline Tuesday, June 19, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

Is data available for international adoptions to B.C.?

I'd be interested in the numbers, per year, by country, for the past few years? Would those numbers be accessible and are you folks the appropriate people to ask?

Background

Recommendation

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 19, 2018 9:57 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: New release
Attachments: NR_Ridehailing Announcement DRAFT June 19.docx

How does this work? Should capture feedback from all...

Katie Robb

Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Government Communications & Public Engagement
O: [250.953.4865](tel:250.953.4865) | M: [250.920.8371](tel:250.920.8371)

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Subject: Re: New release

I should be able to provide more later today.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 19, 2018, at 8:53 AM, Robb, Katie GCPE:EX <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

James, any additional feedback/changes after your meeting yesterday?

Aileen – I have some small copy suggestions to make it read a bit cleaner.

Katie Robb

Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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O: [250.953.4865](tel:250.953.4865) | M: [250.920.8371](tel:250.920.8371)

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To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: New release

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My latest draft.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
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Subject: RE: New release

Sounds good

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Let's wait and see if the MO has additional feedback before it goes to JJ.

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K thanks...does this need to go back to JJ too? (sorry, not sure who's reviewed/inputted/and needs to again!)

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From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 1:15 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: MEDIA_ please send

I think this lines up nicely with the bullets in our IN. If you agree I will send ours to Renee Fillipone at CBC. Her deadline is 4pm. This story will air on the National tonight and in the am locally - kj

From: Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 1:13 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX
Cc: Myers, Trisha MCF:EX; Grooms, Kim MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MEDIA_ please send

Good afternoon Karen,

Please see below.

Thanks

Renaa Bacy
Executive Director of Adoption and Permanency Branch
Provincial Director of Adoption XNC
PO Box 9705 STN PROV GOVT
Victoria BC V8W 9S1
Phone ((778) 698-8987
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From: ODonoughue-Given.Erin [mailto:Erin.ODonoughue-Given@cic.gc.ca]
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 1:08 PM
To: Grooms, Kim MCF:EX
Cc: Bacy, Renaa B MCF:EX; Myers, Trisha MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MEDIA_ please send
Importance: High

Hi Kim,

Response from IRCC is below and already released to the media.

Thanks

Erin

Response: The Government of Canada is aware that there are a number of Canadian families currently in Japan seeking to bring children to Canada for the purpose of adoption. Provincial Central Adoption Authorities, as well as accredited adoption agencies, must ensure that adoptions follow the legal process in all countries, including Japan. This must be done before the Government of Canada can issue immigration visas for children to come to Canada. The Government of

Japan has recently informed the United States government that under Japanese law, the courts must authorize intercountry adoptions. This has not been part of the process for Canadian families adopting children in Japan. We are seeking clarification from the Japanese government to ensure adoptions respect Japanese laws. We are treating this issue as a priority. While this is being further investigated, Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship Canada (IRCC) cannot finalize the processing of cases where the adoption will be completed in Canada and where the transfer of custody is not confirmed by a court order.

Canada is party to *The Hague Convention on the Protection of Children and Co-operation in Respect of Intercountry Adoption* (Convention). The Convention puts in place international safeguards to make sure that intercountry adoptions are in the best interests of children and respects their fundamental rights. It also establishes a system of cooperation among countries to prevent the abduction of, sale of, or traffic in children.

Canada has an obligation to comply with the Convention and applies the same standard to all adoptions, regardless of the country of origin of the child and whether they are parties to the Convention.

Our hearts go out to the prospective parents, who have travelled to Japan to adopt children. We understand and sympathize with their very difficult situation, however IRCC must respect its obligations under international and Canadian laws which is in the best interests of the children involved. We have reached out to the families who are in Japan trying to bring their prospective adopted children back to Canada. We have fully informed them of the situation and committed to providing them with further information as soon as it is available.

Erin ODonoughue-Given

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From: Grooms, Kim MCF:EX [<mailto:Kim.Grooms@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: June 18, 2018 3:45 PM
To: ODonoughue-Given.Erin <Erin.ODonoughue-Given@cic.gc.ca>
Subject: RE: MEDIA_ please send

Yes Karen Johnston.

Kim Grooms, MSW
Provincial Adoption Consultant
Adoption & Permanency Branch
Ministry of Children & Family Development
778.698.5095

From: ODonoughue-Given.Erin [<mailto:Erin.ODonoughue-Given@cic.gc.ca>]
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 12:44 PM
To: Grooms, Kim MCF:EX
Subject: RE: MEDIA_ please send
Importance: High

Hi Kim,

Can you tell me who from IRCC spoke with your media spokesperson. Can you provide the name of your spokesperson?

Thanks

Erin ODonoughue-Given

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From: Grooms, Kim MCF:EX [<mailto:Kim.Grooms@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: June 18, 2018 3:30 PM

To: ODonoughue-Given.Erin <Erin.ODonoughue-Given@cic.gc.ca>

Subject: MEDIA_ please send

Hi Erin,

Are you able to please send the bullets that you have released to the media today? Or that your comms department did. Want to ensure that we are on the same page. Thanks!

Kim Grooms, MSW
Provincial Adoption Consultant
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Ministry of Children & Family Development
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 9:56 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: RE: New IN - Japanese Adoptions

Aileen, I can tell you about this after I am off a couple calls.

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Sent: Monday, June 18, 2018 9:54 AM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Re: New IN - Japanese Adoptions

Why were adoptions suspended? Did federal government provide a reason?

Sent from my iPhone

On May 29, 2018, at 5:21 PM, Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX <Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Paula,
I've clarified with program that the families still in B.C. that are pursuing Japanese adoptions have been notified, while all but one of the B.C. families who have already travelled to Japan to pursue an adoption have not yet been notified (but will be, pending legal counsel).

The attached revised note reflects this.

Cheers

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 29, 2018 3:14 PM
To: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX
Subject: RE: New IN - Japanese Adoptions

Shawn I am confused by the conflict between the speaking point "We've notified all of the affected families" and this bullet in the background:

- **Drafted a letter to be shared with families currently in Japan. This letter is currently on hold until the option of hiring a lawyer is fully assessed.**

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 29, 2018 2:11 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX

Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX; Mavor, Gayle GCPE:EX; White, Emily MCF:EX

Subject: New IN - Japanese Adoptions

Please see the attached new issues note.

This is saved on the LAN in the Adoption, Final folder.

Shawn Larabee

Government Communications and Public Engagement

Ministry of Children and Family Development

250 356-1639

Shawn.G.Larabee@gov.bc.ca

<IN_Adopting from Japan_May 29 2018_FINAL.docx>

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Saturday, June 16, 2018 10:20 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: CKNW: Proctor - ride hailing 📎

Worth a read

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: <tno@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 15, 2018 at 8:12:17 PM PDT
To: Undisclosed recipients;;
Subject: CKNW: Proctor - ride hailing 📎

CKNW (Vancouver)
CKNW Simi Sara
15-Jun-2018 10:35

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 14, 2018 3:57 PM
To: GCPE Strategic Issues Team
Subject: FW: PG Community Scan - Monday
Attachments: 20180618 Community Scan Prince George.docx

Guess what, guys!

From: Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 14, 2018 3:40 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: PG Community Scan - Monday

Hi Matt,

Please find the community scan attached for Prince George.

Please let me know if you need anything else.

Thank you,
Danielle

Danielle Dalzell
Director of Writing and Content Strategy | Cabinet Priorities | Government Communications and Public Engagement
Danielle.Dalzell@gov.bc.ca | 250-893-2096

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Heavener, Cory R MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 7:59 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Bond, Allison MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CFD Media Request: Plans of Care/MCFD response to RCY

Yes, this is fine

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 13, 2018, at 4:35 PM, Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I made one edit to final bullet – Cory is this appropriate wording?

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Subject: CFD Media Request: Plans of Care/MCFD response to RCY

Are you o.k. with the suggested response below?

Reporter

Liza Yuzda, Reporter
CKNW AM 980
liza@cknw.com
250-385-8622 c: 250-920-8944

Deadline ASAP

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From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 5:34 PM
To: GCPE Strategic Issues Team
Subject: Fwd: Community Scan: Victoria (Friday Jun 15)
Attachments: 20180615 Community Scan Victoria.docx; ATT00001.htm

Will need to update issues scan for Victoria tomorrow

Matt Hannah
778.584.1249

Begin forwarded message:

From: "McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX" <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 13, 2018 at 5:33:00 PM PDT
To: "Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX" <Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>, "Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX" <Danielle.Dalzell@gov.bc.ca>, "Nash, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Community Scan: Victoria (Friday Jun 15)

Hi Matt,

Here is the Community Scan for Friday's media event in Victoria.

Cara

Cara McGregor
Executive Director | Cabinet Priorities | Government Communications and Public Engagement
Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca

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Subject: Re: CFD Media Request: Plans of Care/MCFD response to RCY

On crim rec checks. Our approach isn't working. MKC has asked for new approach. We are working on it

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 13, 2018, at 4:48 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I think we also need to talk about the criminal record checking. Minister has said its not good enough – so what are we doing to make it good enough.s.13
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From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 2:51 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Aileen - FW: for MLB - KM_QA_FIFA_BID_June13_CJ
Attachments: KM_QA_FIFA_BID_June13_CJ.docx

In case useful...



Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
Sport and Multiculturalism

 (250) 893-4449



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From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 11:13 AM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Cc: Carroll, Sandra TAC:EX; Avison, Claire TAC:EX
Subject: for MLB - KM_QA_FIFA_BID_June13_CJ

Hello.

Pls find attached a KM/QA for today's media avail at noon.
JAMES – please print for Minister.

These QAs use previously approved messages.

This document has not been reviewed again by DMO.

If there are any questions/concerns... pls call me.

The Minister's newser starts at NOON in the lobby of the PREMIER'S OFFICE IN VANCOUVER.

Carolyn

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 2:32 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX
Subject: will get to you shortly - RE: Issue note

Yes...
We're still wading through media.


But will have to you shortly.

The KMs are essentially the same...
Just updating with the bid decision and a line about congratulating United Bid.
(see STATEMENT issued at 10h45 approx)



Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
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Subject: Issue note

Hi!
Do you have an up to date issue note on FIFA?

Thanks,

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: GCPE FOI Coordinator GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 11:26 AM
To: Anderson, Kristy GCPE:EX; Faust, Marnie L GCPE:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Cc: Thistle-Walker, Carlene GCPE:EX; Heinze, Laura R GCPE:EX; May, Stephen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; GCPE FOI Coordinator GCPE:EX
Subject: FOI Request GCP-2018-82680 Due June 20

Good morning,

GCPE has received a request for information under the *Freedom of Information and Protection of Privacy Act* (FOIPPA).

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(Date Range for Record Search: From 03/02/2018 To 06/04/2018)

Request also opened with CFD and HTH

Applicant Type: Individual

Instructions and Due Dates:

Due Date: Wednesday, June 20, 2018

- All records should be provided in one combined PDF (Instructions)
- Submit one clean copy and one marked copy indicating specific harms recommendations (guide to harms)
- Records should be inclusive of everyone in your department
- Need to indicate that the Director of your department/shop agrees with the harms recommendations
- Whether or not you have records please complete the following:

The following areas were searched: (indicate Yes/No for each line below)

1. Emails:
2. LAN:
3. Workstation for hardcopies:
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Fee Estimate Due Date: Monday, June 18, 2018

- Please discontinue your search and notify GCPEFOICoordinator@gov.bc.ca

- Copy and paste the following information into your response:

Fee Estimate Recommended:

1. Time (hours):

- Should include time to search, gather, review and provide records
- must exceed 3 hours

2. Reason:

If you wish to contact the IAO FOI Analyst assigned to this request, please let me know and I will provide you with their contact information.

Should you have any questions, concerns or anticipate any delay in processing this request please contact the FOI Coordinator at your earliest convenience.

Thank you,

Justin Smith
FOI Coordinator
Government Communications and Public Engagement

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 13, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: YVR Workers meeting

Thanks Danielle.

Matt Hannah
778.584.1249

On Jun 13, 2018, at 11:06 AM, Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Dalzell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Matt,

Another event has been added to the schedule tomorrow that you may want to add in the YVR QAs.

The attached BN is from Labour, we will do a short event backgrounder with some KMs as well.

Thanks,
Danielle

<55641 - Information BN for PJH - Unite Here Local 40.pdf>

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 4:57 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Currie, David GCPE:EX; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: fuel rebates

Sounds good – we will leave it with you all. Please let us know if further Qs come in & if you need further responses from TRAN.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
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Yes, all have been looped in.

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For sure – have you put the lines through the 2 Min offices Aileen? Please advise – or do you want me to link in James on my end?

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Hi Lianne and Sonja,
These lines have not been signed off on by the MOs. Please wait for the response.

Thanks,

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Subject: RE: fuel rebates

Hi Aileen and Sonja – we have asked our program for input, as well as our ADM and DM.
s.13

TRAN - suggested response to Rob Shaw:

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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 3:30 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Currie, David GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: fuel rebates

Hi Aileen,

Another follow up. Please advise.

Sonja

From: Shaw, Rob [mailto:rshaw@postmedia.com]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 3:29 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: fuel rebates

Hi Sonja,

I'd like to know the proposal that the finance minister proposed to BC Ferries during negotiations. BC Ferries' CEO said he'd prefer the finance minister disclose that offer.

Rob

ROB SHAW
LEGISLATIVE CORRESPONDENT
The Vancouver Sun | The Province
Room 360, Parliament Buildings
Victoria, B.C. V8V1X4
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From: "Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX" <Sonja.Zoeller@gov.bc.ca>

Date: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 at 1:47 PM

To: Postmedia Inc <rshaw@postmedia.com>

Subject: fuel rebates

Hi Rob,

Minister James is responding to this on behalf of the government with the following statement:

"We are disappointed that BC Ferries is raising the cost to ferry users by removing its fuel rebates. Earlier this year we delivered on our commitment to freeze fares by providing BC Ferries with \$59 million in new funding - the highest increase in more than a decade. We learned BC Ferries was planning to remove the fuel rebate and recently entered discussions with the company with hopes of a solution. However, an agreement could not be reached. People along the coast deserve to be able to travel affordably. We remain committed to affordability and we are conducting an operational review of BC Ferries to ensure the service works for the people in our province."

Thanks,

Sonja Zoeller

Communications Manager

Ministry of Finance

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: All accurate - RE: Issues scan

DBC and program checked.

All accurate.

Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for Sport and Multiculturalism
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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Hey Aileen - RE: Issues scan

Have been wrapped up for an hour...
Have just asked for this to be looked over.
Hope to be back to you shortly.

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That is my understanding, yes.

Kelly

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From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 3:38 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Joshi, Shruti GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Moran, Roseanne LASS:EX
Subject: FW: South Asian Family Association plans youth forum on 'gang, drugs and violence' - Peace Arch News

FYI – Nimmi has reached out to the organizers.

From: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:28 PM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject: South Asian Family Association plans youth forum on 'gang, drugs and violence' - Peace Arch News

Looks like a second event is being organized in surrey for Thursday....

<https://www.peacearchnews.com/news/south-asian-family-association-plans-youth-forum-on-gang-drugs-and-violence/>

South Asian Family Association plans youth forum on 'gang, drugs and violence'

Youth Empowerment Forum set for Thursday, June 14 at Surrey City Hall

Amy Reid

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
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Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

Hey Aileen - I know you were asking about media requests. Here is a good response I found from April on the Stickle Road project which gives a really good overview.

Reporter
Darren Handschuh, Reporter
Castanet (Kelowna)
darrenh@castanet.net
250-826-5829
Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like to speak with someone regarding the Stickle Road project in Vernon. He says: "I read that it is going to cost a lot more than originally planned."

- Reporter would like to confirm if this is true and, if so, why?
- Get a general sense of timelines and the plan

Reporter is also interested in the work being done. He says: "There was a big controversy over the road and people held rallies to save the green space, so I am wondering what has been done to minimize the impact on the green space, etc."

Background

Recommendation:

The Highway 97/ Stickle Road intersection improvement project is a very important safety upgrade, as there have been many crashes at this location over the past 10 years.

This project will make travel safer for motorists by adding acceleration and deceleration lanes, and by no longer allowing cars to cross the highway from the side streets.

Work is now underway, and improvements to the intersection will include:

Converting Stickle Road at Highway 97 to a left-in, right-in and right-out intersection; Lengthening the northbound and southbound left-turn lanes on the highway; and Providing right-turn acceleration and deceleration lanes at the east and west approaches.

Extension of 20th Street, connecting it to the south end of the existing Stickle Frontage Road.

The main intersection work is expected to be complete this fall, while the 20th Street extension will likely be completed in 2019.

Cost increases

The estimated total project cost is approximately \$15 million. \$13.5 million will cover the cost of the main work, with an additional \$1.5 million from the rehabilitation program required to resurface the exiting 4 lanes through the intersection.

This project was tendered twice; each time there was low interest by contractors and bid prices were substantially higher than the ministry's estimate. Due to the increased bids prices, we have adjusted our cost estimates to complete the 20th street construction.

The ministry also has an agreement with the City of Vernon for their contribution of land for the construction of the 20th Street Connection.

Environmental considerations

We are committed to doing everything possible to address environmental concerns on the BX Creek Corridor. The ministry has taken a number of steps to mitigate environmental impacts, including implementing a comprehensive environmental management plan.

The ministry has acquired all environmental approvals and a comprehensive environmental assessment has been completed by Golder Associates, which is available to the public on the project website.

The ministry is working with Ducks Unlimited to develop new wetland habitat that is 3 times the amount of wetland habitat that will be impacted. This will ensure critical habitat is still there for the animals in the area.

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Cc: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

COPS is being discussed at great length internally right now. The study is likely being delayed as the City of Kelowna is conducting their own regional transportation review.

Engagement is tentatively planned for later in the year, but that may change.

Sorry if this is extremely vague, but that's what we know at the moment.

Jamie.

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Subject: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:55 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: CTV Victoria

Hi Aileen,

Please advise on the follow up.

Thanks,

Sonja

From: Cunningham, Scott [mailto:Scott.Cunningham@bellmedia.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:54 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CTV Victoria

Why could an agreement not be reached?
What caused talks to break down?

SC

Scott Cunningham | Reporter/Videographer

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From: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX [mailto:Sonja.Zoeller@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: June-12-18 1:46 PM
To: Cunningham, Scott
Subject: RE: CTV Victoria

Hi Scott,

Here is a statement you may attribute to Finance Minister Carole James:

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Thanks,

Sonja Zoeller

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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:33 PM

To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX

Subject: CTV Victoria

Hey,

We are hoping for a statement, or on camera about the BC Ferries fuel rebate removal.

Can you accommodate?

SC

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Issues scan - utility pole
Attachments: IN_Grand Forks flooding inquiry request_June 7.docx

Aileen- heads up on FLNRO's IN on this topic – to do with Grand Forks

From: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:44 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Issues scan - utility pole

Lianne – heads up for Aileen on FLNRO's IN on this media request that came through us over the weekend.

From: Uppenborn, Jeremy GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:29 PM
To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan - utility pole

Hi Danielle,
Here's our issues note on this.
Cheers,
Jeremy

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:05 PM
To: Uppenborn, Jeremy GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan - utility pole

Hey Jeremy,

Wondering if you have any KMs on the issue that cropped up over the weekend of the utility pole in Grand Forks. Premier's Office is looking to flag any potential issues that may come up for his media avail in Grand Forks tomorrow, and this was noted as one potential one. We were asked over the weekend but confirmed the pole was not in the TRAN right of way. Let us know.

Thanks,
Danielle

Danielle Pope | Media Relations
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Telephone: 250-356-8241 | Mobile: 778-679-0133

From: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:54 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan

Suggest Danielle loop in with FLNRO media relations to see if they have any KMs or if this is already part of their issues scan...

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:50 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

Hi! Premier is doing media in Grand Forks tomorrow. Okanagan media will be there. Can you please flag any Okanagan or Grand Forks issues by 1pm today please?

Thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:41 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: News Release - BC Ferries Removes Fuel Rebates
Attachments: 18-014 BC Ferries Removes Fuel Rebates.pdf

Sonja/ Aileen over to you

From: Shaw, Rob [mailto:rshaw@postmedia.com]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:20 PM
To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: News Release - BC Ferries Removes Fuel Rebates

I realize the minister is out of country on a personal matter, but I'd like some sort of response from the ministry on how the "negotiations" with BC Ferries to prevent these fuel rebates from being removed ultimately seem to have failed.

ROB SHAW
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From: "Marshall, Deborah" <Deborah.Marshall@bcferries.com>
Date: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 at 1:05 PM
To: "Marshall, Deborah" <Deborah.Marshall@bcferries.com>
Subject: News Release - BC Ferries Removes Fuel Rebates

Due to the current world fuel market conditions, BC Ferries will be removing the fuel rebates currently in place on June 27.
Please find attached release.

Regards,

Deborah Marshall

Executive Director, Public Affairs
Marketing & Customer Experience
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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:40 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX; Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FIN Media Request: OTHER - BC FERRIES

Thanks Sonja – I think the plan is to send that same statement out to all reporters asking – Aileen over to you

From: Sonja Zoeller [mailto:Sonja.Zoeller@gov.bc.ca]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:39 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: FIN Media Request: OTHER - BC FERRIES

Reporters

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Mike Laanela, Editor
CBC Online
mike.laanela@cbc.ca
604-721-1665

Deadline ASAP

Request

Comment on BC Ferries ending its fuel rebate.

Background

Recommendation

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:38 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CBC - fuel rebates ending

Thanks – confirming this is approved by MCJ already?

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:35 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CBC - fuel rebates ending

This statement is from Minister James:

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Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:34 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CBC - fuel rebates ending

Aileen has the response. Over to you Aileen.

From: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:32 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: CBC - fuel rebates ending

Hi Lianne,

Just had a call from CBC's Michael Laanela asking whether government is commenting on BC Ferries decision to cancel fuel rebates.

Do you have any lines prepped? Any indication of whether government wants to comment on this?

Sonja Zoeller

Communications Manager

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Subject: RE: CBC - fuel rebates ending

Sounds good. Please send over when ready (two requests in the hopper thus far).

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:34 PM
To: Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: CBC - fuel rebates ending

Aileen (in cc) has prepped a statement from MCJ on this. We met with the Minister on it this morning.

Tim Howlett
Issues Management
250.208.4828

On Jun 12, 2018, at 1:31 PM, Zoeller, Sonja GCPE:EX <Sonja.Zoeller@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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From: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:27 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Draft statement

MCJ approves the statement. Thanks.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: June 12, 2018 1:02 PM
To: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX <Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX <Rob.Gillezeau@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
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From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:18 PM
To: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Red Cross NR Updates
Attachments: NR EMBC CRC 3 programs CRC - June 12 Final.docx; ATT00001.htm

FYI, tomorrow's announcement

Matt Hannah
778.584.1249

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 12, 2018 at 1:17:27 PM PDT
To: "Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX" <Matt.Hannah@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: Red Cross NR Updates

Sage
778-678-0832
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From: "Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX" <Shawn.1.Robins@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 12, 2018 at 10:47:27 AM PDT
To: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>, "Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX" <Liam.Lawson@gov.bc.ca>, "Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX" <Don.Zadravec@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX" <Jordan.Turner@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Red Cross NR Updates

Sage: Revised NR. It is incorporating some suggested changes from Red Cross as well. Both CRC and our ADM suggest not emphasizing specific assistance amounts. You asked about red and yellow households. They will receive their assistance in 30 day increments at the same level to a maximum of 3 increments (90 days).

Jordan and I will be tied up for the next couple hours.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 1:01 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Responses today

Checked with program and with Senior Officer on the file. We are good with this. Approved on our end. thanks

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Yes – just reviewing with Kirk Handrahan – will get back to you asap

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:52 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Uber?

Hi there – here are our holding lines on ride hailing. Feel free to use them.

Response:

We know people want more options for getting around quickly, safely and affordably. The Province is committed to bringing in a safe, fair and accessible, “made in B.C.” solution for taxis and other passenger directed vehicles in B.C.

The existing framework for taxi service in B.C. is outdated and needs to be modernized before ride hailing becomes available.

That’s why, last fall, government hired industry expert Dr. Dan Hara to consult with stakeholders including the taxi and ride hailing industry, and to make recommendations on how to improve the existing framework for taxi services so that when ride hailing is introduced in B.C. the taxi industry can thrive and compete.

Out of respect for all of the stakeholders that took the time to provide feedback, we will take the necessary time to thoroughly review both Dr. Hara’s report and that of the all-party committee, and as promised will publicly report out this spring on this government’s next steps for taxi and ride hailing.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
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To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Uber?

See the request from Frances below.

How have we been responding to these over the past week?

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:44 PM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Uber?

Sage
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From: Frances Bula [mailto:francesbula@gmail.com]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:37 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Uber?

Hi Sage

I'm interviewing some top guy from Uber tomorrow here in Vancouver.

I'm trying to get an update on where the province is in any consideration of allowing ride-hailing companies in. Can you tell me? Or put me on to the right person?

Frances

Frances Bula | Urban Issues Writer
State of Vancouver blog: www.francesbula.com |
Phone 604.812.6205 |

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:50 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Media so far

From: Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:46 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Rud, Jeff RCY:EX
Subject: RE: Media so far

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2018CFD0046-001172>

From: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:43 PM
To: Rud, Jeff RCY:EX; Larabee, Shawn G GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media so far

I have these as well Jeff. Thanks. Shawn will send you the statement which we just locked down on. Will call you about an angle that two outlets are pursuing - kj

From: Rud, Jeff RCY:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:41 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: Media so far

Hi Karen,

FYI, Bernard has done CKNW news on our statement, is also doing Simi Sara at 12:45

He also has scheduled:

Globe and Mail (Justine)
Black Press (Fletcher)
Canadian Press (Laura Kane)
Global TV
CBC French radio
CBC French talk Pacific Boulevard at 5:35 p.m.
CBC English Radio Vancouver, 5:05 p.m.
Potentially, CBC Radio Kelowna and Victoria

Also have taken calls from CTV Vancouver and the Sun

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Attachments: IN Highway 97 six-laning budget challenges.docx; IN Highway 97 Stickle Road.docx; IN Central Okanagan Planning Study Delay.docx

Here you are Aileen - we have INs on the first 3 topics - all attached

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From: Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
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To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

We have INs for the first three but not the last one regarding flooding in Okanagan-Shuswap.

They are all attached.

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To: Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

Hey - can you send me the updated INs on these topics? (This is for that issues scan) - cheers

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Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

Hi Lianne,

Are there issue notes on the attached topics? We are building an issues scan for the Premier's media event tomorrow.

Aileen Machell
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:35 PM
To: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Cc: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX
Subject: Grand Forks - IN & NR

Hi Jordan – to support a premier’s issues scan, could you share your Grand Forks IN and draft NR with Sheila? I didn’t want to share the drafts from yesterday in case they have advanced since then.

Lisa Leslie, Director of Communications
Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing, Ministry Responsible for TransLink
☎ 250-213-7724

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Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:33 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Minister's response to Representative for Children and Youth's statement



Minister's response to Representative for Children and Youth's statement

Children and Family Development Minister Katrine Conroy has released the following response to the Representative for Children and Youth's statement on contracted residential resources in the child-welfare system:

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:32 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

Yes we do - just a moment & will gather them

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

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:31 PM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

Hi Lianne,

Are there issue notes on the attached topics? We are building an issues scan for the Premier's media event tomorrow.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

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

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:19 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16

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From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 12:19 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: 38667625-F3E2-45E7-91D7-46B242E1AE16
Attachments: Okanagan Valley One Pager - 2018.06.08.docx; ATT00001.txt

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Riley, Karl CITZ:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:20 AM
To: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan

Thanks you two.

From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 10:05 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Riley, Karl CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan

Hi there - nothing additional. Jo

From: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 10:04 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Riley, Karl CITZ:EX
Cc: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan

Hi there – flooding impacted our Service BC and a few other government offices in Grand Forks. Not really an issue but FYI.

- Service BC is the face of government in many communities and staff work very hard to ensure that our centres can continue to support the public, even during emergencies.
- Due to flooding, the Service BC office in Grand Forks is now operating at the Grand Forks Art Gallery.
- The office has resumed normal operating hours - 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.
- The real estate division of ministry is working with other impacted government offices in Grand Forks to determine what needs to be done to ensure important services provided to British Columbians can continue.

Anything else you can think of Jo?

Cheers, Chris

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:51 AM
To: Riley, Karl CITZ:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

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Thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:16 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Government expanding coverage for insulin pumps, eliminating age restriction



Government expanding coverage for insulin pumps, eliminating age restriction

The provincial government is expanding insulin pump coverage, so any British Columbian requiring one to manage diabetes will have access under PharmaCare, announced Adrian Dix, Minister of Health.

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From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:16 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: letter attached re fuel rebates
Attachments: 20180612 Grant Main Fuel rebates.pdf; ATT00001.htm

From: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:16 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: letter attached re fuel rebates

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

----- Original message -----

From: "Wilson, Mark" <Mark.Wilson@bcferries.com>
Date: 2018-06-12 11:08 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX" <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: letter attached re fuel rebates

FYI

Mark C Wilson
VP Strategy & Community Engagement
BC Ferries

Mobile: s.22

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Collins, Mark" <Mark.Collins@bcferries.com>
Date: June 12, 2018 at 11:01:21 AM PDT
To: "Grant.Main@gov.bc.ca" <Grant.Main@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX" <Jennifer.Lewthwaite@gov.bc.ca>, "Wilson, Mark" <Mark.Wilson@bcferries.com>
Subject: letter attached re fuel rebates

Grant,

Please see attached our letter regarding Fuel Rebates.

The press release will be sent shortly.

Sincerely,
Mark

Mark F. Collins
President & Chief Executive Officer
British Columbia Ferry Services Inc.
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T: 250-978-1277 C:s.22
Mark.Collins@bcferries.com
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:15 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: News Release - Removal of Fuel Rebate
Attachments: 18-014 BC Ferries Removes Fuel Rebates.pdf

Importance: High

From: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:12 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Main, Grant TRAN:EX <Grant.Main@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: News Release - Removal of Fuel Rebate
Importance: High

From: Marshall, Deborah [<mailto:Deborah.Marshall@bcferries.com>]
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX; Handrahan, Kirk TRAN:EX; John Papadopoulos (john.papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca); Beale, William TRAN:EX
Cc: Wilson, Mark
Subject: News Release - Removal of Fuel Rebate

Good morning.
The attached release will be issued at 1:00 pm today.
Embargoed until then.
Regards,

Deborah Marshall
Executive Director, Public Affairs
Marketing & Customer Experience
British Columbia Ferry Services Inc.
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From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:04 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Okanagan issues

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jun 8, 2018, at 11:12 AM, Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX <Jennifer.Lewthwaite@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hi James,
>
> Please find scan attached from Kevin's office. If you have further questions, Kevin or Scott Maxwell would be pleased to help.
>
> Jen
>
>
> -----Original Message-----
> From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
> Sent: Thursday, June 7, 2018 3:56 PM
> To: Lewthwaite, Jennifer TRAN:EX
> Subject: Question
>
> Hi Jen,
>
> Can you please ask whichever is the appropriate shop to send us a quick summary of the high level issues in the Okanagan, that folks can envisage?
>
> Thanks,
> James
>
> Sent from my iPhone
> <Okanagan Valley One Pager - 2018.06.08.docx>

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 11:03 AM
Subject: TIME CHANGE: Staff Meeting

Hi Everyone,

The staff meeting has been moved to tomorrow at 3PM. Please do your best to arrange your schedules accordingly.

Thank you!

Layne

Layne Clark

Director of Liaison and Coordination
Premier's Office

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 10:59 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: DRAFTS - Ride Hailing - KM/ QA and NR
Attachments: KM_QA_Ridehailing Announcement.docx; ATT00001.htm; NR_Ridehailing Announcement June 2018.docx; ATT00002.htm

As requested. Please see attached.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 11, 2018 at 4:46:52 PM PDT
To: "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Chapotelle, Jacqueline TRAN:EX" <Jacqueline.Chapotelle@gov.bc.ca>, "Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX" <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>, "Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX" <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: DRAFTS - Ride Hailing - KM/ QA and NR

Hi James – wondering if you or the PO have feedback on these ride hailing materials? We are hoping to finalize by tomorrow.

Also – do you know if the Minister is able to attend or not? Will this be another Minister delivering the news on her behalf, or will it be a technical briefing only – and save the event for a later date?

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 10:32 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Jackson, Lindsey B TRAN:EX
Cc: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: DRAFTS - Ride Hailing - KM/ QA and NR

Hi James and Lindsey – as requested – here are the KM/ QAs and the NR.

FYI these are DRAFTS only and have been through program for fact checks but not the ADM.

Please advise if you want any large changes made – or any direction changes – ASAP.

Thank you (Speaking Notes to come next week)

Lianne Bowness | Communications Manager
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Direct: 250-356-7707
Cell: 250-889-1336

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 10:04 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Issues scan

Checking with the region on this – nothing jumps to mind for me – but will let you know

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:50 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

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Thank you!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: GCPE HR GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:56 AM
To: GCPE All Staff
Subject: REMINDER - Picnic at St Ann's Academy

Good Morning Everyone!

We are looking forward to seeing you all at the auditorium at St Ann's Academy at 11am this morning!

Evan Lloyd, Deputy Minister will be opening the awards ceremony with acknowledging those who have reached a service milestone. Come and support your colleagues and share in their moment!

Following this awards ceremony, lunch will be served on the back lawn at 12noon.

Take care,
GCPE Public Service Week Committee

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:51 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Watson, Jason GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Issues scan

just adding Jason^{s.22}

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: June-12-18 9:50 AM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX; McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:26 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Wednesday Tour Materials
Attachments: EMBC - Recovery Grand Forks IN - 12June2018 Final.docx; ATT00001.htm; NR EMBC CRC 3 programs CRC - June 12 Final.DOCX; ATT00002.htm; Draft Itinerary - Grand Forks Tour - PJH - June 13.docx; ATT00003.htm

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robins, Shawn GCPE:EX" <Shawn.1.Robins@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 12, 2018 at 8:47:39 AM PDT
To: "Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX" <Liam.Lawson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Denlinger, Becky EMBC:EX" <Becky.Denlinger@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Wednesday Tour Materials

Materials for PJH Grand Forks Tour. Please review and approve ASAP. Thanks. We will need to get a media advisory out later today.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 12, 2018 9:03 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Updated KM/ QA - fuel rebate?

Hey Aileen & Sheila – can one of you please send me the updated KM/ QA doc for the fuel rebate issue?
I understand you talked to our subject matter expert yesterday to get more context on this & took a different tone in the messages.
We are hearing that BC Ferries is going out with this today.
Thanks!

Lianne Bowness | Communications Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 5:20 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Aileen - see funding \$ correction from tourism program staff

See highlighted section in red:

Message:

- Tourism is a major part of the BC economy, supporting 19,000 tourism businesses employing over 133,000 people.
- British Columbians should be able to get the most benefit from these industries through good, family-supporting jobs and economic growth in communities.
- We are helping communities hold sport events with the Hosting BC grants.
- Destination BC launched a special campaign to promote wine tourism as part of BC Wine Month.
- To help mitigate tourism losses as a result of last year's wildfires, we set aside \$600,000 in funding for three tourism associations, including the Kootenay Rockies Tourism Association and reallocated **nearly \$1 million** through Destination BC to market tourism in these areas.
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- We care about the people who work in the tourism sector, and we will continue to work to ensure the benefits are felt by all British Columbians.



Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
Sport and Multiculturalism

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 5:18 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: for PREMIER KOOTENAYS - FW: Pipeline tourism messaging

See below.



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Hi,

This is already approved.

Pipeline Tourism
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**Tania Venn**

Communications Manager | Government Communications and Public Engagement
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tania.venn@gov.bc.ca

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 4:49 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX
Subject: URGENT - RE: Pls review ASAP - on deadline to supply to GLOBAL BC by 4h45pm



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On Jun 11, 2018, at 4:19 PM, Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX <Carolyn.Jack@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello.

Global BC is doing a story on the closing of the Merritt Visitor Centre, focussing on criticism from the Mayor of the decision and his hope that the Province will reconsider opening the Centre.

To be attributed to CAROLYN JACK SPOKESPERSON... or do you wish to have it attributed to MINISTER BEARE?

Response statement:

We recognize the value that exceptional visitor services contribute to B.C.'s tourism industry and to the quality of the visitor experience.

A number of issues factored into the decision to close the Merritt Visitor Centre at Exit 286 and transfer visitor services to the Baillie House Visitor Centre, run by the City of Merritt:

- In recent years, fewer and fewer people stopped at the visitor centre for information, opting instead for obtaining travel information online.
- Face-to-face visitor information was also being provided by the nearby Baillie House Visitor Centre in downtown Merritt.
- The site had become predominantly a washroom stop, and the infrastructure at the site was in need of substantial investment to bring the septic field, water supply and parking lot up to standard.

For these reasons, visitor services in Merritt were transitioned to the City of Merritt in January of this year. We are aware that some people are disappointed with this decision. However, there are no plans to reopen visitor services at the highway location.

Some additional background facts:

- The City of Merritt is now a member of Destination BC's Visitor Services Network Program and receives fee-for-service funding to assist with the delivery of visitor services at the Baillie House Visitor Centre.
- Tourists who make the five minute trip into the heart of Merritt for visitor information are likely to see more of the city and spend time and money there – generating greater local, economic benefits.
- In March of this year, the land's owners – the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development – awarded \$80,000 through the Rural Dividend program to Spayum Development Ltd to undertake a feasibility study into potential options for future use of the former site of the visitor centre.
- This will include a technical site assessment, servicing plans and consultation with local communities and First Nations.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 4:34 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: QA

Tim Howlett
Issues Management
250.208.4828

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX" <Rob.Gillezeau@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 11, 2018 at 4:24:12 PM PDT
To: "Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX" <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: QA

Potentially before 8:30 or the slot from 10 – 10:30

Rob Gillezeau
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier
250-413-7048

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 3:55 PM
To: Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX
Subject: Re: QA

We are revising. It is too late for media today.

Would MCJ have time first thing tomorrow ?

Tim Howlett
Issues Management
250.208.4828

On Jun 11, 2018, at 3:23 PM, Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX <Rob.Gillezeau@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Confirming that these are good on your end and okay to share with her?

Rob Gillezeau
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier
250-413-7048

From: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 2:24 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX
Subject: RE: QA

Thanks Tim. Here's feedback from Rob and I.

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: June 11, 2018 2:05 PM
To: Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX <Rob.Gillezeau@gov.bc.ca>; Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX <Robyn.Spilker@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: QA

Can you guys look at this?

MOTI is looking at it now as well

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 1:59 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: QA

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 4:07 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Venn, Tania GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Thanks Aileen - RE: Please review


Have put a couple of suggestions in red below.

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Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

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Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: Please review
Importance: High

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Tourism

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Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Venn, Tania GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 3:00 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Request from Premier's Office - Fwd: KMs needed

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Tania



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Hey Tania

Can you pls draft some KMs for Premier re tourism for Kootenays?

See below

Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

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From: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 11, 2018 at 1:50:46 PM PDT
To: "Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX" <Carolyn.Jack@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: KMs needed

Hi Carolyn,

We are doing an issues scan on the Kootenays due by end of day today. I'm hoping you can help me out by providing some lines on:

1. Tourism – what we are doing to help the industry province-wide and in the Kootenays specifically.
2. Pipeline dispute and tourism.

Thank you very much for your help.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 4:07 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Venn, Tania GCPE:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Please review

Looks good to me. (BTW – James P. was on your email again – haha!)

Kelly

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 4:04 PM
To: Venn, Tania GCPE:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
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Tourism

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Date: June 11, 2018 at 1:50:46 PM PDT
To: "Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX" <Carolyn.Jack@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: KMs needed

Hi Carolyn,

We are doing an issues scan on the Kootenays due by end of day today. I'm hoping you can help me out by providing some lines on:

1. Tourism – what we are doing to help the industry province-wide and in the Kootenays specifically.
2. Pipeline dispute and tourism.

Thank you very much for your help.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: GCPE HR GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 3:45 PM
To: GCPE All Staff
Subject: Public Service Week Kicks Off!

Good Afternoon,

What a great turnout to kick off Public Service Week! Folks were greeted with coffee, cookies, and fruit when they exited the elevator this morning at HQ. See a couple snap shots below 😊

We hope to see you all tomorrow at St Ann's Academy for our picnic event. There will be awards at 11am and then lunch at 12noon. We will be serving sandwiches, wraps, veggies, fruit, cookies, water/pop, and of course cake! There will be vegetarian and gluten-free options as well. Come join in the fun as we celebrate **YOU!**

Take good care,

Melissa Sigouin, Andrea Kerrigan, Gurmeet Sall, Linda Gallant and Marnie Faust
GCPE Public Service Week Coordinators



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Thanks Sonia!

Hi Aileen and Sheila – just wanted to give you a heads up on this media request and response. Give Lisanne a shout if

Thanks,

April Lawrence, Reporter

CHEK TV - Victoria

250-480-3700 c: 250-415-8168

Reporter says: I was just out speaking with Chrissy Brett at the Saanich tent city who now tells me that a sizeable section

of Regina Park, along the highway, is actually provincial land. So, if the municipality gets an injunction to force the campers out, they'll just move to the Crown land section...

- Also if it is Crown land, can someone tell me whether the province is also planning to serve them notice to vacate as well?

Background

Recommendation can refer to CRD Atlas to show approximate property lines

The ministry has jurisdiction over the Highway 1 dedication which is a narrow buffer between Regina Park and the shoulder of Highway 1. Staff are committed to working cooperatively with the people camping in the park as well as all agencies involved, including the District of Saanich, Saanich police and fire, and housing teams to find a solution.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 2:24 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fact Sheet Fuel Rebates June11.docx
Attachments: Fact Sheet Fuel Rebates June11.docx; ATT00001.txt

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Cook, Jeannette CITZ:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 1:27 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: June 12 & 14 - Roundtable Agendas
Attachments: 2. June 14, 2018 Roundtable Agenda.docx

Hi – room change for one of the meetings.

JC

From: Cook, Jeannette CITZ:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:49 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Molyneux, Jennifer CITZ:EX
Subject: June 12 & 14 - Roundtable Agendas

Hi there –

We've had to adjust the roundtable this week and split it into two meetings. Minister will call into the meeting tomorrow and will attend the meeting in person on Thurs. Please see attached agendas.

Many thanks.

JC

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:17 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Q from HQ - deferral accounts balance?

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From: Handrahan, Kirk TRAN:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:14 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX; Petruzzelli, Lynda TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Q from HQ - deferral accounts balance?

There are two accounts. One for the minor/major routes and one for the northern routes (much smaller account).

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Kirk

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:04 PM
To: Handrahan, Kirk TRAN:EX
Cc: Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX
Subject: Q from HQ - deferral accounts balance?

Hi Kirk – a financial Q coming from our HQ – what is the deferral accounts balance for BC Ferries currently? (I asked if this was a Q for finance ministry or TRAN ministry and she said it was for TRAN)

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:14 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: Updated messaging - for our ADM to review - fuel rebate issue

Hi Aileen – can you please send us your key messages as soon as possible for our program and ADM to review?
(They will need to review on behalf of transportation ministry) thanks

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 12:05 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: QA - fuel rebate - with edits from the ADM

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:36 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Update on the BN request - fuel rebate issue

Update for you - I asked program for their BN on this and they said they do not have an updated BN that is signed off, so they didn't feel comfortable sending.

I sent you the IN plus two sets of KMs (you can choose direction in tandem with finance)

Let me know if you need anything further from us – thanks!

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From: noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:27 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - New scholarship fund supports UVic's best graduate students



New scholarship fund supports UVic's best graduate students

A new \$2.25-million graduate-student scholarship fund at the University of Victoria will support students and help spark innovation, economic growth and research that benefits communities and individuals throughout the province.

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:22 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: IBN
Attachments: IN_EY Funding_June 7 2018_FINAL.docx

From: Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:00 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Cc: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: IBN

See attached.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:15 AM
To: GCPE Strategic Issues Team
Subject: Community scan
Attachments: 20180612 Community Scan Golden Canal Flats.docx

Attached

Matt Hannah
Director of Issues Management
778.584.1249

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 11:11 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Phone call

Yes absolutely. Just finishing a call with MCT. Shall I call your cell?

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

----- Original message -----

From: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Date: 2018-06-11 10:45 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX" <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Phone call

Hi Deborah,
Are you free to talk for a few minutes to discuss and imminent media issue?

Thanks,

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 10:51 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: IN - BC Ferries fuel rebate removal
Attachments: IN BC Ferries Fuel Rebate removal.docx

Ideas on kms

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Subject: Canceled: MINISTER: Weekly Touch Base
Location: s.15

Start: Wed 6/13/2018 2:15 PM
End: Wed 6/13/2018 2:45 PM
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Recurrence: Weekly
Recurrence Pattern: every Tuesday from 11:30 AM to 12:00 PM

Meeting Status: Not yet responded

Organizer: Kot, Jill CITZ:EX
Required Attendees Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Importance: High

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 9:12 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: PSSG priority and accountability tracking update - June
Attachments: PSSG Priority and Accountability Tracking Update FINAL 08June18.docx

Also fyi

From: Duncan, Nikki PSSG:EX
Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 2:52 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Cc: Sieben, Mark PSSG:EX
Subject: PSSG priority and accountability tracking update - June

Good afternoon,
Please see PSSGs Priority and Accountability tracking update for June.

Thank you

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From: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 9:10 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Note on grand forks temporary housing

Fyi, for premiers trip

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

From: Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Note on grand forks temporary housing

Hi Liam,

Here is the grand forks temporary housing messaging from the Recovery Branch. Not a lot of specifics here yet but I know a Briefing Note has been requested as well. I can put together an IN on Monday morning, as well as for the other BN messaging now that it is signed off.

Grand Forks Temporary Housing:

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From: noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 8:47 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Construction starting soon to keep key Campbell River crossing safe and reliable



Construction starting soon to keep key Campbell River crossing safe and reliable

The Highway 19 crossing of the Campbell River will be improved for people travelling southbound near the key junctions of Highways 28 and 19A, with work beginning this week.

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From: Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 7:03 AM
To: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX; Carreras, Korleen TAC:EX; Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Venn, Tania GCPE:EX; Dargie, Cathy GCPE:EX; Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX
Cc: Zaharia, Sarah GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Kahlon, Ravi PREM:EX
Subject: TAC Hot Issues KM Summary - June 11, 2018

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Key Messages:

Horse-drawn carriages – Tourism impact

- I'm aware of calls for restrictions to horse-drawn carriage rides in Victoria.
- These rides not only provide good jobs for many in the Greater Victoria area, they also contribute to the \$1.2 billion in tourism revenue this city delivers to the provincial economy.
- It is important that any operator take every possible step to ensure the safety of the passengers and the well-being of the horses that help deliver this experience to riders.
- As licensing of these horse-drawn carriage rides falls under municipal jurisdiction, I am confident the City of Victoria will continue to monitor this issue.
- The horse-drawn carriage industry has historically been a major component of tourism in this city and with that, it's important the welfare of the animals is of the highest priority.
- We will continue to watch this issue and any actions the City of Victoria make take going forward.

Abuse in Sport

- I am aware of this case involving a coach who worked in the Alpine Canada organization in the 1990s and my heart goes out to anyone who has had to deal with abuse or harassment of any kind.
- The lifting of the publication ban on this three-year-old decision means these women's voices and their experiences can be heard.
- This government and my ministry take these issues very seriously and while Alpine Canada is a national organization, we require Provincial Sport Organizations that receive provincial funding to have policies and guidelines in place to address and discourage this type of behaviour.

- Now that the ban is lifted, we will follow the matter closely so we can find even more ways to encourage these organizations to better protect young athletes against those that would abuse their coaching relationship.
- Again, I want to acknowledge the courage it takes for athletes to come forward and it is my sincere hope that we can all work together to protect our athletes.

Sport Safety – Injury & Concussion

- Our government is working with injury prevention organizations to educate and train athletes, parents, coaches, and health care professionals on the most current concussion management and return-to-play protocols.
- In sport, we know that education, proper enforcement of rules and regulations, and protective equipment help to prevent injuries. We are working with viaSport and the sport sector to educate and raise awareness about these prevention tactics at the local and provincial levels.
- Ongoing research in the area of sport safety continues to bring awareness of safety considerations, such as concussion prevention and management practices.
- In 2017, sport ministers from across Canada received the new guidelines on concussions and agreed to a Framework for Action to respond to concussions in sport.
- We are working with our federal, territorial and provincial counterparts across Canada on a coordinated approach to awareness, prevention, detection, management, and surveillance of concussions.

If asked about concussion legislation:

- Refer to Ministry of Health.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Dixon, Jane GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 6:49 AM
To: GCPE All Staff
Subject: RE: Server Upgrade - UPDATE

Good morning

Welcome to the start of the Public Service Week! To start the week on a positive note. We have successfully migrated our internal applications JIRA & Confluence from the Enterprise Cloud service to the OCIO standard offering.

Over the next few days, if you come across any inconsistencies in your projects or access, please do not hesitate to contact us immediately.

Sincerely,
JIRA Admin Team

From: Dixon, Jane GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 6, 2018 7:54 AM
To: GCPE All Staff
Subject: Server Upgrade

To All GCPE Staff

In collaboration with OCIO, we have tentatively scheduled an outage window for Jira/Confluence starting on June 8th (Friday) until June 11th (Monday). The outage will allow the replication and migration of all Jira/Confluence infrastructure from HP Enterprise Cloud services to the OCIO standard offering.

HP Enterprise Cloud services are scheduled for decommission, and the move is non-optional.

JIRA / Confluence will be unavailable from **Friday June 8th, 5:00 pm to Monday June 11th 8:00 am**. Please make sure that you have saved all work and logged off JIRA / Confluence by **4:45 pm on June 8th**.

Impacted services:
JIRA Core/Software/Service Desk
Confluence Core/Knowledgebase

Sincerely,
JIRA Admin Team

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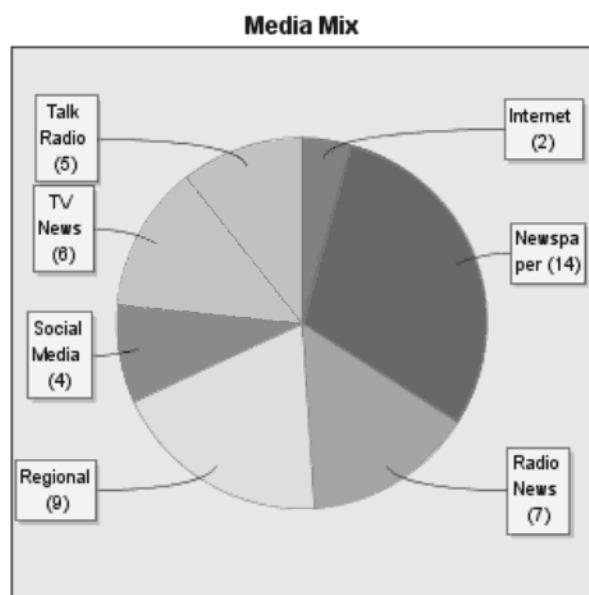
From: Keely.Brandt@gov.bc.ca
Sent: Monday, June 11, 2018 6:30 AM
To: Brandt, Keely GCPE:EX
Subject: MCFD Morning Media Summary - Monday, June 11, 2018
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Today's News Online - MCFD Morning Media Summary

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Kamloops Urgent Primary Care and Learning Centre will soon open its doors to the public



Kamloops Urgent Primary Care and Learning Centre will soon open its doors to the public

The Kamloops Urgent Primary Care and Learning Centre (UPCLC) will provide people a new option for timely primary care when it opens, announced Adrian Dix, Minister of Health.

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Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 10:15 AM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Day Ahead

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World Oceans Day

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To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Applications for universal child care pilots now being accepted



Applications for universal child care pilots now being accepted

Are you a child care provider who believes in the long-term vision of the Childcare BC plan to create affordable child care? Do you want to be a partner in the Province's move towards a universal system that will make a difference in the lives of B.C. families?

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Nominate a deserving B.C. education professional today

Nominations close June 30, 2018, for the new Premier's Awards for Excellence in Education, honouring the dedication of British Columbia's highly skilled and innovative teachers, administrators, principals, vice-principals and support staff.

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Sent: Friday, June 8, 2018 7:12 AM
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Cc: Zaharia, Sarah GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Kahlon, Ravi PREM:EX
Subject: RE: TAC Hot Issues KM Summary - June 8, 2018

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: noreply.newsondemand@gov.bc.ca
Sent: Thursday, June 7, 2018 2:31 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: BC Gov News - Province to improve commercial vehicle inspections, safety on roads



Province to improve commercial vehicle inspections, safety on roads

A new inspection facility is being built in Delta, which will improve working conditions for Commercial Vehicle Safety and Enforcement (CVSE) staff, speed up inspection times for truck drivers, with a goal of boosting safety for everyone travelling on B.C.'s highways and roads.

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From: GCPE HR GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 7, 2018 1:37 PM
To: GCPE HR GCPE:EX; GCPE All Staff
Subject: RE: 2018 Public Service Week Events at GCPE

Good Afternoon Everyone,

There was some confusion about the start time of our GCPE Picnic event at St. Ann's Academy on Tuesday, June 12th. The event starts at 11am until 2pm. The service pin ceremony and awards commence at 11am with lunch at 12noon. The awards ceremony will be held in the Auditorium.

The latest calendar invite you would have received yesterday afternoon should reflect this correct time.

We look forward to seeing you all there!

Melissa Sigouin, Andrea Kerrigan, Gurmeet Sall, Linda Gallant and Marnie Faust
GCPE Public Service Week Coordinators

From: GCPE HR GCPE:EX
Sent: June 6, 2018 11:31 AM
To: GCPE All Staff s.15
Subject: 2018 Public Service Week Events at GCPE

Hello Everyone,

Public Service Week (PSW) is approaching and we want to celebrate **YOU!!** For the week of June 11-15, GCPE and the BC Public Service are hosting some fun and engaging activities to recognize and give thanks to those that serve the citizens of this amazing Province. The theme for the week is *Integrity and Innovation*.

Here is the line-up of activities for the week. Attached is a poster to place in your common areas for all our GCPE team members see what's going on for the week. We've even found a way to weave in some friendly competition into the week 😊

Monday, June 11th

PSW Kick-off! - Hosted by GCPE

Come join Executive for a morning social and treats to start Public Service Week off right!

- 8am – 9:30am
- GCPE HQ – Main Reception Lobby
- Cookies, Coffee and Fruit

Team Boomerang Competition Kick Off – Hosted by GCPE



Download the FREE “[Boomerang App](#)” on your mobile device and take the best 4 seconds of your GCPE Team life! Try to ensure your Ministry/Department name is somewhere in the video so people know who they are voting for. For inspiration, try to incorporate the themes Integrity & Innovation or #PublicServicePride. A digital sign is attached to this email for you to use (#PublicServicePride).

This friendly competition amongst teams will continue through the week with winners presented on Friday, June 15th. There will be prizes!

- Send videos to [GCPE HR](#) before end of day, **Thursday, June 14th**
- Boomerang videos will be looping on a monitor at the GCPE HQ Reception Lobby for viewing and voting
- Place your vote into the ballot box by the end of the day, Thursday, June 14th
- Categories are:
 - Most Innovative
 - Team Spirit
 - Best Display of BC Public Service Pride

Tuesday, June 12th

St Ann's Academy Picnic – Hosted by GCPE

Enjoy lunch, drinks, music and the company of your colleagues while playing Bocce, Frisbee or Ladder Toss! Also, share in the achievements of almost 40 colleagues that will be receiving their milestone Service Pins. In addition, we will recognize the Top Work Unit Awards, and Premier's Awards finalists within GCPE.

- 11am – 2pm
 - Service Pin ceremony and awards commence at 11am
 - Lunch at 12noon
- [St Ann's Academy](#) back lawn outside the Auditorium
- **Volunteer support is needed for this event – use the voting buttons attached to the calendar invite (to follow) if you are able to help with set-up or tear down

Thursday, June 14th

GDX Demo Day & Treats – Hosted by GCPE

Join us at GDX Demo Day Presentation where various teams showcase the innovative work they're doing. **Following this event, join the Executive Team and your colleagues for at the ice cream sundae bar set up in the Boardroom!** Don't forget, while you're at HQ to vote for your favorite team Boomerang Video. Deadline to submit your video is the end of the day Thursday, June 14th. Send your videos to [GCPE HR](#)

- 2:00 – 3:30 pm - GDX Demo Day
- 3:30 – 4:30pm – Ice cream sundaes
- GCPE HQ - South Wing Collaborative Space

We hope to see you this week and participating in the events!

Melissa Sigouin, Andrea Kerrigan, Gurmeet Sall, Linda Gallant and Marnie Faust
GCPE Public Service Week Coordinators

...and the other side of the coin is the fact that the

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 7, 2018 11:10 AM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Records Management Training

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From: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, June 7, 2018 11:09 AM
To: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Records Management Training

FYI

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 4, 2018 at 1:30:20 PM PDT
To: LP Senior Ministerial Assistants <SRMINAST@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Ministerial Assistants <LPMAs@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Executive Assistants <LPEAS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Administrative Coordinators <LPACS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Support Staff <LPSUPPORT@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP Premiers Vancouver Office <LPPVO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>, LP PO Executive Office <LPPOEO@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Parte, Maura PSA:EX" <Maura.Parte@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Records Management Training

To All Staff:

Following from the Premier's commitment to ensure that best practices for records management are being used across government, follow-up training is being scheduled for all staff in the Office of the Premier and Ministers' offices.

When we formed government the Premier committed to a high standard and to ensuring government is doing its level best to being open and transparent.

The follow-up sessions in June will answer any questions you have now that you've had the experience of managing records in the past few months.

Calendar invitations will be sent shortly, please plan on attending and please rearrange your schedule to make this a priority if need be.

VICTORIA SESSIONS

Wednesday, June 13 10:00AM-11:30AM Premier's Office, Senior MAs, MAs, EAs (Victoria based)

Wednesday, June 20 10:00AM-11:30AM Premier's Office, Senior MAs, MAs, EAs (Victoria based)

Please note that staff have to attend one of the two sessions, not both.

Thursday, June 21 2:00PM-3:30PM PO and MO administrative support staff

VANCOUVER CABINET OFFICE SESSION

Tuesday, June 26 10:00AM-11:30AM

WEBINAR SESSION

Thursday, June 28 2:00PM-3:30PM

Thank you,

GEOFF MEGGS

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West Annex, Parliament Buildings,
501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
(250) 356-6271

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, June 6, 2018 10:17 AM
To: Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX
Cc: Jones, JJ GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Massey, Christine MCF:EX; Robinson, Jon PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; GCPE R 617 Government Street, N404, (Seats 26 people) GCPE:EX; Viaud, Chantille PREM:EX; Mayhew, Marnie MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Re: Child care working group

Hello Everyone,

Here is the proposed agenda for today's meeting

We are going to have to keep it to 30 min as we have an important meeting at 11:30 with the Ministers that can't be changed

- 1) summary child care month (fee reduction numbers)
- 2) "Spaces Month" - major, start-up funds, maintenance fund, prototype sites
- advocates perspective re wages & spaces
- 3) ACCB rollout
- subsidy clients
- targets for messaging
- paid advertising/social media
- 4) ECE wage rollout (August)

Sent from my iPad

> On Jun 1, 2018, at 3:34 PM, Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX <Robb.Gibbs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
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> Hello all,
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> Yes, it's your favourite meeting. I've booked the room for 1.5 hours but hope to keep it to an hour. Phone in details below.
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> Tks,
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> Robb
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Lloyd, Evan GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 4:58 PM
To: GCPE All Staff
Subject: Organizational Changes @ GCPE HQ
Attachments: Restructuring - Memo to staff .docx

Please note the attached memo describing certain staffing and organizational changes at GCPE HQ.

Regards,

EVAN LLOYD
Deputy Minister,
Government Communications and Public Engagement – GCPE
evan.lloyd@gov.bc.ca
250 812 9153

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 4:49 PM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Flagging FOIs x 2 signed off last week

Thanks Chris. Appreciate it.

Sarah Marriott
Issues Manager
250.361.8416

From: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 9:59 AM
To: McRae, Meghan GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Flagging FOIs x 2 signed off last week

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From: Whittier, Joanne GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 9:56 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Ingram, Ben GCPE:EX
Subject: Flagging FOIs x 2 signed off last week

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CTZ-2018-83259

Application type: Political Party

Description: All records in the message tracking log files for which the record is messages sent to and from any email address associated with the Minister of Environment to or from any email address associated with Alexandra Morton, including the following information: Date and time, source, event-ID, recipient address, message subject and sender address. (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2017 To 03/20/2018).

CTZ-2018-83205

Application type: Political Party

Description: All records in the message tracking log files for which the record is messages sent to and from any email address associated with Alexandra Morton, to and from any email address associated with the Minister of Agriculture, including the following information: Date and time, source, event-ID, recipient address, message subject and sender address. (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2017 To 03/20/2018).

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 10:32 AM
Subject: Day ahead, Monday June 4

CFD Minister Katrine Conroy tours two newly renovated facilities that will be used for Snowoyelh Te Ememeth (Children and Family Services) and Te Lalem (Residential Home)

JTT IB: Province wide information bulletin -- Small Business Task Force online consultation begins

ENV NR: Province wide news release -- New protections in place to support wildlife species

AEST NORTH VANCOUVER -- Minister Melanie Mark makes tuition waiver announcement: Event with province wide news release. 10:30 am - Minister Mark announces tuition waiver program for former youth in care who are pursuing a career in the trades through a union-based trainer.

FLNR IB: Regional information bulletin -- Southeast Fire Centre Category 3 open burning prohibition

TRAN IB: Province wide information bulletin -- Announces start of engagement with trucking industry regarding winter driving chain-up regulation changes

MMHA ABBOTSFORD -- Minister Judy Darcy speaks at engagement session with people who use drugs about how to improve our mental health and addictions system: Media not attending

SDPR VANCOUVER -- Minister Shane Simpson speaks at United Way, Lower Mainland's Social Purpose Institute launch

HLTH NR: Regional news release -- Surgical services program announcement - Minister Dix announces a surgical services program for hip and knee replacements across Interior Health. This program (one of five to be launched in B.C.) currently based out of Kelowna General Hospital will help better address surgical wait times and meet growing demand.

FLNR NR: Province wide news release -- Funding available to improve off-road trails, promote rider safety

AG IB: Province wide information bulletin -- 10th Justice Summit (May 31-June 2, 2018)

JTT VANCOUVER -- Minister of State for Trade George Chow speaks at 2018 Canada Wood reception in support of 2018 Wood Best Practices Forum

JTT BOSTON -- Minister Bruce Ralston speaks at LifeSciences B.C.'s annual B.C. Dinner: British Columbia's new Innovation Commissioner, Alan Winter, is also expected to attend

Sage Aaron, Communications Director
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Hunt, Charlotte PSSG:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 9:15 AM
To: Hynes, Colin GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Hembree, Sara PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General; Duncan, Nikki PSSG:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Two new INs for Binder

Thanks Colin!



Charlotte Hunt
Administrative Assistant to the
Honourable Mike Farnworth
Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General
and Government House Leader
Direct Line: 250 356-2125

From: Hynes, Colin GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, June 4, 2018 9:12 AM
To: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Hembree, Sara PSSG:EX; Hunt, Charlotte PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General; Duncan, Nikki PSSG:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Two new INs for Binder

Good morning,

Two new INs for you today. One updated IN on the unbiased policing survey and one brand new one on lower mainland integrated policing teams report. I've also attached an updated binder.

Thanks,

Colin

Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General
Government Communications and Public Relations
Media: 250-213-3602
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Friday, June 1, 2018 12:16 PM
To: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Covering for Aileen

Thanks so much Sara, you too! Just so you know I will be travelling with MKC M-T and Thursday, and Alisma travelling with MKC W-F, just in case you are having trouble reaching us. I will be pretty much out of reach all day Monday.

From: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, June 1, 2018 12:12 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Covering for Aileen

Hi all,

Hope this finds you all well and enjoying life post-session!

As you may have heard, I'll be covering MCFD for Aileens.22

Please don't hesitate to loop me in/cc me on anything you'd usually be in touch with Aileen about.

Cheers,
Sarah

Sarah Marriott
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Sent: Friday, June 1, 2018 10:51 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: FYI - TRAN Media Response - E&N Rail

Got time to cast your eyes over this?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX" <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 1, 2018 at 10:27:47 AM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>, "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FYI - TRAN Media Response - E&N Rail

Hi Will and James,

FYI on this previously approved messaging about the E&N rail – this has been signed off by ADM Bowman.

Thanks,
Danielle

Reporter
Roszan Holman, Producer
CFAX 1070

Deadline ASAP (Friday)

Request

Reporter says: I have a few questions about E&N commuter rail, from Langford to Victoria.

- 1) Premier Horgan recently told the Chamber of Commerce that there seems to be no business case for rail. To what business-case analysis was he referring?
- 2) What research exists on the business case for alternatives to rail, such as buses?
- 3) MLA Mitzi Dean has been engaged in consultations with various interest groups – including Songhees and Esquimalt First Nations -- about the E&N corridor and commuter rail. How will she report out on her findings, and by what date will this be done?
- 4) What discussions have already happened with the Island Corridor Foundation about ripping out the tracks from Langford to Victoria, in order to run buses or other modes of transportation on the corridor?
- 5) The Island Corridor Foundation owns the rail corridor. Does the province have the authority to reclaim ownership of this corridor?

Background

Revitalizing the E&N corridor in the Capital Regional District is something that the Province is looking at as a way to address the frustrations people have with mounting traffic congestion between downtown Victoria and the West Shore, and we're committed to looking at solutions to get people moving in the CRD.

As the Premier has stated, studies do not support a case for rail on the corridor – the tracks stop in Vic West and don't go all the way into town, and study after study proves that if people need to transfer more than once, they will opt to stay in their cars.

There are a number of studies that have been undertaken over the years, by BC Transit, the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure and many others, that have estimated the costs related to track upgrades and capital costs in the CRD (including rolling stock) range from \$17.8 million to \$165.7 million. Reinstatement of passenger rail along the corridor in the CRD is not a simple or cost effective solution to meeting the demands of commuters.

The Province is looking at options for how to use the E&N corridor to get people moving quickly, efficiently and for the best value for people living and working along the corridor. Transit is an option being seriously considered.

The consultations led by MLA Mitzi Dean with local mayors and Esquimalt and Songhees First Nations have opened important discussions. This work is complex and involves a number of stakeholders, including ICF, local governments and First Nations. There a number of factors to consider, and the Province continues this work in an ongoing way.

Earlier this week, Minister Trevena met with the Chair of ICF, and we're hopeful that we can work collaboratively to find solutions to revitalize the E&N corridor.

The Province is encouraging the ICF to consider all options for the corridor, including transit service, multi-use trails, rail - if and where it's feasible - or a combination of approaches.

The ministry will continue working with stakeholders and the ICF to determine a way forward, and will provide an update in the process while respecting the confidential and sensitive nature of the discussions.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Facebook OpEd
Attachments: Trevena CBA OpEd Jul 31 AM.docx

For posting – with a photo from the announcement.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:19 AM
To: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: please check

Government is continuing to accelerate investments to provide better schools for students.

Community Benefit Agreements (CBA) will initially apply to major transportation infrastructure projects.

In the future, projects will be assessed on a case by case basis to determine if a CBA should be used.

These agreements will make sure that major infrastructure projects deliver lasting benefits for people and communities.

That means supporting local businesses whenever possible, creating good paying jobs for people, and providing an opportunity to train and apprentice workers.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: please check

Sarah Marriott
Issues Manager
250.361.8416

From: Maartman, William EDUC:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:03 AM
To: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Subject: please check

Media Request

Subject: Community benefits -- new schools?

Reporter: Rod Link, Burns Lakes District News
rodlink@terracestandard.com 250-638-7283

Request: Coast Mountains School District has submitted several requests for new school construction eg. in Kitimat and in Terrace.

Curious to know if and when approved whether construction will come under the new Community Benefits Agreement.

Response:

Government is continuing to accelerate investments to provide better schools for students.

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These agreements will make sure that major infrastructure projects deliver lasting benefits for people and communities.

That means supporting local businesses whenever possible, creating good paying jobs for people, and providing an opportunity to train and apprentice workers.

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Will Maartman
Ministerial Assistant | Ministry of Education
778-679-4952

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:07 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Backgrounder
Attachments: 2018.07.30 CBA Backgrounder.docx

Hi!

I've created a new backgrounder. Any chance we could have this added to the webpage from last week's news release?

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 10:06 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Cc: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Backgrounder
Attachments: 2018.07.30 CBA Backgrounder.docx

Updated format.

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Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 31, 2018 9:59 AM
To: Matthen, Sheila GCPE:EX
Subject: Backgrounder
Attachments: Backgrounder Community Benefit Agreements.docx

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Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 3:25 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: DRAFT
Attachments: CBA OpEd.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 11:50 AM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Subject: Draft messaging

Here's the most recent messaging I drafted on childcare. This may need to be tweaked for this purpose. I can work on it tomorrow if needed.

For too long, childcare has been in crisis in BC which is why our government is rolling out a comprehensive childcare plan to make quality childcare accessible and affordable for families.

Over the first year of our government, we've heard from parents, childcare providers and educators. Their message has been clear- we need to act quickly to fix the childcare crisis for BC families.

With our first Budget, we took steps to make child care more affordable with a fee reduction that is saving parents as much as \$350 per month per child. We will be delivering further savings to families with the Affordable Child Care Benefit this September.

We are also working hard to create new spaces so parents don't have to struggle to find child care. Earlier this summer we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to model affordable childcare at a maximum of \$200/month.

It's been wonderful to connect with childcare providers, get their input and have so many of them sign on to our childcare program. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 11:18 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Introducing you to our new Senior PAO!

Welcome to Transportation, Sukhi!

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, July 30, 2018 10:50 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: Introducing you to our new Senior PAO!

Hi Will, James and Aileen,

I'd like to e-introduce you to Sukhi Tomana, who has just joined our team as a Senior Public Affairs Officer. Sukhi joins us from Tourism, Arts and Culture and we are so excited to have her join MoTI! Aileen, I believe you two have met before 😊

I look forward to introducing you in person in the coming weeks. In the meantime here are the files Sukhi will carry:

- Pattullo Bridge replacement
- Infrastructure projects – federal partnerships – including Integrated Bilateral Agreement and Highway 1 Lower Lynn Improvements
- E&N Rail
- Southern Vancouver Island transportation communications plan
- Container Trucking Act
- Rail

Katie Robb

Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Sunday, July 29, 2018 9:05 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: DRAFT
Attachments: 2018.07.29 - MN - CBA Examples.docx

One point I'd like to discuss before this is provided. I've gone through examples with the Minister for tomorrow's interview though.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Sunday, July 29, 2018 8:18 PM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: Radio interviews
Attachments: 2018.07.25 - MN - CBA Pattullo.docx

I've attached the message note. Here are some key points and clarifications for tomorrow's interviews:

- This is a landmark agreement focused on **local businesses and local workers**.
- Anyone can bid, anyone can work. Priority for local, indigenous, under-represented groups. Apprentices. (Section 9.100 clearly outlines the precedence of priority hiring)
- Pattullo and Highway 1 are not camp projects. Therefore the meal requirements don't apply.
- BC has a skilled worker shortage and we need to provide opportunities for apprentices to train the future workforce of the province.

Examples of PLAs:

- Agreements like this have a successful track record in both the public and private sector.
- Since 1963, PLAs have been used by BC Hydro and the Allied Hydro Council to build dams in our province, with each one constructed on time and on budget.
- These include:
 - Peace Dams
 - W.A.C. Bennett 1967
 - BCH Transmission Systems – Peace Canyon 1980
 - Columbia Dams
 - Duncan Dam 1964
 - Arrow/ Keenleyside 1968

- Mica 1973
- Run of River Dams
 - Kootenay Canal 1975
 - Seven Mile 1980
 - Revelstoke 1995
- Allied Hydro Projects 1996 Agreement
 - Stave Falls Power Plant 2000
 - Keenleyside Powerplant Arrow Generating Station 2002
 - Burrard Upgrade 2003
 - Seven Mile Unit #4 – Seismic Upgrade 2003
 - Brilliant Power Plant 2007
 - Revelstoke Unit #5 2011
 - Waneta Power Plant 2015
 - Mica Unit #5 2014
 - Mica Unity #6 2016
 - Revelstoke Unit #6 Planned
- The John Hart generating station upgrade is currently underway in Campbell River. Agreement between SNC Lavalin and Allied Hydro Council.
 - 8% of the workforce are indentured apprentices (51 out of 337 tradesworkers)

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 27, 2018 3:17 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Additional QA

PavCo Residential Building Approved

Background:

- On Tuesday, July 24, Vancouver council approved the rezoning of Area 10C with two options:
 - 1) Approved 400,000sqft at up to 300ft in height with no conditions or restrictions.
 - 2) Approved 400,000sqft at up to 400ft with condition that all residential units are designated as secured market rental housing.
- This would allow for provincial Crown corporation PavCo to build a 40-storey (400 foot tall) or 300 foot tall residential tower on Pacific Boulevard, between Rogers Arena and B.C. Place Stadium.
- PavCo's original proposal to the City of Vancouver for Area 10C was for a 300ft building. Feedback from City staff, as described in the City's North East False Creek Plan, indicated that the public was interested in retaining views of the stadium.
- Subsequently, a taller building – up to 400ft – with a smaller floorplate was brought forward as a second option.
- The proposal has been criticised for impeding viewing corridors of the North Shore mountains - including a "Save our Skyline YVR" social media campaign.

Message:

- I'm aware of people's concerns about view corridors.
- I understand PavCo will continue to engage with the City on this, and will review the outcome before making any decisions.
- I look forward to hearing PavCo's recommendation.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 1:30 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: statement

Please send to the reporter listed below, and attribute statement to Minister Trevena. This reporter's deadline is 2pm.

By using a Community Benefits Agreement, we are opening up jobs and opportunities for people where they live. Hiring local people means growing local economies and building thriving communities across the province. We are also increasing the participation of women, Indigenous workers and apprentices to help them support their families and further their career path.

While the former government chose lowest bid on projects it also saw massive cost overruns, for example the Northwest Transmission line and the Convention Centre. It also failed to meet its own targets on apprenticeships.

Agreements like the CBA have a proven track record in both the private and public sector. It promotes the delivery of projects on time and on budget while providing long lasting benefits to BC. The overall cost of the project may be slightly escalated but will be far out-weighted by benefits provided to British Columbia.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 26, 2018 at 12:46:04 PM PDT
To: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: statement

The statement can go from MOTI to Alex McKeen at Star Metro:

McKeen, Alex <alex.mckeen@torstargroup.ca>

Jen Holmwood, Deputy Communications Director
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British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 250-818-4881

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 12:40 PM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: Star Metro looking for comment on ICBA letter

Hi!

Star Metro is looking for comment on the open letter opposing CBAs.

I suggest we send this statement. Let me know if you approve.

The old government chose lowest bid on projects but saw massive cost overruns, and didn't include enough apprentices. By using a Community Benefits Agreement, we are opening up jobs and opportunities for people where they live. Hiring local people means growing local economies and building thriving communities across the province. We are also increasing the participation of women, Indigenous workers and apprentices to help them support their families and further their career path. Agreements like this one have a proven track record in both the private and public sector. The CBA promotes the delivery of projects on time and on budget while providing long lasting benefits to BC. The overall cost of the project may be slightly escalated but will be far out-weighed by benefits provided to British Columbia.

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From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:42 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Star Metro looking for comment on ICBA letter

Looking for comment on this by 2pm. Thoughts?

<https://www.icbaindependent.ca/wp-content/uploads/2018/07/Open-Letter-to-Premier-Horgan-on-CBAs.pdf>

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:59 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: 2018.07.25 - MN - CBA Pattullo.docx
Attachments: 2018.07.25 - MN - CBA Pattullo.docx; ATT00001.txt

Print and give to Minister please. Thanks!

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:53 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Cc: Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Croft, Robyn J GCPE:EX; McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX; Copeland, Kimberly GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: For your review and approval - FW: DRAFT: Pattullo Bridge project to invest in local people

Yes, good thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 11:52 AM, Robb, Katie GCPE:EX <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Thanks grant - deferring to Aileen on final signoff for this one (your edits are good by me)

Katie Robb

Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Government Communications & Public Engagement
M: [250.920.8371](tel:250.920.8371)

On Jul 26, 2018, at 11:50 AM, Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX <Grant.Kerr@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Katie,

No big edits here other than knocked an "and" out of Minister Trevena's quote as it was really "and" heavy. Let us know if that's OK.

"This agreement will ensure every worker will be treated fairly, and paid good wages and receive benefits for their work, and the no-strike clause provides stability to the project. That's a good deal for taxpayers and it helps ensure projects get completed on time and on budget," Trevena said.

Grant

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

From: Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX [<mailto:Grant.Kerr@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:47 AM
To: Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX
Subject: DRAFT: Pattullo Bridge project to invest in local people

Please refer to the files attached to this email. The following is the summary of the News Release

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Learn More:

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Contact:

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:45 AM
To: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Hi Aileen - copy of draft BC GAMES STATEMENT pls!

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Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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From: Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:44 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Hi Aileen - copy of draft BC GAMES STATEMENT pls!

Hey Aileen.


Could you pls send me a copy of your draft statement?

Ta!
C



Carolyn Jack, Communications Manager

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture, Responsible for
Sport and Multiculturalism

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Please consider the environment before printing this email.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 11:02 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: NR_Pattullo_CBA_July 26 2018.docx
Attachments: NR_Pattullo_CBA_July 26 2018.docx; ATT00001.txt

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:50 AM
To: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Turner, Jordan GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

Hi!

We are doing an issues scan for Premier for Vancouver and Victoria media. Can you let me know of any PSSG/EMBC topics that could come up by tomorrow morning at 10?

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:49 AM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

Hi!

We are doing an issues scan for Premier for Vancouver and Victoria media. Can you let me know of any MCFD/child care topics that could come up by tomorrow morning at 10?

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:48 AM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: Issues scan

Hi!

We are doing an issues scan for Premier for Vancouver and Victoria media. Can you let me know of any TAC topics that could come up by tomorrow morning at 10?

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:39 AM
To: Hayes, Brooke TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Willow, Vicki TRAN:EX; Tekano, Murray TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Final NR - Pattullo CBA - July 26

Thanks Brooke! Providing apprentices with opportunities to build up experience does allow for the training of the future workforce.

I'll keep the first sentence as is, but please make the change to Indigenous workers in the fourth paragraph.

Lianne, please send along to GCPE.

Thanks!
Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 10:32 AM, Hayes, Brooke TRAN:EX <Brooke.Hayes@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

A couple of thoughts in the attached

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:22 AM
To: Willow, Vicki TRAN:EX; Hayes, Brooke TRAN:EX; Tekano, Murray TRAN:EX
Cc: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: Final NR - Pattullo CBA - July 26

Hi Vicki, Brooke, and Murray – here is the final NR as signed off by the Min Office and the PO.
I have added in the link under “learn more” and de-capitalized the title as per CP style.
Please let me know of any concerns in the next half hour, and then I will send it through to the editors for formatting.
This one goes out today at 2 PM.
Many thanks

Lianne Bowness | Communications Manager
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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<NR_Pattullo_CBA_July 26 2018.docx>

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:15 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: News release
Attachments: Pattullo News Release AM July 25.docx

This has been approved by PO. Can you run it past Ministry one last time then send to the GCPE news room for release at 2? Make sure to include link to the full CBA.

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 10:03 AM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: KM/QA and News release
Attachments: Pattullo News Release AM July 25.docx; CBA Overview Tech Presentation Draft July25.pptx; 2018.07.25 - MN - CBA Pattullo.docx

Please take note of the cost question in the Message Note. Talk to you soon. Thanks!

Aileen Machell
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 9:59 AM
To: Willow, Vicki TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Tekano, Murray TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: CBA Overview Draft July26.pptx

This is good to go. Thanks!

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From: Willow, Vicki TRAN:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 8:52 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Tekano, Murray TRAN:EX
Subject: CBA Overview Draft July26.pptx

Here you go. We should probably PDF once final.

Thanks!

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 8:53 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Plan for today

2pm for the news release.

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 26, 2018 8:53 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Plan for today

Thx. I want to confirm timing of press release too - I am assuming we will tee up for start of tech briefing (2:30)? If someone can confirm. Thanks!

Katie Robb
Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Government Communications & Public Engagement
M: 250.920.8371

On Jul 26, 2018, at 8:51 AM, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi!

Just wanted to update you on Minister's availability for when you talk to reporters.

She is now available from 3:15-3:45 pm, then again from 4:45pm-5:30 pm.

She is on a flight between those times. Vicki says the tech briefing will be no longer than 45 minutes, so 3:15 should be ok.

Thanks.

Aileen Machell
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 6:09 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Products
Attachments: Pattullo News Release AM July 25.docx; Comms Plan_Community Benefits Agreement_July 25 FINAL.docx; 2018.07.25 - MN - CBA Pattullo.docx; CBA Overview Tech Presentation Draft July25.pptx

Hello,

The draft news release (with quotes approved by Minister Trevena), Message/QA document, full communications plan and the Ministry's draft tech presentation are attached.

Please take note of slide 11 of the tech briefing. Will need to discuss this before the deck is finalized.

Let me know if you would like to see changes to any of the documents.

Thanks and have a good evening.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 4:40 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: thoughts?
Attachments: IN - PMH1 Independent Review AM.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 3:31 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: PMH1
Attachments: KM_QA_Port Mann Bridge Review FIN_draft2.docx; ATT00001.htm; IN - PMH1 Independent Review.docx; ATT00002.htm

Is this on your radar?

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 25, 2018 at 11:55:11 AM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>, "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: PMH1

Patrick/Lisa G reviewing now. Also including FIN's key messages and QA as they are lead...they will be intake and triage all media requests.

Let me know if any feedback or concerns?

Katie Robb

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 2:34 PM
To: Gibbs, Robb GCPE:EX; Hockin, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Draft news release
Attachments: Pattullo News Release AM July 25.docx

Hello,

This has been reviewed by the program area. The Minister may make edits to her quotes. Call or email me if you would like additional changes. This will ensure no version control issues.

Thanks,

Aileen Machell
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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
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Cc: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Comms Plan
Attachments: Comms Plan_Community Benefits Agreement_July 24 FINAL.docx

Hello,

Here's the Communications Plan for the CBA rollout this week. Happy to chat about it tonight or tomorrow.

If you need anything else, let me know.

Have a nice evening!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2018 2:27 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Messages
Attachments: Ridesharing Messages AM.docx

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2018 9:59 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: KMs

- We know people are frustrated and have been waiting too long for a solution to the lack of transportation options that are available - particularly in Metro Vancouver. People want more options for getting around the city efficiently.
- We are taking the next step in delivering more convenience and flexibility for people traveling around the province.
- People need to be able to get around safely and reliably. That's why we're putting more taxis on the streets and laying the groundwork for new ridesharing services to enter the market.
- Our action plan on ridesharing includes:
 - Retaining Dr. Hara to assist and advise government, working with the PTB to further consult with industry, including major rideshare stakeholders.
 - Implementing policy changes through the PTB.
 - Working with the PTB on data collection and analysis.
- We're preparing legislation for the fall focused on:
 - Consumer safety and enforcement.
 - Streamlining license applications for drivers.
 - Boundaries and meeting demand for taxis and other passenger directed vehicles.
 - Working with ICBC to enable a modern insurance product.
- This is our action plan to bring ridesharing to B.C. and we fully expect ride sharing companies to apply to the Passenger Transportation Board to offer services in B.C. by next September.
- Our approach will modernize the taxi industry and help meet current demand, while opening the door to other ways of ride hailing - so people can move around how they want, when they want, safely.

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Can discuss when I get to the office. But wanted you to have it for your morning meeting.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 3:45 PM
To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Bishop, Carol TRAN:EX; Mounteney, Renee TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Gow, Lisa A TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Final - Follow-up Media Request: TBS - Bridge tolls update

Approved.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 3:29 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Bishop, Carol TRAN:EX; Mounteney, Renee TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Gow, Lisa A TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Final - Follow-up Media Request: TBS - Bridge tolls update

Copying Aileen on here for final sign off! Thanks!
Danielle

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 20, 2018 3:28 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Bishop, Carol TRAN:EX; Mounteney, Renee TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Gow, Lisa A TRAN:EX
Subject: Final - Follow-up Media Request: TBS - Bridge tolls update

Katie and Lianne – running this clean copy by one last time for Vaughn’s request. Here is what we’ll send. Good with an FYI to the MO, or need approval on this one?

Thanks,
Danielle

1. Was there a final cost associated with shutting down the tolling authority?

The toll operator contract was dissolved as of March 31, 2018. Costs associated with contract breakage for tolling services and systems are approximately \$3 million.

2. Did the Province have to make any payout to the private partner that built and operated the Port Mann?

The Port Mann Highway 1 (PMH1) project has no private partner, as the project was not delivered as a public private partnership (P3).

3. Has the Province already given money to TransLink to cover the loss of tolling revenue on Golden Ears, and if so how much?

Government has paid Translink \$33M from time of toll removal announcement through end of March 2018.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 19, 2018 12:27 PM
To: Ryckman, Scott GCPE:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Rideshare Coalition
Attachments: Rideshare Coalition.m4a; ATT00001.htm

Hi Scott, would it be possible to put this recording into TNO and have it transcribed? It is the scrum from the rideshare coalition following Minister Trevena's announcement.

Let me know,
Thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aileen Machell"s.22
To: "Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Rideshare Coalition

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 12:42 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Harbour Air Flight Itinerary. Thanks for booking!

Hi- sending along for reimbursement. Thanks.

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Begin forwarded message:

From: "Harbour Air, Whistler Air & Saltspring Air" <reservation@harbourair.com>
Date: July 18, 2018 at 11:52:04 AM PDT
To: aileen.machell@gov.bc.ca
Subject: Harbour Air Flight Itinerary. Thanks for booking!
Reply-To: reservation@harbourair.com



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Customer Information

Account

HAS #

s.17

Name

Aileen Machell

Booking s.22

Thursday, July 19, 2018

Flight #204/Twin Otter

08:00 Victoria Harbour / Map 

08:35 Vancouver Harbour / Map 

bsp; 

35 minutes

KK- Confirmed

1 Passenger(s) - GoFlex

. Aileen Machell, Female

[Add to Calendar](#)

Invoice **s.17**

Air Transportation Charges

Sked 200/300 : (St) GO Flex	\$186.64
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Taxes, Fees and Charges

All Skeds - Baggage : Checked Baggage Fee	\$0.00
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Sked 200 : Carbon Offset	\$0.65
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Sked 200 : VHFC Terminal Fee	\$9.86
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+ Goods and Services Tax	\$9.85
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Billing	\$197.15
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Taxes	\$9.85
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Grand Total	\$207.00
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Between South Vancouver (YVR), Victoria & Nanaimo

50 lbs. Guaranteed

\$1/lb. over 50 lbs.

Scenic & Packaged Tours Cancellation:

100% cancellation fee if cancelled within 24hrs of departure

Booking **s.22**

Thursday, July 19, 2018

Invoice **s.17**

Flight #2210

16:30 Vancouver Harbour / Map 

17:05 Victoria Harbour / Map 

35 minutes

KK- Confirmed

1 Passenger(s) - GoFlex

. Aileen Machell, Female

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 12:05 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Edits
Attachments: KM_QA_Ridehailing AM edits - July 18.docx; SN_Ridehailing Announcement AM edits.docx

Just confirming you have my updated versions. Thanks.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

From: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Edits

Full package approved

From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 10:28 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Edits

All good!

Katie Robb
Communications Director | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 10:28 AM
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Yes, I was already so far into it when I realised I should be tracking. My bad.

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 10:25 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Edits

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:57 AM

To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 12:03 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Edits

SUPPLY AND OPERATING AREAS

Q. The news release says legislation will include a focus on “Supply and boundaries for taxis and other passenger directed vehicles.” What does this mean?

- We know the current system isn’t meeting the needs of consumers.
- There are gaps especially during peak hours and late at night and during busy events and tourist seasons.
- Our legislation will look at how we can ensure the system best meets demand, including for accessible vehicles.

Q. Will there be an open market on taxis or still limits on the number of taxis?

- These are issues that we are still working on. We’ll have more to say about this in the fall.

Q. But will the regulator be changing the boundaries of where they can operate?

- Dr. Hara recommends introducing more flexible operating boundaries for app-hailed trips.
- We’ll have more to say about this in the fall, but it’s important that people are able to access safe rides between the communities.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:57 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
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Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 11:26 AM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Subject: Letter
Attachments: Minister Trevena - letter to Garneau.docx

Importance: High

This is the letter – Minister has approved it. Let me know next steps.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:57 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Edits
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Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 8:22 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Cc: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: MCT prep time

Yes.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 18, 2018, at 8:21 AM, Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Can you join?

William Beale
Sr MA Transportation

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Waters, Leah TRAN:EX" <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 18, 2018 at 8:20:06 AM PDT
To: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX" <James.Papadopoulos@gov.bc.ca>, "Chapotelle, Jacqueline TRAN:EX" <Jacqueline.Chapotelle@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: MCT prep time

Hi Katie,

As per below, the minister has some time from 3-3:30 PM. Can you please let me know if this works for you?

Thanks,

Leah Waters
Administrative Coordinator to the
Honourable Claire Trevena
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
Direct: 250 953 4848
Main: 250 387 1978
Email: Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca

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

From: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX

Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 7:03 PM

To: Chapotelle, Jacqueline TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX

Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX

Subject: MCT prep time

Hi guys,

Can you please find a 30 minute slot for Katie to sit down with MCT tomorrow (Weds).

Thanks,

James

Sent from my iPhone

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:59 PM
To: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Cc: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

I think we need to directly say we are creating more spaces. Edited below.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2018, at 2:47 PM, Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

See highlighted line below which is what Christine is more comfortable with. kj

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:39 PM
To: Massey, Christine MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

FYI

From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:38 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX <Karen.V.Johnston@gov.bc.ca>; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX <Kirsten.Lauvaas@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR REVIEW: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Hi all,

Here's an updated version of the response, reviewed by Christine. I've tried to capture feedback so far.

Let me know if you're happy with this response.

Thanks,

Brendan

From: Brendan Wright [<mailto:Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX <Brendan.Wright@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CFD Media Request: Response to BC Liberals statement on childcare plan

Reporter

Carol Xu, Reporter
Fairchild TV
jiawenx@hotmail.com
778-558-8197

Deadline Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

Request

BC liberal says BC NDP's childcare plan will lead to loss of 8138 childcare spaces in BC.

1. What is the government's response to BC liberals' findings?

Our plan will create more spaces. Last week we announced our plan to invest \$221 million over three years specifically earmarked to create 22,000 spaces. We held our first information session for this funding this week, with almost 70 child care providers joining to learn more about the program.

For too long, there has been a child care crisis in this province, and I am proud that our government is taking concrete steps to address this for B.C. families. We are with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. In June, we also expanded our Childcare BC Maintenance Fund, which provides funding for providers to carry out repairs and maintain existing spaces. We have already received around 160 applications, and provided more than \$400,000 in funding to ensure that child care providers can continue to provide quality care to families in their communities. We also launched Start-up Grants, which will support unlicensed providers to become licensed and allow them to care for more children.

In addition, we are working on a plan to increase the number of child care workers to ensure the new spaces are staffed. We know that wages for the child care sector are a major issue, and I can assure you that we are working on it and more details will be available in the coming months.

We continue to work with partners across government and other key stakeholders as we work to bring universal child care to B.C.

2. What are the restrictions for childcare facilities if they are opted into the plan? why implement such restrictions?

Child care providers who choose to opt-in to our fee reduction initiative are provided with the funding to be passed down to parents, up to 350 a month, plus a 10% boost on their CCOF grant. We require providers who opt-in to provide us with a fee schedule which is reviewed to ensure that parents do not see unreasonable costs added. Providers are approved to increase fees for reasonable costs associated with running their business.

3. The study shows that of the 70% of respondents who have opted into the plan, 49% felt coercive. What's your response to that?

Participation in the fee reduction initiative is completely optional. We are pleased that 85% of eligible providers have chosen to join the initiative and pass along savings to families. So far, more than 47,000 licensed child care spaces have been approved for fee reductions. We're also receiving new applications for providers who are looking to receive Child Care Operating Funding for the first time, so that they can participate in the Child Care Fee Reduction Initiative.

While I can't comment on the specifics of a survey without seeing the questions or methods used, I can say that we've received positive feedback from providers across the province. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Background

Recommendation

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 12:29 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Subject: Statement

For too long, childcare has been in crisis in BC which is why our government is rolling out a comprehensive childcare plan to make quality childcare accessible and affordable for families. Over the first year of our government, I have travelled the province meeting parents, childcare providers and educators. Their message was clear- we need to act quickly to fix the childcare crisis for BC families. With our first Budget, we took steps to make child care more affordable with a fee reduction that is saving parents as much as \$350 per month per child. We will be delivering further savings to families with the Affordable Child Care Benefit this September. We are also working hard to create new spaces so parents don't have to struggle to find child care. Just last week we announced the creation of 22,000 new childcare spaces over three years, working with municipalities, school districts, and childcare providers across the province. And in the fall we will create prototype sites to model affordable childcare at a maximum of \$200/month. It's been wonderful to connect with childcare providers, get their input and have so many of them sign on to our childcare program. I hear every day from childcare providers who are happy to pass on savings to parents and are excited about the bright future for childcare and children in our province.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:47 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Op-Ed

Is it with the Sun now?

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:09 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Op-Ed

Okay, thanks. We'll get it off.

Katie Robb
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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:09 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Op-Ed

Yes, not needed.

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Op-Ed

Okay – without the data pice?

Katie Robb
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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:08 AM

To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Subject: Op-Ed

Sage has signed off on this one, with the Minister's edits and just a couple of minor word changes to make it less formal. If there are no concerns with this version we can send it to the Sun.

Thanks!

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:37 AM
To: Porter, Rodney GCPE:EX
Subject: BCIT employee - media

Hi Rodney,

Can you call the Comms Manager at BCIT to see if this instructor could do media on CBAs – specifically the piece on hiring women?

Tamara Pongracz – Chief Instructor – Trades Discovery Program.

She's willing to do media, but we need to go through the media relations folks at BCIT.

Thanks,

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager
778.584.0257

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:08 AM
To: Papadopoulos, James TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Subject: Op-Ed
Attachments: FINAL OP-ED_Greyhound withdrawal.docx

Sage has signed off on this one, with the Minister's edits and just a couple of minor word changes to make it less formal. If there are no concerns with this version we can send it to the Sun.

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 4:43 PM
To: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Subject: Materials
Attachments: 15. Appendix A Final Report.pdf; IN REAG OAG Report.docx; QA - RAEG OAG - draft.docx; 2018.07.06 - MN - OAG Report Government Land Sales.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 4:15 PM
To: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX; Russell, Shannon CITZ:EX
Subject: For review
Attachments: 2018.07.06 - MN - OAG Report Government Land Sales.docx

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 4:03 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: TRAN Media Request:

Does this work?

Statement:

- I would like to see more ferries built locally, as building ferries in B.C. would bring benefits to local workers and shipyards, and provide economic activity for our province.
- However, the policy choices of the previous government makes this goal challenging.
- I was pleased that the Association of BC Marine Industries held a roundtable event to discuss shipbuilding. This event was well attended and provided an opportunity for BC Ferries and industry representatives to come together to exchange ideas for supporting BCs shipbuilding industry. Representatives from the provincial and federal governments also participated.
- As BC Ferries moves forward in its procurement process, I would encourage the company to do everything possible to ensure that B.C. workers and B.C. shipyards see benefits from these new shipbuilding contracts.
- In the meantime, we will begin reviewing Mr. Redlin's report on the Coastal Ferry Services review. Mr. Redlin has spent the last six months working on this review. It is a comprehensive report that contains a lot of information and, as with any report of this nature, the ministry will spend the time needed to reflect and consider his report thoughtfully.

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From: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 3:48 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: TRAN Media Request:

William Beale
Sr MA Transportation

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Phelps, Brendan GCPE:EX" <Brendan.Phelps@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 6, 2018 at 3:29:08 PM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Robb, Katie GCPE:EX" <Katie.Robb@gov.bc.ca>, "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>, "Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX" <Craig.Chambers@gov.bc.ca>, "Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX" <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: TRAN Media Request: Ferry building in BC - Minister Trevena interview request

Hi Will,

Craig has drafted two options for MO consideration – background info or a minister’s statement.

Please let us know ASAP how you would like us to respond to this request.

Thanks,
Brendan

From: Brendan Phelps [<mailto:Brendan.Phelps@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:42 AM
To: Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX <Craig.Chambers@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: TRAN Media Request: Ferry building in BC - Minister Trevena interview request

Reporter

Carla Wilson, Reporter
Times Colonist
cjwilson@timescolonist.com
250-380-5352

Deadline Friday, July 6, 2018 4:30 PM

Request

Reporter wants to know the minister's thoughts on the report from the Association of BC Marine Industries regarding ways to support ferry construction in BC and what is being planned. She would also like to know if Blair Redlin has submitted his report, the timeline for reviewing it, and next steps following the review.

Background

Recommendation

Background:

- I would like to see more ferries built locally, and I would argue that the benefits of building ferries in B.C. to local workers and shipyards is more valuable to our province than any cost efficiencies that could be achieved by building the vessels offshore.
- The ministry has received Mr. Redlin’s report on the Coastal Ferry Services review.
- Mr. Redlin has spent the last six months working on this review. It is a comprehensive report that contains a lot of information and, as with any report of this nature, the ministry will spend

the time needed to reflect and consider his report thoughtfully. This work will be done over the coming months.

- The B.C. government is committed to looking at ways to ensure the ferry system is operating in the public interest, on behalf of coastal communities, and for those who live and work on the coast.

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 3:09 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Materials for PO

I think a briefing note and messaging for PO, and check in on the response from Minister Trevena to MLA Redies regarding BNSF safety.

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 3:06 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Materials for PO

I'm still trying to clarify what materials they are asking for..briefing note? Messaging? Do you know?

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 2:49 PM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Materials for PO

Hi,
I understand the Premier's office has requested materials on the terrible train accident in South Surrey. Can you please loop me in on any materials? I can help rework them as well, if you would like.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 1:33 PM
To: Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Rorison, Trish GCPE:EX; Jack, Carolyn GCPE:EX
Subject: VAG

Hi!
Can you provide me with the Issue note on this topic, as well as the letter sent by Minister Beare to the Gallery?

Thank you.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 12:52 PM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

Thank you Caroline!

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 12:51 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Watson, Jason GCPE:EX; Indridson, Ian GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

This is fine

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 12:08 PM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

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Nanaimo Correctional Centre - Replacement

Background:

- The Nanaimo Correctional Centre has been targeted for replacement by BC Corrections for the past 15 years.
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4. Replace NCC (as above) and then later renovate VIRCC.

Message:

- The Nanaimo Correctional Centre is an important resource for BC corrections which operates together with community supports and programs for inmates to reduce the frequency of reoffending.
- There is a need to look at options for the facility, which is aging and in declining condition.
- This is why we've started the process of developing a business case for the path forward.
- Capital projects like these take many years to plan and complete and the centre will remain operational throughout the lifespan of this project.
- Any upgrades to infrastructure must be considered within the context of other pressing government priorities, investing in schools and hospitals, affordable housing, and creating affordable childcare for B.C. families.

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:19 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

Checking...

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:17 AM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

Thanks for this Caroline. Would you be able to send me a bit of background on the men's centre – funding they received in the past, and what they are looking for in order to continue operating?

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 3:49 PM
To: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: RE: Nanaimo issues scan

Hi Aileen: yes further to Nimmi's info, here is what we sent to the Nanaimo News Bulletin on May 16:

Statement from Mike Farnworth, Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General:

"I met with this organization last fall and learned more about the work they do to support men on the island. Our government continues to support a continuum of victim service programs available to both men and women across BC. Staff from my ministry will connect back with this organization in the coming days."

Also, IN attached for the Nanaimo CC (and VIRCC) capital replacement consideration that's in its early stages.

From: Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 3:23 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: Re: Nanaimo issues scan

The Nanaimo men's center. No new updates just that they were unsuccessful candidates for the civil forfeiture grants.

We are trying to schedule a meeting with them.

Call me if you want chat more about this.

I'm sure Caroline will send some messaging on this.

-N

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 2:18 PM, Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Are there any Nanaimo specific issues you can think of? We are putting together another one tomorrow for an event taking place Monday.

Thanks,

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 4:40 PM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Cc: GCPE Communications - Public Safety & Solicitor General
Subject: RE: Cowichan issues scan

Here you go!

POLICE – N. Cowichan, Duncan, Shawnigan Lake Model

BACKGROUND:

Following a review of the service models for both North Cowichan/Duncan and Shawnigan Lake Detachments, the E Division Management Team approved the option of a single integrated detachment in North Cowichan with a Community Policing Office in the current Shawnigan Lake Detachment building.

Shawnigan Lake and Mill Bay supported the option of having a second detachment built in Mill Bay and a petition was presented to the BC Legislature, saying in part that the South Island Traffic Services would be better run out of a Mill Bay site so they could respond more quickly.

While there will not be a new building in Mill Bay, the Shawnigan Lake Detachment will see renovations and SITS will operate from time to time out of the Community Policing Office. The RCMP believes the integrated model eliminates redundancies and duplication of services.

SUGGESTED RESPONSE:

- The safety of the public is my primary responsibility and we understand the RCMP's new policing model in BC communities will not jeopardize that.
- I'm aware there are some concerns about Shawnigan Lake detachment becoming a community policing office and we absolutely recognize how important it is to ensure the Shawnigan Lake area remains well-policed. We expect it will continue to be in the future.
- Shawnigan Lake RCMP and the South Island Traffic Services will start and finish their shifts in the new North Cowichan/Duncan building, but they will actually work out of the renovated community policing office which will continue to be open to the public.
- Overall this policing model will offer a better coordinated service – better information sharing and 24/7 coverage.

KEY #'S:

- **North Cowichan/Duncan Detachment is municipal and provincial and has 31 municipal members, 24 provincial members, four First Nations Police and 23 support staff, serving the Municipality of North Cowichan, Duncan, Cowichan Tribes, Halalt First Nation and Chemainus First Nation.**
- **Shawnigan Lake Detachment is a provincial detachment and has 11 members and two support staff. It serves Shawnigan Lake, Cobble Hill, Mill Bay and the Malahat First Nation.**
- **South Island Traffic Services has 12 members and 1 support staff. The unit is a provincial unit currently housed in a leased building in Chemainus, which is a community that is part of the Municipality of North Cowichan.**

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 4:22 PM

To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX

Subject: Cowichan issues scan

Hello!

The Premier is doing an event in Cowichan Friday morning. We are putting together an issues scan. Would you be able to flag any local issues of note by noon tomorrow?

Thank you,

Aileen Machell
Issues Manager

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:56 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Messaging for interview

- I was very concerned to hear the reports of a 3 hour wait for an accessible taxi over the Canada Day long weekend.
- The Passenger Transportation Branch is currently investigating this complaint to make sure appropriate steps are taken so this doesn't happen again.
- Taxi licensees with wheelchair accessible vehicles are required, as part of their licence, to prioritize accessible calls, before customers who do not require accessibility.
- We sympathize with any passenger that has been refused a ride by a taxi and encourage them to report detailed information about the incident with the Passenger Transportation Branch and Consumer Protection B.C.
- **Ridesharing services do not always have accessible options available to people, and this is one of the reasons we are working on a made-in-BC solution that will work for everyone.**
- We're working hard on a plan that protects riders and ensures safety but also opens the door to more modern transportation options that people are looking for.

When will ridesharing come to B.C.?

- We know people been waiting too long for a solution to the lack of transportation options that are available - particularly in Metro Vancouver.
- People want more options for getting around the city efficiently and affordably — and they want it now.
- We're working hard on a plan that will protect consumers but also open the door to more modern transportation options that will deliver the convenience and reliability that people are looking for.
- We'll have more to say on government's next steps for taxi and ride hailing later this year.

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:08 AM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: Malahat speed cameras

Thanks! Does this work?

Point to Point Cameras on Malahat

Background:

- In September, the Capital Regional District sent a letter to the Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General asking it to consider installing interval cameras, also known as point-to-point technologies, as a pilot study on the Malahat highway.
- This technology is designed to catch speeders.
- It is not yet used in North America, and would require significant investment.
- In a meeting with the CRD Chair, the Minister told the CRD that if there is public support for something like this he would consider looking at it.
- In February, the CRD started a public promotion campaign to urge British Columbians to write into the Minister on point-to-point on the Malahat. This promo campaign included radio and TV ads as well as a News Release.
- The Ministry is currently reviewing the correspondence received on this topic.
- Once the Ministry has completed its review of the approximately 1,400 submissions received with regard to point-to-point on the Malahat, it will be providing a written response to the CRD, likely in the next few weeks.

Message:

- We need to keep people safe on our roads and highways.
- We know that distracted driving, excessive speed, and impairment are the top three contributing factors to motor vehicle fatalities.
- While this technology hasn't been used in North America before, we are willing to look at any option that is proven to be effective at saving lives and keeping people safe.

- If there is a public support for the idea, we will consider it.

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From: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 11:06 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: RE: Malahat speed cameras

Here is what we provided to a reporter this week:

- In September, the CRD sent a letter to the Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General asking it to consider installing interval cameras, also known as point-to-point technologies, as a pilot study on the Malahat highway.
- The CRD held a public promotion campaign from February to March 2018 urging British Columbians to write into the Minister on point-to-point on the Malahat. The Ministry is currently reviewing the correspondence received on this topic.
- **Once the Ministry has completed its review of the approximately 1,400 submissions received with regard to point-to-point on the Malahat, it will be providing a written response to the CRD, likely in the next few weeks.**
- B.C. continues to explore new technologies and approaches to changing driver behaviours, including speeding. We are willing to look at any option that is proven to be effective at saving lives and keeping people safe.
- The Malahat is an important major route linking communities across Vancouver Island and we are committed to improving the safety of this corridor for the families, residents, businesses and visitors who rely upon it.

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:58 AM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: Malahat speed cameras

Hi!
Would you be able to provide me an update on this? I want to add it into the Nanaimo issues scan.
Thanks!

Malahat speed cameras
CFAX
Thursday, July 05, 2018, 09:02
By CFAX

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:35 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issues scan

Malahat speed cameras

CFAX

Thursday, July 05, 2018, 09:02

By CFAX1

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:33 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issues scan

Ok...don't know much about that myself but I will ask.

Katie Robb

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To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issues scan

Speed cameras.

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From: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:28 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issues scan

Point to point cameras?

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:27 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issues scan

Thanks! Do you have an issue note on Malahat point to point cameras? I had been working with PSSG on this one but noticed there were some recent stories with MOTI.

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No issues come to mind but this good news went out today

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2018TRAN0102-001344>

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From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:06 AM
To: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Chat this am? Re: childcare

Please do!

Aileen Machell
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778.584.0257

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

From: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 10:05 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: Chat this am? Re: childcare

Hi Aileen! I'm in the leg for a mtg, are you in if I pop by in a bit?

Sent from my iPhone

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 9:46 AM
To: Robb, Katie GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: News story

Hello! Do you have an issues note on this one?

Stone - TCH construction delay

CFJC

Thursday, July 05, 2018, 17:06

By CFJC Evening News-3

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, July 6, 2018 9:44 AM
To: Marriott, Sarah GCPE:EX
Subject: Updated

Nanaimo Tent City

Background:

- A tent camp was set up in May, 2018, in response to a growing homelessness crisis and the city's decision to turn down modular housing funded by the Province.
- During the week of June 25, 2018 an overdose death occurred at the site, in addition to a fire, two overdoses and a BB gun incident.
- On June 19, 2018, the City of Nanaimo filed a petition asking the BC Supreme Court for an order to shut down the homeless encampment.
- The short-term application for an injunction was dismissed - and the judge ruled that both sides will return to court for a full hearing during the week of July 16.
- On the evening of Wednesday, July 4, a stabbing occurred at the camp. One man is in hospital with life threatening injuries, and an 18 year old man has been arrested.

Message:

- Homelessness is a critical issue in Nanaimo and across the province and the modular housing proposed earlier in the year would have provided a badly-needed response for those struggling to find safe housing.
- Budget 2018 provides additional funding for housing for individuals who are homeless and we encourage the city to explore this option.
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If asked about camp conditions and overdose deaths:

- Our thoughts go out to the family and community grieving and dealing with the loss.
- The first priority should be the safety and health of everyone in the community and at the site.
- BC Housing is meeting with city, emergency and health officials to ensure the safety of those involved and to appropriately respond to the conditions at the camp.

If asked about modular housing:

- We had discussions with the city earlier this year about a proposed supportive housing project in Nanaimo.
- The city chose not to proceed with the location they had proposed, and was not able to provide an alternative site for the project.
- Given the urgent need and significant interest in the modular program from communities across B.C., we reallocated funding for the modular housing in Nanaimo to support housing in another community that had identified a site and was ready to partner with us.
- We remain committed to working together with the City of Nanaimo to address homelessness in their community.

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Issues Manager
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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 2:21 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX; Perry, Alisma, MCF:EX
Subject: Nanaimo issues scan

Can you please flag any Nanaimo specific issues by 1pm tomorrow? We are putting together a scan for an event taking place Monday.

Thanks!

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: One more to review.

Nanaimo CDC Staff Layoffs Averted

Background:

- The Nanaimo Child Development Centre, a community-based, non-profit organization that provides individualized services for children wrote to Minister Conroy on June 15 requesting additional funding to avoid laying off six staff members.
- The CDC indicated it is facing compensation cost pressures following the new collective agreement with staff, members of the Health Sciences Association BC.
- The Minister has notified the CDC that the Ministry will provide additional funding of \$217,583 to prevent any disruption in service from September 2018 to March 2019.

Message:

- The work that the employees do at the Child Development Centre is incredibly important for children and families.
- I'm pleased we've been able to work on a solution.
- We will continue to work with all involved to ensure this important work can continue for the well-being of kids in Nanaimo.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 1:53 PM
To: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: CCFRI Fee Increase Issues Notes

Do these work?

Message:

- Tens of thousands of families are seeing reduced fees - as of May 27 we've helped parents save more than \$12 million on the cost of child care.
- This is money back in the pockets of parents to help them get ahead, and it's the first step in our plan to make child care more affordable.
- We recognize that there may be circumstances where a provider needs to raise their fees, but the fee reduction will still be absorbing a large portion of the provider's fee increase.
- We will continue to monitor and review our fee reduction policy to ensure that the funding is directed as intended – to support families through reduced costs.

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From: Wright, Brendan GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 1:28 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Cc: Johnston, Karen GCPE:EX; Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Subject: CCFRI Fee Increase Issues Notes

Hi both,

Christine mentioned that you'd asked for messaging around approved fee increases at a particular child care centre in Nanaimo. While we can't comment on individual situations, we do have some general messaging on the issue – see the attached note.

Let me know if we can provide anything further at this time.

Thank you,

Brendan

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 1:34 PM
To: Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX
Subject: Can you review this please?

Importance: High

Duncan and North Cowichan Amalgamation Votes

Background:

- On June 23, 2018, the municipalities of Duncan and North Cowichan held a referendum on amalgamating the two municipalities.
- In North Cowichan a majority of the electors did vote in favour of amalgamation, whereas in Duncan, the majority of the electors rejected amalgamation.
- As the electorate of both municipalities did not vote in favour of amalgamation, the matter of amalgamation is considered closed.

Message:

- Congratulations to the voters of Duncan and North Cowichan for their participation in shaping the future of their municipalities.
- Amalgamation would have had important implications for both Duncan and North Cowichan municipalities, and the participation of the voters was a key step in getting to this decision.
- I encourage Duncan and North Cowichan to continue to work collaboratively to find the most effective ways to deliver services for their citizens and to build constructive relationships with their neighbours.

Nanaimo Tent City

Background:

- A tent camp was set up in May, 2018, in response to a growing homelessness crisis and the city's decision to turn down modular housing funded by the Province.
- During the week of June 25, 2018 an overdose death occurred at the site, in addition to a fire, two overdoses and a BB gun incident.
- On June 19, 2018, the City of Nanaimo filed a petition asking the BC Supreme Court for an order to shut down the homeless encampment.

- The short-term application for an injunction was dismissed - and the judge ruled that both sides will return to court for a full hearing during the week of July 16.

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- BC Housing is meeting with city, emergency and health officials to ensure the safety of those involved and to appropriately respond to the conditions at the camp.

If asked about modular housing:

- We had discussions with the city about the proposed supportive housing project in Nanaimo, including conversations about site requirements and timelines.
- The city was not able to provide an alternative site for the project.
- Given this urgent need, and the significant interest in the modular program from local governments across B.C., we have reallocated funding for the modular housing in Nanaimo to support housing in another community that has identified a site and is ready to partner with us at this time.
- We have been in contact with the city to let them know that we remain committed to working together to address homelessness in their community.

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Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 12:59 PM
To: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issue

When do you expect to hear back from the Ministry? The issues scan for Cowichan area is due at 2pm. Nanaimo questions could come up.

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From: Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 12:58 PM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Sharma, Niki MCF:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issue

Yes, both are.

From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 12:57 PM
To: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX <Niki.Sharma@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX <Jasleen.Arora@gov.bc.ca>; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX <Paula.Gunn@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Nanaimo Issue

Are these in Nanaimo?

From: Sharma, Niki MCF:EX
Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 10:31 AM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX; Arora, Jasleen MCF:EX; Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: Fwd: Nanaimo Issue

FYI - I have asked staff to look in to this.

Sent from my iPad

Begin forwarded message:

From: Sharon Gregson <sgregson@telus.net>
Date: July 5, 2018 at 7:16:53 AM PDT
To: niki.sharma@gov.bc.ca
Subject: Nanaimo Issue

Hi Niki,

We're getting a lot of calls about Jolly Giant and Katie's Corner. The fees were \$950 then in April went up to \$1350 and in September will be \$1550. For under 3 care. Families are outraged at a \$600 increase and want to know how these providers were approved to opt-in.

Can you shed any light?
Thx
Sharon

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, July 3, 2018 11:30 AM
To: McAndrews, Caroline GCPE:EX; Lawson, Liam PSSG:EX; Takkar, Nimmi PSSG:EX
Subject: Inquest request
Attachments: Lt.attorney general 2018 06 29.pdf

Importance: High

Hello,

Please see the attached, and let me know what we can say if asked about the request for a Coroner's inquest. What power does the province have to compel a Coroner's inquiry? Is there any precedent for this?

I'll need some information on this to complete the Premier's issues scan by 2 pm today.

Thanks,

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s.15;s.19

GCPE:EX

From: s.15;s.19 GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 10:02 AM
To: s.15;s.19 GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Cannabis high level key messages

Thanks s.15;s.19

s.15;s.19

From: s.15;s.19 GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, June 26, 2018 9:52 AM
To: s.15;s.19 GCPE:EX; s.15;s.19 PSSG:EX; s.15;s.19 PSSG:EX
Cc: s.15;s.19 GCPE:EX
Subject: Cannabis high level key messages

FYI, these high level cannabis KM's have been prepared by the Secretariat and shared with our public education working group, which includes the key ministries in the file. The attached document is intended to assist them with crafting detailed messages tailored to their specific stakeholder groups.

s.15;s.19

Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX

From: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:23 AM
To: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Subject: RE: Media Brief, July 18, 2018

<https://globalnews.ca/news/4337273/b-c-liberals-claim-government-child-care-plan-will-lead-to-disappearing-spaces/>
One online story only. Other than Fairchild, which I did not see.

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From: Gunn, Paula MCF:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 9:17 AM
To: Machell, Aileen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Media Brief, July 18, 2018

So GCPE HQ felt the release yesterday was the top story...

From: Tounsi, Marielle GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 7:04 AM
Subject: Media Brief, July 18, 2018

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7/19 - West Van conservation authorities could press charges against bear-feeding family

8/19 - BC Ferries announces further delays to Bella Coola Port Hardy connector vessel

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