

Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX

From: GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 12:20 PM
To: GCPE Cabinet Priorities; GCPE Editors; GCPE Strategic Issues Division; GCPE Media Relations; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX
Cc: Hardin, Karl GCPE:EX; Hanuman, Heron GCPE:EX; Dunnett, Jennifer PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Hagglund, Jarrett PREM:EX
Subject: Early Draft of Look Ahead: Preview only
Attachments: Today's EARLY DRAFT LA for Review.pdf

Tomorrow at-a-Glance -- EARLY DRAFT only:



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Wednesday, September 4, 2019

Events, Speeches & Releases

| Wed Sep 4 | Lead | Activity/Details | RLS | |
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NOTE: The attached 10-Day Look Ahead PDF is current as of this moment but will have numerous changes/updates before final end of day copy is published.

If you don't want to receive this mid-day email, or if there is anything else useful we can provide from the Corporate Calendar, please let us know.

Thank you,
Robyn Croft - Michael Cox - Kim Copeland
Corporate Calendar Team
GCPE Strategic Communications | Events & Corporate Planning Unit

Phone: 778 698-3498

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From: Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 11:15 AM
To: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Cc: Emerson, Kim GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: IN list for CITZ?

Hi Kristen,

Thanks for reaching out. Given that I'm new to the file, would you be able to send me the list of INs you prepped for last session? Then I will add anything that needs a new or update note.

Thanks,
-Sam

Sam Dinicol
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Strategic Issues Management
Phone: 250.888.0505

From: Lauvaas, Kirsten GCPE:EX
Sent: August 30, 2019 4:25 PM
To: Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX <Sam.Dinicol@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Emerson, Kim GCPE:EX <Kim.Emerson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: IN list for CITZ?

Hi Sam,

I know you're likely working on your IN requests for each ministry – we have a number of holidays coming up at CITZ, so I'd like to be as proactive as possible in requesting our list. I'd like to get these done before we start losing the team to vacations.

Thanks!

Kirsten Lauvaas
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Citizens' Services
Ph: 250 356-1553 | Cell: 250 213-5572

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From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 12:57 PM
To: Talbot, Sarena GCPE:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX; Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX; Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Chinese media Roundtable issues
Attachments: 20190903_Chinese language media scan.docx; ATT00001.htm; B.C.'s Premier and L-G to skip Communist China's 70th birthday parties_the Breaker.pdf; ATT00002.htm; Sing Tao Daily News, September 2, 2019 page A8.pdf; ATT00003.htm

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Truong, Lele GCPE:EX" <Lele.Truong@gov.bc.ca>
To: "Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX" <Tim.Howlett@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Chinese media Roundtable issues

Hi Tim,

No problem. Here is the updated version and attachment.

Let me know if you have any questions.
Lele

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

From: Howlett, Tim GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 12:46 PM
To: Truong, Lele GCPE:EX <Lele.Truong@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Chinese media Roundtable issues

Hi Lele, could you flip me the list of issues for the Roundtable?

I can't seem to find it in my email.

Sorry. Thanks

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Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX

From: GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 4:25 PM
To: GCPE Corporate Calendar GCPE:EX
Subject: Tomorrow & latest 10 Day Look Ahead (Today's Final)
Attachments: Today's FINAL 10-Day Look Ahead, Sep 03.pdf

Importance: High

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NO CHANGES are to be made in Corp Cal after 4:00pm. Consider it **OFFLINE** due to end of day work being done at this time.

Please watch the clock. Thank you!

Tomorrow at-a-Glance (excerpts from PDF):



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ISSUES AND REPORTS

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| Sep 4 6:00 AM | AEST-93405 | Statistics Canada issues annual releases data on Post-Secondary Education Tuition: Data is for domestic and international students broken down by province. Median cost for undergraduate and post-graduate students will be shown, as well as the increase over the last year. NOTE: The Province has capped annual tuition rate increases at 2% since September 2005. | Issue | 3 |
| Sep 4 8:00 AM | AG-94818 | Courtenay -- LDB Cannabis Retail Store expected to open today (tentative date) | Issue | |
| Sep 4 10:30 AM | AG-95173 | ICBC news release -- Distracted driving remains a top priority for ICBC, police and government: ICBC is launching a distracted driving campaign to encourage people to put their phones away, and minimize other distractions to reduce the risk of crashing their vehicles. ICBC reports that 1 in 4 fatal crashes in B.C. are caused by distracted driving. This leads to an average of 77 unnecessary deaths each year. NOTE: ICBC is inviting media to attend law enforcement activities at a local intersection with Vancouver Police. Quote from Minister Eby included in NR | Issue | 3 |

Outside Government

In the News

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| 8:30 AM | IGRS-94593 | Victoria (Legislature) -- AUSTRALIA: Visit of Her Excellency Natasha Smith, High Commissioner of Australia to Canada: Meetings requested. IGRS Lead: Annette Jordan | FYI | |
| 9:00 AM | HLTH-95161 | BC Children's Hospital release on House Fires: Canadian Medical Association Journal report led by researchers with the BC Injury Research and Prevent Unit at BC Children's Hospital and University of British Columbia. Study is first to broadly investigate socioeconomic factors that affect fire incidence and fire-related injuries and death at the neighbourhood level in Canada. Provincial Health Services Authority NR (web post only) | FYI | 3 |
| 10:00 AM | HLTH-94964 | Interior Health news release -- Advises patients that phase 2 work at Penticton Care Tower begins soon: Once construction begins, patients will notice increased construction activity in the ED. During construction, travel routes for patients within the department may be adjusted as work continues. Staff will be on hand to help direct patients | FYI | 3 |
| 3:00 PM | TRAN-94642 | Radium Hot Springs -- Highway 93/95 intersection open house: The ministry is hosting an open house to receive public input on suggested improvements to this intersection. See also entry TRAN-94512 for information bulletin | FYI | |

To view the latest full 10-Day Corporate Calendar, please open the attached PDF.

"New" and "Changed" tags in the PDF are reset each morning and display next to all entries that were added or revised from the previous day's edition.

Thank you,

Robyn Croft – Michael Cox – Kim Copeland

BC Government Corporate Calendar

The Look Ahead is an edited product of the BC Government Corporate Calendar system and is published daily between 4:15 to 4:45pm whenever possible.

Executive Summary: What is the Corporate Calendar?

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

- *Inform senior government officials of all government activities.*
 - *Prevent scheduling conflicts within government departments.*
 - *Improve efficiencies within the organization.*
 - *Streamline the business process of planning and executing government activities.*
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Recently Published News Releases can be found here:

BCGov Newsroom: <https://news.gov.bc.ca>

News Archive: <https://archive.news.gov.bc.ca/>

CORPORATE CALENDAR LINK (RESTRICTED ACCESS):

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MO & Comm Shops – Important Process

Reminders:

For a number of reasons, ALL events and releases are to be scheduled Corporately as far in advance as possible.

- Final news releases, statements and info bulletins etc. are to be sent for final processing **at least 24-48hrs ahead of publishing time (wherever possible)**, unless otherwise arranged. Please keep approvals moving and don't hold them up.
- Significantly **more lead time** is needed if **translation** is required, per recent emails from HQ Exec on this topic.
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Cc: Silver, Matt EDUC:EX; Postings, Shelaina EDUC:EX; Nyikes, Michael EDUC:EX; Teng, Zita EDUC:EX; Kovacs, Patricia EDUC:EX; LeGuilloux, Marg GCPE:EX; Godin, Keith EDUC:EX; MacDonald, Scott D EDUC:EX; Horn, Kim EDUC:EX; Kelly, Erin EDUC:EX; Bawa, Reg R EDUC:EX; Barton, Sally EDUC:EX; Palmer, Joel EDUC:EX; Purdy, Sheila EDUC:EX; Harrison, Veronica EDUC:EX; Nicholls, Cloe EDUC:EX; McLeod, Tamara EDUC:EX; Mayhew, Marnie EDUC:EX; Higgs, Jeremy EDUC:EX; Lemmer, Nicola I EDUC:EX; Farrance, Melissa EDUC:EX; Andrews, Scott EDUC:EX; Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX
Subject: End of Day Media Request Report - September 3

Media Request

Reporter: Katya Slepian - Black Press Digital

Issue: Student who posted racist, threatening video allowed back into Lord Byng

Response: sent this statement from the Ministry:

B.C.'s schools are places of learning – racism is unacceptable and not tolerated.

All of B.C.'s 60 school districts and independent schools have codes of conduct in place that align with the BC Human Rights Code to ensure schools remain free of racism, discrimination, bullying, cyberbullying, harassment, intimidation, threatening or violent behaviours.

B.C.'s inclusive education helps students to understand and respect their differences, and create schools that are free of discrimination, bullying, harassment, intimidation and violence.

In order to protect the privacy of all students and staff, we are not in a position to speak to the specifics of this incident.

The Vancouver School District has worked closely with the Ministry of Education and the provincial expert on school safety in making decisions and putting in place support plans.

Decisions are made in the best interest of all students and the school community.

Media Request

Reporter: Sameer Kaushal - RED FM 93.1

Issue: Surrey announcement

Status: Unavailable for Interview

Media Request

Reporter: Martin MacMahon - News 1130

Issue: back to school and seismic announcement

Status: They sent a reporter to VPD event and got audio they required there.

In Progress:

Reporter: Lori Culbert - Vancouver Sun

Issues: portables, funding formula and menstrual products

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From: Hynes, Colin GCPE:EX
Sent: September 3, 2019 4:35 PM
To: GCPE PSSG Media Wrap
Subject: PSSG media wrap - Tuesday, Sept 3, 2019

PSSG Media Calls:

Underway (oldest to newest):

Nicole Crescenzi, Victoria News

Follow Up: what happens to items that can't be liquidated, such as illicit drugs and firearms?
Status: with MO

Completed:

Nicole Crescenzi, Victoria News

Issue: I'm trying to understand where cash and assets seized by police go.

I understand property and items are liquidated and go towards operational costs, compensation and grants for the Civil Forfeiture Office, but I'd like a more thorough understanding of those options.

From 2017-2018 over \$39 million was put forward in grants and victim compensation... is there a better breakdown of what kind of grants these are? Which victims are eligible for compensation?

How much was further pushed towards operational costs?

I'm also curious how the funding is divided; for example if cash was seized in Victoria, does it go back to Victoria or into a larger pool?

Lastly, is there any information available about how much funding went to Victoria?

Status:

From 2007 to present, \$44M went towards grants and victim compensation. Of the \$44M, approximately \$1.67M went to victim compensation, usually victims of fraud. Eligible victim is defined under the CFA as an individual who suffered a loss as a direct result of unlawful activity that resulted in a forfeiture. When the CFO obtains a forfeiture that may have eligible victims, they are invited to submit applications detailing their loss. Further information including a list of grant recipients is available on our website: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/safety/crime-prevention/civil-forfeiture-office>

From 2007 to present, the CFO has recovered approximately \$96M in forfeitures. Under the CFA, the CFO is required to fund its operations through successful forfeitures. As our primary focus is conducting litigation, the largest single operating cost is legal costs. All recoveries in excess of operational costs go to crime prevention grants.

There is no relationship between the location of a seizure and the disbursement of grants funds. The disbursement of grant funds is determined by subject matter experts after soliciting applications from community crime prevention experts across the province.

That information is available on the website in the list of grant recipients.

Lyonel Doherty, Oliver Chronicle

Issue: Looking for details about an internal fire at OCC

Status: BC Corrections can confirm that an individual at Okanagan Correctional Centre attempted to set fire to a mattress in a cell on Sept. 2, 2019. Notably, for safety reasons, correctional centre mattresses are made with fire-retardant materials.

The fire department attended the centre and quickly extinguished the fire, which did not result in any injuries.

Gordon Hoekstra, Vancouver Sun

Issue: Filings in BC Supreme Court show that the owner Caixuan Qin of 2375 Burquitlam, which is subject to the civil forfeiture action, attempted to sell the property below market value to a former worker at Silver International, hiding the ownership with the use of a numbered company.

And there are also questions surrounding a second attempt to do so, including that its not clear who the buyer is and a low price again — with the Civil Forfeiture office opposed to the sale.

Reporter says: "It seems extra-ordinary that someone who is the subject of legal action tried to thwart the process by selling the property to one of those that was involved in the money-laundering operation."

Reporter understands that the case is before the courts, but is hoping that government or the CFO could comment on Status: As this matter is before the courts, the Civil Forfeiture Office cannot provide comment.

BC Coroners Media Calls:

BCCS Media Calls: Tuesday, Sept. 3, 2019

Global News/ Kristen Robinson (Kristen.robinson@globalnews.ca) Reporter looking for information concerning death of paraglider over the weekend involved in fall on Aug. 29 from the Stawamus Chief. Responded that due to privacy of the deceased per the Coroners Act and provincial privacy legislation, the BC Coroners Service does not confirm or release identity. We are investigating the death of a male in his early 40s, and were notified on Aug. 31 of this death. The coroner's investigation will look to determine who died, how, where, when and by what means he came to his death. - COMPLETE

Squamish Chief/Jennifer Thuncher (jthuncher@squamishchief.com) Reporter looking for information concerning death of paraglider over the weekend involved in fall on Aug. 29 from the Stawamus Chief. Responded that due to privacy of the deceased per the Coroners Act and provincial privacy legislation, the BC Coroners Service does not confirm or release identity. We are investigating the death of a male in his early 40s, and were notified on Aug. 31 of this death. The coroner's investigation will look to determine who died, how, where, when and by what means he came to his death. – COMPLETE

Global News/Shelby Thom (shelby.thom@globalnews.ca) Reporter looking to confirm the death of an 18 year old male following a cliff jumping incident on Skaha Lake on Friday afternoon. Responded that due to privacy, the BC Coroners Service does not confirm or release identity. We are in the early stages of our fact finding investigation into the death of a male in his late teens from Kelowna and were notified on Aug. 31 of this death following an incident that had occurred on Aug. 30. The coroner's investigation will look to determine who died, how, where, when and by what means he came to his death. – COMPLETE

CBC News/Michelle Ghoussoub (michelle.ghoussoub@cbc.ca) Reporter asking if we are investigating the drowning death of an 18 year old male in Skaha Lake from Friday. Confirmed that we are in the very early stages of our fact-finding investigation into the death of a male teenager from Kelowna to determine how, where, when and by what

means he came to his death. Advised that we won't be speculating on cause of death as that is something that our investigation will determine. Due to the privacy of the deceased per the Coroners Act and provincial privacy legislation, the Coroners Service does not release or confirm identity. - COMPLETE

Global News/Ted Field (ted.field@globalnews.ca) Reporter following up on a report of a body found on Mount Seymour over the weekend. Responded that the BC Coroners Service was notified of a death at that location involving unidentified human remains on Sept. 1. We are investigating to determine how, where, when and by what means the individual came to their death but have no further details to provide. Advised that the BC Coroners Service does not publicly release or confirm identity due to the privacy of the deceased (per the *Coroners Act* and provincial privacy legislation). - COMPLETE

National Post/Tyler Dawson (tdawson@postmedia.com) Reporter asking about the status of the Leonard Dyck death investigation. Responded that the investigation remains open and confirmed that reporter is already on the list to receive a copy of the Coroner's Report once our investigation is concluded. - COMPLETE

Global News/Simon Little (simon.little@globalnews.ca) Reporter looking for details concerning a crash that occurred earlier this morning on Chilliwack Lake Road believed to be fatal. Confirmed that we have been notified and are investigating this death, but at this time, have no further details available. Provided reporter with news release sent out this morning by Chilliwack RCMP. - COMPLETE

CTV Chilliwack/David Molko (david.molko@bellmedia.ca) Reporter asking if we are able to confirm age/gender of the deceased involved in an MVI earlier this morning on Chilliwack Lake Road that RCMP have confirmed involved a fatality. Confirmed that we have been notified and are investigating this death, but at this time, have no further details available. Provided reporter with news release sent out this morning by Chilliwack RCMP. - COMPLETE

Kamloops This Week/Jessica Wallace (jessica@kamloopsthisweek.com) Reporter requesting to be added to list of media to receive a copy of the Coroner's Report into the Aug. 20 death of Gary Bridal Fisher from Kamloops. Responded that if we have a death matching this description, we will add her contact information to receive a copy of the Coroner's Report at the close of our investigation. - COMPLETE

Info News/sarstad@infonews.ca) Reporter asking if we are releasing the name of the person who drowned at Skaha Lake on Friday. The BC Coroners Service is in the very early stages of its fact-finding investigation involving the death of a male teenager from Kelowna to determine how, where, when and by what means he came to his death. Due to the privacy of the deceased per the *Coroners Act* and provincial privacy legislation, the BC Coroners Service does not release or confirm identity - COMPLETE

Multiple Media Calls: re: unidentified human remains located on Mt. Seymour on Sept. 1. Advised following The BC Coroners Service was notified of a death at that location involving unidentified human remains on Sept. 1. We are currently investigating to determine how, where, when and by what means the individual came to their death but have no further details to provide. The BC Coroners Service does not publicly confirm or release identity due to the privacy of the deceased (per the Coroners Act and provincial privacy legislation). Advised that any other questions would need to be directed to RCMP who are also investigating. - COMPLETE

CTV/Kendra Mangione (Kendra.mangione@bellmedia.ca)

Black Press/Katya Stepian (katya.stepian@BPdigital.ca)

Daily Hive/Eric Zimmer (erica@dailyhive.com)

North Shore News/Janet Seyd (jsey@nsnews.com)

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From: Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX
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Cc: Cowan, Cale GCPE:EX; Venn, Tania GCPE:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX; Dinicol, Sam GCPE:EX
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Whereas s. 2 of the Community Charter acknowledges that consultation on matters of mutual interest is a key principle defining the local-provincial relationship recognizing that the citizens of BC are best served when both orders of government respect each other's jurisdiction and work together;

And whereas recent examples of provincial processes and programs affecting the land base have not been conducted in a manner consistent with the principles espoused within the Community Charter:

Therefore be it resolved that the provincial government ensure that the principles of mutual respect, consultation and cooperation as outlined in s. 2 of the Community Charter are adhered to and implemented as it moves forward with future initiatives.

UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation

UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Endorse UBCM Resolutions Committee comments:

The Resolutions Committee notes that the UBCM Executive is bringing this Special Resolution forward in response to member concerns about some of the new provincial processes and programs that have come forward that do not reflect the key principles outlined in the Community Charter. UBCM members have expressed concern about the lack of consultation with communities prior to the development of the draft Partnership Agreements regarding the Caribou recovery plan. Also of note is the Province's new modernized land use planning process that envisions C42 Intergovernmental Collaboration on Land Use Planning Sunshine Coast RD Whereas the inclusion of local governments in joint Indigenous-provincial land use planning processes would offer an opportunity for intergovernmental collaboration and open communication that supports relationship-building and government-to-government reconciliation efforts with First Nations; And whereas local governments who are responsible for undertaking planning activities and providing services within defined geographic boundaries wish to engage with First Nations partners to address common interests and community needs: Therefore be it resolved that the provincial government be urged to include local governments in land use planning discussions with First Nations to ensure continuity of government-to-government engagement and support collaborative and complementary approaches to land use planning that recognize community interests. Endorsed by the Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Refer to Similar Resolution UBCM Resolutions Committee comments: Refer to resolution SR1. See also resolutions C3, C51, C52

C51 Consultation With Local Governments Vernon Whereas Provincial Ministries fund projects that have significant impact upon communities; And whereas there is at present no mechanism for community consultation, including with the local government: Therefore be it resolved that Provincial Ministries be required to undertake community consultation, including with the local government, prior to introducing any new project that may significantly impact the character of that community. Endorsed by the Southern Interior Local Government Association

C3 Local Authority in Provincial Planning Northern Rockies RM Whereas the Province, across all Ministries and agencies, must have a fundamental regard for the authority and responsibilities that local governments have over their jurisdictions; And whereas plans, reviews or initiatives may have the potential to impact communities in economic, social, environmental or other ways, local governments must have a seat at the table and a voice in collaboration; Therefore be it resolved that the Province establish a protocol for local governments to be assigned a role in the

function of any planning, reviews or initiatives affecting their areas of responsibility; and to fulfill this expectation, resources must be available to ensure that local governments can meaningfully participate and be party to the solutions from the very outset. Endorsed by the North Central Local Government Association UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Refer to Similar Resolution

From: Sarah Plank <Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca>

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Subject: IRR Media Request: UBCM Resolutions on negotiations with First Nations

Reporter

Randy Shore, Reporter
Vancouver Sun
rshore@postmedia.com
604-812-6567

Deadline Thursday, September 5, 2019 1:00 PM

Request

There are several motions coming to the UBCM from around BC calling for a change in the way First Nations land use agreements and other frameworks are negotiated. The recent caribou recovery plan and the Pender Harbour dock management plan are examples.

My questions for the minister:

Is there a place at the table for local governments and regional districts when these agreements are negotiated between senior governments and First Nations?

Will the government take a different approach to consultation with local governments in light of the frustration expressed over the Caribou plan?

What steps can be taken to ensure people perceive these negotiations as transparent and well-informed by local concerns?

Background

Recommendation

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From: Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX
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Subject: Re: IRR Media Request: UBCM Resolutions on negotiations with First Nations

Back at you once I have the resolutions book on front of me.

Lisa Leslie
250 213-7724

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UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation

UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Endorse UBCM Resolutions Committee comments: The Resolutions Committee notes that the UBCM Executive is bringing this Special Resolution forward in response to member concerns about some of the new provincial processes and programs that have come forward that do not reflect the key principles outlined in the Community Charter. UBCM members have expressed concern about the lack of consultation with communities prior to the development of the draft Partnership Agreements regarding the Caribou recovery plan. Also of note is the Province's new modernized land use planning process that envisions

C42 Intergovernmental Collaboration on Land Use Planning Sunshine Coast RD Whereas the inclusion of local governments in joint Indigenous-provincial land use planning processes would offer an opportunity for intergovernmental collaboration and open communication that supports relationship-building and government-to-government reconciliation efforts with First Nations; And whereas local governments who are responsible for undertaking planning activities and providing services within defined geographic boundaries wish to engage with First Nations partners to address common interests and community needs: Therefore be it resolved that the provincial government be urged to include local governments in land use planning discussions with First Nations to ensure continuity of government-to-government engagement and support collaborative and complementary approaches to land use planning that recognize community interests. Endorsed by the Association of Vancouver Island and Coastal Communities UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Refer to Similar Resolution UBCM Resolutions Committee comments: Refer to resolution SR1. See also resolutions C3, C51, C52

C51 Consultation With Local Governments Vernon Whereas Provincial Ministries fund projects that have significant impact upon communities; And whereas there is at present no mechanism for community consultation, including with the local government: Therefore be it resolved that Provincial Ministries be required to undertake community consultation, including with the local government, prior to introducing any new project that may significantly impact the character of that community. Endorsed by the Southern Interior Local Government Association

C3 Local Authority in Provincial Planning Northern Rockies RM Whereas the Province, across all Ministries and agencies, must have a fundamental regard for the authority and responsibilities that local governments have over their jurisdictions; And whereas plans, reviews or initiatives may have the potential to impact communities in economic, social, environmental or other ways, local governments must have a seat at the table and a voice in collaboration; Therefore be it resolved that the Province establish a protocol for local governments to be assigned a role in the function of any planning, reviews or initiatives affecting their areas of responsibility; and to fulfill this expectation, resources must be available to ensure that local governments can meaningfully participate and be party to the solutions from the very outset. Endorsed by the North Central Local Government Association UBCM Resolutions Committee recommendation: Refer to Similar Resolution

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Request

There are several motions coming to the UBCM from around BC calling for a change in the way First Nations land use agreements and other frameworks are negotiated. The recent caribou recovery plan and the Pender Harbour dock management plan are examples.

My questions for the minister:

Is there a place at the table for local governments and regional districts when these agreements are negotiated between senior governments and First Nations?

Will the government take a different approach to consultation with local governments in light of the frustration expressed over the Caribou plan?

What steps can be taken to ensure people perceive these negotiations as transparent and well-informed by local concerns?

Background

Recommendation

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