

McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 31, 2019 4:18 PM
To: Fast, Christine JTT:EX
Subject: Re: Tech Summit Invitation to Min Bains - supercluster panel

No concerns at all. Happy for Innovate BC to issue the invite!

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Sent from my iPhone

> On Jan 31, 2019, at 3:23 PM, Fast, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Fast@gov.bc.ca> wrote:
>
> Hi JM - wanted to check in with you re: Supercluster panel at the Tech Summit (currently scheduled for morning of March 12). This will be the first time all 5 of the Superclusters will come together.
>
> I hear that Suzanne Gill from the Digital Supercluster has already reached out to federal Minister Bains' office to see whether he would be interested in introducing the panel/offering remarks.
>
> Innovate BC would like to issue a more formal invite - do you have concerns/questions? Is this something you would like to handle out of your office? Alternatively, we could ask Alan Winter to reach out through his channels.
>
> Feel free to give me call if you'd like to chat.
>
> On a related note, we're just finalizing an overview of options for MBR's participation in the Summit. Will have that to you shortly via DMO.
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> Cheers,
> Christine
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> 250-216-2713
>
> Sent from my iPhone

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2019 4:35 PM
To: Jang, Monica JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Request for Briefing with B.C. Stats

Thanks Monica!

It's the first article: <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/article-what-went-wrong-at-statscan-a-history-of-secrecy-small-time-thinking/>

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

From: Jang, Monica JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2019 2:03 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Request for Briefing with B.C. Stats
Importance: High

Hi JM,

Can you confirm which article it was that the Minister noticed?

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/article-what-went-wrong-at-statscan-a-history-of-secrecy-small-time-thinking/>

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/article-experts-make-recommendations-about-how-canada-can-fix-its-data-deficit/>

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 29, 2019 12:17 PM
To: Little, Christine JTT:EX
Subject: Time for a quick chat?

Hello Christine,

Are you still in Vancouver? Do you have time for a quick chat about Ottawa?

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Friday, January 25, 2019 8:01 AM
To: Jang, Monica JTT:EX
Cc: Kwan, Shirley JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Checking In

Thanks Monica, 15 mins is all I need 😊

JM

From: Jang, Monica JTT:EX
Sent: Friday, January 25, 2019 7:54 AM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Kwan, Shirley JTT:EX <Shirley.Kwan@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Checking In

Hi JM. Will try to find some time. Today's especially busy. I might have 15 mins at noon or so. I'll have Shirley send you a calendar invite. Thanks,

but I believe we

Monica.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 25, 2019, at 7:36 AM, McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Good morning,

I'm in Vancouver today. Wondering if Fazil has time to check-in on a couple of items. I've got some updates from PO etc. that I should pass on.

I'm free after 11:00am – flying back to Victoria at 1pm

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2019 12:45 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Cc: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX
Subject: Small Business Awards

Hello team,

A quick note to confirm that we've confirmed that Minister Ralston will speak at the Small Business BC Awards, so a green light to put together speaking notes.

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 24, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Little, Christine JTT:EX
Subject: Debriefing in Ottawa

Hello Christine,

I hope you're well! Nice to see you on Monday.

I'm wondering if you have a moment to debrief on the Ottawa trip. The Minister tells me he had some great meetings, and asked me to chat with you about next steps.

I'm in Vancouver today, but wondering if you have some time to hop on a call this afternoon?

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 4:22 PM
To: Armour, Ken JTT:EX
Cc: Brownsey, Silas JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Alan Winter/Andrew Weaver meeting

Sounds great Ken, thanks for the head's up.

JM

From: Armour, Ken JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 3:22 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Brownsey, Silas JTT:EX <Silas.Brownsey@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Alan Winter/Andrew Weaver meeting

Hi JM,

Fyi, note that, as per below, we are looking to set up one Alan's regular meetings with Andrew Weaver. s.13
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little while.

– Alan's been asking for this for a

Cheers, Ken

From: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Sent: January 22, 2019 3:15 PM
To: Armour, Ken JTT:EX <Ken.Armour@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Blackstock, Sara JTT:EX <Sara.Blackstock@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Alan Winter/Andrew Weaver meeting

Hello Ken. Thanks very much for your note. Tomorrow I will raise this with the Green Caucus Chief of Staff and with JM McColl in the MO to get a sense of preferred timing. I'll then send an email to the MO to initiate scheduling, per our usual protocol.

Thanks again,
Donna

From: Armour, Ken JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 2:42 PM
To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Cc: Blackstock, Sara JTT:EX
Subject: Alan Winter/Andrew Weaver meeting

Hi Donna,

Alan would like to arrange to meet with Andrew Weaver at some point in the future (as part of his regular series of meeting with Dr. Weaver). How do we go about setting that up?

Thanks, Ken

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 22, 2019 1:25 PM
To: Robb, Amanda JTT:EX
Subject: Moving Ambassador Yaadma from Jan 30

Amanda,

Could you reach out to Ambassador Yaadma's office, and see if there's any chance he could meet with the Minister on the 29th in Vancouver, rather than the 30th?

I don't want to cancel the meeting yet, I just want to know if there's a way to move it.

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 2:32 PM
To: Winter, Alan JTT:EX
Subject: Your Report and the Minister's Letter
Attachments: innovation_commissioner_letter_final2.pdf

Alan,

I hope you're well. Very good to see you last week. The Minister asked me to thank you again for your report, which was publicly posted today on [this site](#).

He asked me to pass along the attached letter, responding to your report, and let you know he's looking forward to working with you in the year to come.

All the best,

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 10:43 AM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Innovation Commissioner's Report

Fantastic news! Thanks Lori, yes please do give Tyler a call, and let him know that the Minister could speak with him between Noon and 1pm today. Also after 4pm this afternoon if he'd like.

JM

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 9:49 AM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Innovation Commissioner's Report

Hi JM – The website is live

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/governments/about-the-bc-government/technology-innovation/innovation-commissioner/reports-and-research>

I can call Tyler now if that is still something you would like me to do. Do you have an alternate time that I can offer him for an interview?

Thanks,

Lori

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 9:43 AM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Innovation Commissioner's Report

Hi Lori,

Yes, I saw the edits. They're all good. If you can just flip me a link to the site once the letter and report is up there - that would be perfect. Thanks for your quick work on this!

JM

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On Jan 21, 2019, at 8:40 AM, Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Good morning JM – There were some edits made to the letter? Did you see the edits?

We need to get the letter V5'd first, but we will work to get that done quickly. I will let you know when posted.

Q&A and IN attached.

Lori

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 21, 2019 8:23 AM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX
Subject: Innovation Commissioner's Report

Good morning Lori!

Silas tells me he's signed off on the Commissioner's report and letter. If you could attach a digital signature to the letter and let me know when it's been online – that would be perfect.

Many thank for all your work on this!

JM

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Friday, January 18, 2019 1:31 PM
To: Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX
Subject: On my way

Minister, I have been delayed, so will not make it to MLA Begg's office until the meeting time. I will see you there.

JM

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McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 17, 2019 12:54 PM
To: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX
Subject: Addition to the Minister's Calendar for Tomorrow

Hello Lorna!

Could you add the following briefing to the Minister's calendar for tomorrow and advise DMO? I've spoken with Silas about it

Subject: SIDIT Briefing
Date: Friday, January 18
Time: 11:00 AM
Duration: 30 Minutes
Location: VCO
Requested participants: Fazil Mihlar, Silas Brownsely, Greg Goodwin
No materials necessary
People can participate in-person or by phone, please include dial-in information.

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2019 2:51 PM
To: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Innovation Commissioner Letter

Hey Lori,

I don't have a timeline on this one yet, but I'll let you know as soon as I hear back from the Minister!

JM

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, January 16, 2019 12:20 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX <Brad.Spencer@gov.bc.ca>; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX <Courtney.Stewart@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James JTT:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX <Maria.Szabo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Innovation Commissioner Letter

Hi JM – Checking on status of the letter for the Innovation Commissioner report, please.

Thanks,

Lori

From: Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, January 14, 2019 11:25 AM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Cc: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX; Stewart, Courtney GCPE:EX; McNish, James JTT:EX; Szabo, Maria JTT:EX
Subject: Innovation Commissioner Letter

Hi JM – Here is the Innovation Commissioner letter for your review/editing.

Possible to have your input by Wednesday morning?

Thanks,

Lori

McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 15, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX
Cc: Szabo, Maria JTT:EX
Subject: s.13

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JM

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McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 10, 2019 8:51 AM
To: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX
Subject: Re: Nanaimo Meetings/Calls

Thanks for this Lorna. This all sounds good!

JM

Sent from my iPhone

On Jan 9, 2019, at 3:36 PM, Hay, Lorna JTT:EX <Lorna.Hay@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Christine Fast will actually staff VIU and Eastside. Just had an update from DMO.

From: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX
Sent: January 9, 2019 3:22 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Nanaimo Meetings/Calls
Importance: High

Hi JM,

Christine Fast is supporting the Inuktun Robotics meeting in Nanaimo with you and Maria (3 staff supporting)

Eastside Games and VIU Centre for Innovation will be supported by both you and Maria (2 staff supporting).

Just want to be sure this is ok with you.

Also a couple meeting requests have come through for PO Calls that will be scheduled for this day as well.

Thank you,

McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 12:35 PM
To: Fast, Christine JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Touch-base re: Innovate BC

Does the Minister's Office work for you?

Cheers,

JM

From: Fast, Christine JTT:EX
Sent: Wednesday, January 9, 2019 9:49 AM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Touch-base re: Innovate BC

Yes, that works. Any preference on location?

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: January 9, 2019 9:30 AM
To: Fast, Christine JTT:EX <Christine.Fast@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Touch-base re: Innovate BC

Hello Christine!

This sounds great. Could we do it tomorrow? How about 10:00 AM?

JM

From: Fast, Christine JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 3:31 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Touch-base re: Innovate BC

Hi JM – I hope this message finds you well and you had a nice Holiday Season!

Silas requested I connect with you directly to chat about Innovate BC, s.13; s.17 as well as the draft letter that is sitting with the MO.

Let me know if you have time for a call tomorrow, or we can meet up over coffee ☺

Cheers,
Christine

Christine Fast

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McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 1:46 PM
To: Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX
Subject: Standing in as Minister for EMPR

Minister,

Today I received the official request for you to stand in for Minister Mungal S.22
S.22

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JM

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McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Tuesday, January 8, 2019 11:36 AM
To: Ralston, Bruce JTT:EX
Subject: Update on the Asia Trade Mission

Minister,

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JM

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McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX

From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 7, 2019 3:09 PM
To: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: catch up tomorrow

Brad,

That sounds perfect! Looking forward to catching up! See you tomorrow at 3:15!

JM

From: Spencer, Brad GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, January 7, 2019 2:29 PM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: catch up tomorrow

S.22 . I will be near your office tomorrow at 3:15. I will drop in if you are free.

Brad

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From: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX
Sent: Monday, January 7, 2019 11:29 AM
To: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX
Cc: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX
Subject: RE: Meeting for you with Eden Toth on Thursday, January 10

Hello Hailey!

Yes, I'm happy to do this meeting on January 10th. I can do whatever time works for Eden. Am I right to assume that she will be here in Victoria?

JM

From: Walters, Hailey JTT:EX
Sent: Thursday, January 3, 2019 11:47 AM
To: McColl, John-Michael JTT:EX <JohnMichael.McColl@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Hay, Lorna JTT:EX <Lorna.Hay@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Meeting for you with Eden Toth on Thursday, January 10

Hey JM,

Im unsure if you will be seeing this today – but just letting you know that MBR has referred a meeting request to you to meet with Eden Toth on Thursday, January 10 regarding Science World. I have not yet responded to Eden as I am going to wait until you let me know your schedule so I can set something up for you!

Cheers,
Hailey