

## Porcher, Elizabeth MAH:EX

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 7, 2019 3:56 PM  
**To:** Robinson, Selina MAH:EX  
**Subject:** FW: Cabinet | May 8th

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**Cc:** Gardea, Daniela MAH:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>; Xia, Eveline MAH:EX <Eveline.Xia@gov.bc.ca>; Rayner, Jena MAH:EX <Jena.Rayner@gov.bc.ca>; Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX <Craig.Ashbourne@gov.bc.ca>; Porcher, Elizabeth MAH:EX <Elizabeth.Porcher@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** Cabinet | May 8th

Good afternoon, the only item going forward tomorrow for Cabinet tomorrow is the following BC Housing Appointment:

- BC Housing Appointment: Joanne Granek

I have uploaded her resume to the [eBinder](#) for Minister's reference.

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**From:** White, Christine MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 7, 2019 3:18 PM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Subject:** s.22

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Hello,

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Thank you,

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**From:** Today's News Online GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 7, 2019 2:12 PM  
**Subject:** DailyHive: Young families in Metro Vancouver prioritize having homes near public transit: report

DailyHive

07-May-2019 13:55

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TNO...

<https://dailyhive.com/vancouver/metro-vancouver-young-families-public-transit-homes>

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 7, 2019 1:56 PM  
**To:** Paton, Susan MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Gedney, Vanessa R MAH:EX  
**Subject:** RE: for review - Building BC Funds correspondence

These are good to go out, and the fact sheet looks fine to include.

Thanks Susan!

Craig

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**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Gedney, Vanessa R MAH:EX  
**Subject:** for review - Building BC Funds correspondence

Good morning,

As discussed, here are the final drafts for BC MLAs, First Nations and local governments (there are minor formatting tweaks but I didn't want to hold them up). I've also attached the factsheet.

Please let me know if there are any updates you'd like.

RE: the Indigenous Housing partners, I'm circling back to Lisa Leslie and Roberta Randall at BC Housing to make sure we have the drafts lined up to the proper recipients.

Thank you,

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 7, 2019 1:51 PM  
**To:** Gardea, Daniela MAH:EX  
**Subject:** FW: REMINDER: CONSULTATION FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS AND APPROVAL: MAH from IRR-2019-91254 (SMA Messages - February 2018) 2 pages. Pls. respond by May 1  
**Attachments:** IRR-2019-91254 - Consult Records to MAH - 2 pages.pdf

I have no concerns with this, and it's just my emails.

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**From:** FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX  
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**Cc:** FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX ; Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Subject:** REMINDER: CONSULTATION FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS AND APPROVAL: MAH from IRR-2019-91254 (SMA Messages - February 2018) 2 pages. Pls. respond by May 1

Hello,

This is a friendly reminder that we are waiting on a response from MO in regards to this file.

Thank you ☺

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**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX <[Craig.Ashbourne@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Craig.Ashbourne@gov.bc.ca)>; Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX <[Matt.Djonlic@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Matt.Djonlic@gov.bc.ca)>  
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**Subject:** CONSULTATION FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS AND APPROVAL: MAH from IRR-2019-91254 (SMA Messages - February 2018) 2 pages. Pls. respond by May 1

The Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation received this FOI request from a 'Political Party':

***Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments – sent from the Minister’s Senior Ministerial Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed during the period. (Date Range for Record Search: From 02/01/2018 To 02/28/2018)***

They identified the attached document as responsive records and wish to get MAH’s views on disclosure.

**Note to reviewers:**

- The analyst providing services to IRR has not provide any severing recommendations.
- Our office has completed a review of these records, and has deferred to the subject matter experts to advise on potential sensitivities.
- Once MO has reviewed and approved, consultation will be moved to ADM Curtis for final approval.

Please send approval/comments to [FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca](mailto:FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca) by **Wednesday May 1, 2019**.

Thank you,

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**Attachments:** 246051 Building BC Funds MLAs Letter.docx; 246050 Building BC Funds Municipalities Letter.docx; 246049 Building BC Funds First Nations Letter.docx; BuildingBCFactsheet.pdf

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**From:** Today's News Online GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 6, 2019 7:13 PM  
**Subject:** Castanet: A good 'step code' forward

Castanet

06-May-2019 18:57

Quoted: Change, Kam

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<https://www.castanet.net/news/Kelowna/255614/A-good-step-code-forward>

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**From:** Today's News Online GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 5, 2019 3:06 PM  
**Subject:** CBC Online: Major housing development planned on Indigenous land in heart of Vancouver

CBC Online

05-May-2019 14:52

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<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/housing-development-planned-on-squamish-land-in-heart-of-vancouver-1.5123728?cmp=rss>

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**From:** Harbord, Darren GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 3, 2019 2:47 PM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX; Xia, Eveline MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Djonlic, Matt MAH:EX; Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX; D'souza, Pamela GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** FYI: New purpose built rental coming to Squamish's North Yards - Squamish Chief

**New purpose built rental coming to Squamish's North Yards:** <https://www.squamishchief.com/real-estate/new-purpose-built-rental-coming-to-squamish-s-north-yards-1.23811299>

**Darren Harbord**

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**From:** XT:HLTH Ramsay, Shayne  
**Sent:** May 3, 2019 2:16 PM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Comparing Homeless Counts, BC Edition | Home: Free Sociology!

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<https://homefreesociology.com/2019/05/03/comparing-homeless-counts-bc-edition/>

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 3, 2019 2:01 PM  
**To:** Robinson, Selina MAH:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Squamish

Nice photo!

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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

From: Shayne Ramsay  
Date: 2019-05-03 11:51 AM (GMT-08:00)  
To: "Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX"  
Subject: Squamish

Checked with my folks and went well!







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**From:** XT:HLTH Ramsay, Shayne  
**Sent:** May 3, 2019 11:51 AM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Subject:** Squamish

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**From:** Today's News Online GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 2, 2019 8:11 PM  
**Subject:** CBYK: Maki - shelters strapped ■

CBYK (CBC Kamloops)  
CBC Daybreak Kamloops  
02-May-2019 07:12

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 2, 2019 3:45 PM  
**To:** Robinson, Selina MAH:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: CBU: Johnston - Surrey modular housing 📎

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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

**From:** tno@gov.bc.ca  
**Date:** 2019-05-02 3:28 PM (GMT-08:00)  
**To:**  
**Subject:** CBU: Johnston - Surrey modular housing 📎

CBU (CBC Vancouver)  
CBC Early Edition  
02-May-2019 07:43

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**From:** Laird, Patricia FIN:EX  
**Sent:** May 2, 2019 11:15 AM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX; Xia, Eveline MAH:EX  
**Cc:** White, Christine MAH:EX  
**Subject:** MINISTER'S FY20 APRIL REDLINED MONTHLY TRANSACTIONS FOR REVIEW  
**Attachments:** Redlined APRIL ROBINSON, SELINA.pdf

To: Ministerial Assistant  
Administrative Co-ordinator

Enclosed please find the Minister's monthly transactions that have been redacted to remove items that require severing. If you hover over the text that shows the redaction with a red box around it, you will see why that information is being redacted. Please review the file for accuracy. If there is an item that you feel should be redacted please contact me via email by the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of the month for resolution/correction. If there are no edits to be made, we do not require a response at this time.

Please share the package with your GCPE contact within 1 business day.

This email is a preliminary copy and approval will be required for the Quarterly release which will include this month and other months in the quarter.

Thank you and please give me a call if you have any questions.

Best regards,

Pat

Pat Laird  
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Corporate Services Division  
Executive Financial Clerk  
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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 2, 2019 7:05 AM  
**To:** Robinson, Selina MAH:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: 'They've taken baby steps': Professor slams Ottawa's housing strategy - The Globe and Mail

Fyi - definitely not pulling punches here.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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From: Shayne Ramsay  
Date: 2019-05-02 6:31 AM (GMT-08:00)  
To: "Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX"  
Cc: "Krishna, Kaye MAH:EX"  
Subject: 'They've taken baby steps': Professor slams Ottawa's housing strategy - The Globe and Mail

Pointed article.

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/real-estate/vancouver/article-theyve-taken-baby-steps-housing-professor-slams-liberals-approach/>

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**From:** XT:HLTH Ramsay, Shayne  
**Sent:** May 2, 2019 6:32 AM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Krishna, Kaye MAH:EX  
**Subject:** 'They've taken baby steps': Professor slams Ottawa's housing strategy - The Globe and Mail

Pointed article.

<https://www.theglobeandmail.com/real-estate/vancouver/article-theyve-taken-baby-steps-housing-professor-slams-liberals-approach/>

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**From:** Harbord, Darren GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** May 1, 2019 4:34 PM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX; Xia, Eveline MAH:EX  
**Cc:** D'souza, Pamela GCPE:EX; Leslie, Lisa GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: CP News: Women turned away from underfunded shelters: new national report

Here's a link to one of the studies referenced in the media – presented to the House of Commons Committee on the Status of Women:

<https://www.ourcommons.ca/Content/Committee/421/FEWO/Reports/RP10429173/feworp15/feworp15-e.pdf>

There are 20 recommendations for the federal government.

The only reference to B.C. I see is on page 15, which shows how many shelters and beds there are in each province. B.C. is third, behind Ontario and Quebec.

KMs:

- It has been decades since women and children experiencing violence in their homes or relationships have seen any significant investment in their needs.
- Our government is making different choices to make life better.
- Through the Building BC: Women's Transition Housing Fund, we are investing \$734 million over the next 10 years to build and operate 1,500 new units for women and children in need in our province.
- Working is well underway with more than 280 new homes already announced.
- This is the first significant new investment in housing options for women and children leaving violence in the last two decades.

CP News  
Teresa Wright  
01-May-2019 14:53

Quoted: Kaitlin Bardswich

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[http://www.commandnews.com/fpweb/fp.dll/\\$bc-rss/htm/rss/x\\_dv.htm/ibyx/daj/svc/cp\\_pub/Id/1852055188/k/kt6vNfK6VgU0VD6k](http://www.commandnews.com/fpweb/fp.dll/$bc-rss/htm/rss/x_dv.htm/ibyx/daj/svc/cp_pub/Id/1852055188/k/kt6vNfK6VgU0VD6k)

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**From:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Sent:** May 1, 2019 10:57 AM  
**To:** Xia, Eveline MAH:EX  
**Subject:** RE: s.22

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Take care,  
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**Sent:** Wednesday, May 1, 2019 10:36 AM  
**To:** Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX  
**Subject:** s.22

Hi Craig,  
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Thanks,  
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