From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: July 3, 2018 2:19 PM

To: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: Lunch Tomorrow

Downstairs is probably fine.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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

Subject: Lunch Tomorrow

From: "McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX" Date: 2018-07-03 13:57 (GMT-08:00) To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Hi Minister,

Where would you like to go for lunch with Min Conroy tomorrow? Here in dining room or would you like to go out?

Thanks, Val

#### Valerie McKnight

Administrative Coordinator to the Honourable Shane Simpson,

Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 4, 2018 9:17 AM
To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: CLBC letter

Ok

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 4, 2018, at 8:59 AM, Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX < Brenda.Tombs@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Morning. Please see the attached. Leah has asked me to ask Karen to set up a briefing for you on this, so I'll go ahead and do that.

**From:** Van Wensem, Casey SDPR:EX **Sent:** Tuesday, July 3, 2018 9:34 AM

To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: CLBC letter

Hi Brenda,

This letter from CLBC arrived this morning. Let me know if you would like CU to prepare some sort of

response. Thanks, -Casey

Casey van Wensem

Administrative Assistant to the Honourable Shane Simpson,

Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

Phone: (250) 356-7750 Fax: (250) 356-7292

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 4, 2018 1:36 PM
To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

**Subject:** FW: Home Sharing Engagement Report

Attachments: 2018 06 29 Letter to Min Simpson\_CLBC Board Chair (re Home Sharing Engagement Report).pdf; BN

Home Sharing Engagement Report June 28 2018.pdf; HSP Engagement Report Final June 28

2018.pdf

**From:** Lim, Rebecca CLBC:EX **Sent:** Friday, June 29, 2018 9:22 AM **To:** Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Cc: XT:Christensen, Thomas P. AEST:IN; Galbraith, David J SDPR:EX; Macrae, Seonag CLBC:EX; Davies, Lynn M

CLBC:EX; Styan, Jack CLBC:EX

Subject: Home Sharing Engagement Report

Dear Minister Simpson,

Please find attached the Home Sharing Engagement Report, briefing note and a cover letter from Tom Christensen, CLBC Board Chair, for your perusal. Thank you.

Best regards,

Rebecca Lim

Executive Assistant to CEO Seonag Macrae Community Living British Columbia 7<sup>th</sup> Floor - 1200 West 73<sup>rd</sup> Ave Vancouver, BC V6P 6G5 P: (604) 713-0325 / F: (604) 664-0765

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: July 4, 2018 5:07 PM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Basic Income Media Request

Sure go for it

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-04 16:22 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"
Cc: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"

Subject: Basic Income Media Request

FYI – let us know if you want us to set this up.

Date/Time: July 4, 2018

<u>Deadline</u> July 9 or 10th<sup>th</sup> morning time slots (or taped interview)

Media: Radio NL - Kamloops - Jim Harrison Show

Reporter: Jamie Shinkewski, Producer Radio NL t: 250 571- 5229 jshinkewski@newcap.ca

Topic: Basic Income in B.C.

Request:

I wanted to inquire about Min. Simpson's availability to join the Jim Harrison Show to discuss the study on basic income announced this week.

I'm looking to book interview segments for Monday (9<sup>th</sup>) and Tuesday (10<sup>th</sup>) if he is available for any of the following time slots on those days.

9:08 a.m.

9:20 a.m.

9:35 a.m.

9:50 a.m.

Alternatively, Jim arrives in studio around 6:45 a.m. and could record the interview in advance of the show. If you can help me arrange an interview for roughly 10 minutes, I'd appreciate it.

#### Lara Hurrell

Senior Public Affairs Officer

Government Communications and Public Engagement Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

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E: lara.hurrell@gov.bc.ca

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 11:08 AM
To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: request - additional SI mtg in late Sept/early Oct

No real preference. Hard to look that far out.

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 5, 2018, at 11:05 AM, Squance, Leah SDPR:EX <Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

So no preference about which of those dates?

I think the idea is to split the items but I will double check.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 5, 2018, at 11:03 AM, Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX < Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Either the extension on the 18th or the 24/25 option. Is the plan to add to the 13 items?

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 5, 2018, at 10:56 AM, Squance, Leah SDPR:EX < Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Do you have a preference of time and date?

New 2 hour meeting:

o Anytime Sept 24 or 25

o Oct 1 6:45-8:45pm (following SSP)

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 5:08 PM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: request - additional SI mtg in late Sept/early Oct

Let's set one up

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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

From: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX" < Leah. Squance@gov.bc.ca >

Date: 2018-07-04 16:23 (GMT-08:00)

To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX" < Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca > Cc: "McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX" < Valerie.McKnight@gov.bc.ca > Subject: FW: request - additional SI mtg in late Sept/early Oct

Preference?

From: Powell, Charlotte PREM:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 4, 2018 11:38 AM

**To:** McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX; Squance, Leah SDPR:EX **Subject:** request - additional SI mtg in late Sept/early Oct

Hi Val and Leah – would it be possible to either extend the Sept 18 SI meeting or schedule an additional meeting in late September or early

October? The Sept 18 meeting currently has \$.13 s.13

Options are:

- Extend the Sept 18 meeting: 2:00-5:30pm (currently 2:00-4:00pm)
- New 2 hour meeting:
  - o Anytime Sept 24 or 25
  - o Oct 1 6:45-8:45pm (following SSP)

Please let me know what would be preferable. Thanks!

Charlotte Powell | Cabinet Operations | phone: 250-387-9791 | mobile: 250-361-5381 | <a href="mailto:charlotte.powell@gov.bc.ca">charlotte.powell@gov.bc.ca</a>

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: July 5, 2018 12:21 PM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Cc: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX; Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Update: what we heard

Can we find out what they are going to say? We may be asked to respond.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-05 12:14 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Cc: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX", "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"

Subject: FW: Update: what we heard

FYI

**From:** trish bcpovertyreduction [mailto:trish@bcpovertyreduction.ca]

**Sent:** Thursday, July 5, 2018 12:13 PM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Subject: RE: Update: what we heard

Hi Leah,

Thanks for the update. We had already scheduled a press conference on July 10 to launch a renewed call for an effective poverty reduction plan so just a heads up that that is coming. We had originally scheduled it 2 weeks after the June 25<sup>th</sup> date and then a week after the July 4<sup>th</sup> date because we were hoping to build on the What We Heard report.

We already have all the speakers lined up, and \$.22

Thanks, Trish

**Trish Garner** / Community Organizer

**BC Poverty Reduction Coalition** 

#810 - 815 West Hastings Street

Vancouver, BC V6C 1B4 Coast Salish Territories tel: 604-877-4553

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From: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX [mailto:Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, July 03, 2018 2:17 PM

**To:** Squance, Leah SDPR:EX **Subject:** Update: what we heard

Hi everyone

I've received an update on the What We Heard report. It will not be ready to release tomorrow as there were some unexpected delays. It's in final production with an anticipated public release date of July 11.

Apologies for the delays and the short notice.

Leah

Leah Squance
Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Shane Simpson
Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction
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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 5, 2018 5:20 PM
To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Cc: Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Presidents Group Update

Fine with giving it to Stephanie. Just read it through. Some issues but generally a good road map for engaging business. I like it.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-05 16:36 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"
Cc: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"

Subject: FW: Presidents Group Update

Any concerns with providing the attached to MLA Cadieux?

From: MacMillan, Karen SDPR:EX Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 1:18 PM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Subject: RE: Presidents Group Update

Yes. Attached.

Karen

From: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 11:28 AM

To: MacMillan, Karen SDPR:EX

Subject: FW: Presidents Group Update

See below... is this possible?

From: Cadieux, Stephanie [mailto:S.Cadieux@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, July 5, 2018 11:27 AM

To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: Presidents Group Update

Hi again

Is it possible to get a copy of the referenced submission to the federal gov on the \$.12, \$.13, \$.16



Stephanie Cadieux, MLA

Surrey South (778) 899-8517

Facebook: /StephanieCadieux Twitter: @Stephanie4BC ?

On Jun 27, 2018, at 4:38 PM, Squance, Leah SDPR:EX < Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Dear MLA Cadieux,

Please find attached some information about the Presidents Group, prepared by the Ministry, in response to your request for an update during Estimates. My apologies for the delay in getting this to you.

Please let me know if there's any other information you were looking for.

Many thanks,

Leah

Leah Squance

Senior Ministerial Assistant to Hon. Shane Simpson Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

c: 250-882-1445 w: 250-387-1428 e: <u>leah.squance@gov.bc.ca</u>

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 6, 2018 2:06 PM

To: Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: For Approval

Looks gine

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------- Original message ------From: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-06 13:40 (GMT-08:00)

To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX" Cc: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"

Subject: For Approval

#### Hello,

Below is a draft letter to go out to the twelve communities where the province funded a homelessness count. This is a joint letter from you and MSR. It will include the community specific page from the interim report. Please let me know if you have concerns. MSR has signed off.

Earlier this year, the Province coordinated homeless counts in 12 communities to help inform B.C.'s Homelessness Action Plan, which will focus on permanent housing and services. The Province will compile this data with counts from this year's federal Point-In-Time counts and counts from the following communities, conducted in 2017: Metro Vancouver, Fraser Valley Regional District, Duncan, and Vernon. Combined, this will capture approximately 85% of the population.

These counts provide vital information, including the demographics and service needs of people experiencing homelessness. They also help establish a benchmark to measure the progress made to reduce homelessness over time.

As we prepare the final report for release this fall, we wanted to share with you the information we got back from the «Organization». The attached document breaks down a number of demographics for your consideration as a local government.

If your community is interested in building more affordable housing to address needs identified through this count, we would encourage you to take advantage of provincial funding announced in Budget 2018. As part of this budget, our government launched a 30-point housing plan that includes \$7 billion over the next 10 years to create and preserve affordable housing.

<u>Funding applications can be found online</u>, and funding is available to build housing for:

- indigenous people through the **Indigenous Housing Fund**;
- those experiencing homelessness through the **Supportive Housing Fund**;
- women and children fleeing violence through the Women's Transition Housing Fund; and
- mixed-income affordable housing for families, seniors and individuals through the Community Housing Fund.

Thank you for your consideration and if you have any problems, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Cheers,

Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. <a href="mailto:jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca">jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca</a>

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 9, 2018 10:21 AM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Cc: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX Subject: Re: RCI Correspondence

Let's do it all if we can

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 9, 2018, at 9:39 AM, Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX < Jayne.Ducker@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hello - we have approval for Tim to come to Victoria on Wednesday so Val is checking with him today if he can come over. If he can, do you want a second meeting with Tim and Michael on Wednesday?

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Medgyesi, Mark S SDPR:EX" < <u>Mark.Medgyesi@gov.bc.ca</u>>

Date: July 9, 2018 at 9:04:38 AM PDT

To: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX" < Jayne.Ducker@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject: Re: RCI Correspondence** 

Hi Jayne. I don't have any concerns, think it will more depend on whether Tim can make arrangements. On a related question, Michael and David had mentioned setting a meeting with the Minister, Tim and Michael Prince. Was MP to included On Wednesday? Or will that be a later meeting. Thanks Mark

Mark Medgyesi

ED Corporate Planning and Strategic Initiatives Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction 250 361 5125

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 11, 2018 7:06 PM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: WWH

Flip me the final so I can read again in the morning. Thanks.

Sent from my iPad

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: July 12, 2018 10:33 AM

To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: What We Heard Report

A printed copy yes.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-12 10:28 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"
Subject: FW: What We Heard Report

Would you like a printed copy of this for the call today? Or have you got one already?

From: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, July 12, 2018 10:15 AM Subject: What We Heard Report

Importance: High Hello Forum Members,

I am pleased to present you with an embargoed copy of the "What We Heard Report" and would invite you to join in on a conference call this afternoon from 1:00-1:30 pm with Minister Simpson to discuss its release.

I apologize for the short notice regarding the call, but we wanted to ensure that you had the report before it went to the media this afternoon at 3:00 pm. I would ask that you <u>not</u> share the attached copy of the report prior to 3:00 pm. I will send out a shareable copy of this report, as well as the supplemental reports mentioned in the table of contents as well as a link to the reports online, to you after 3:00 pm today.

The conference call information is below. There will be office space set aside at the Vancouver Cabinet Office (VCO) for those in Vancouver who would like to make use of it. If you are going to participate in the call via VCO, please let me know as soon as possible so your name can be added to the guest list.

Conference Call Number: 1-877-353-9184

Pass Code: S.17

Please call in 10-15 min early to go through the greeting process.

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call this morning.

Cheers, Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 12, 2018 4:03 PM

To: Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Walk With the Dragon

Let's see if we can figure it out. I will check.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------- Original message ------From: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-12 16:00 (GMT-08:00)

To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX" Subject: Walk With the Dragon

Hello – Queenie Choo just phoned and has a question about the Walk With the Dragon event on Sunday.

There are three ministers attending (yourself, Minister Ralston and Minister Farnworth) as well as Minister Chow and MLA Kang. Queenie would like to know who is speaking on behalf of the government.

Has there been any discussion amongst the cabinet ministers about who might bring remarks? Queenie is hoping we can let her know tomorrow.

Cheers,

Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 13, 2018 8:39 AM
To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

**Cc:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX **Subject:** Re: Correspondence approvals Jul 12

Sounds like a plan. Thanks.

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 13, 2018, at 7:58 AM, Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX < Brenda.Tombs@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Morning. A letter from the mayor in Kamloops. Would you like me to ask the Correspondence Unit to draft up a minister's reply, and then run it by you for any edits/changes?

From: Van Wensem, Casey SDPR:EX Sent: Thursday, July 12, 2018 4:31 PM

To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: Correspondence approvals Jul 12

Hi Brenda,

Just one for today:

196034s.22 - Minister Draft

Thanks,

Casey van Wensem

Administrative Assistant to the Honourable Shane Simpson,

Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

Phone: (250) 356-7750 Fax: (250) 356-7292

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 17, 2018 1:45 PM

To: Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Cc: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: RFP briefing

No documents for 2pm?

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-17 11:27 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"
Cc: "McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX"

Subject: RE: RFP briefing

Not sure which materials you are looking at... Not sure that anything has come from the DMO yet. Can you please share or let us know where on the ipad they are?

Cheers,

Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 11:04 AM

To: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: RFP briefing

s.13,s.17

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 17, 2018 3:22 PM
To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Continuation of Income Subsidy Benefits

s.13,s.17

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-17 15:08 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Subject: FW: Continuation of Income Subsidy Benefits

Hi MSS. A letter attached from the mayor of the village of Cumberland. The Correspondence Unit's advice for a reply is below. Let me know how you'd like to proceed. Thanks.

From: Minister, SDPR SDPR:EX Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 3:00 PM

To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX Cc: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: FW: Continuation of Income Subsidy Benefits

Hi Brenda,

Forwarding this one for your info as it is from a local government. s.13

S.13 How does that sound?

Thanks!

Greg

Greg Visco 778 698-4835

From: Rachel Parker [mailto:rparker@cumberland.ca]

Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 2:53 PM

To: Minister, SDPR SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Continuation of Income Subsidy Benefits Please find correspondence to the Minister attached.

Thank you.

Rachel Parker, Deputy Corporate Officer

Village of Cumberland

2673 Dunsmuir Avenue, PO Box 340

Cumberland, BC VOR 1S0

250-336-2291

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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 18, 2018 10:56 AM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Kaslo

If I can.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message ------From: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX" Date: 2018-07-18 10:12 (GMT-08:00) To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Cc: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"

Subject: FW: Kaslo

Would you like to attend this announcement with MSR? It's Fri Jul 27.

Also – they are going to hit 2000 units next week and I was asked to get you a heads up.

Cheers, Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

From: Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 18, 2018 10:08 AM

**To:** Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: Kaslo

Pending official confirmation from GCPE HQ, arrival time will be 1:45; the event will start at 2.

Address is 4480 Kaslo Street in Vancouver.

Minister Robinson will join Mayor Robertson and Atria Women's Resource Society (non-profit operator) to announce the official opening of a new 52-unit modular housing project.

Craig Ashbourne

Senior Ministerial Assistant

Minister of Municipal Affairs and Housing and responsible for Translink

C: 250-213-3187

E: craig.ashbourne@gov.bc.ca

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 19, 2018 7:26 PM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Staffing at UBCM

Leah or Brenda. Book for Leah and she can decide when she is back. Thanks

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 19, 2018, at 7:22 PM, Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX < Jayne.Ducker@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Evening! I assume that you would like Leah to travel with you to UBCM? Val will start making arrangements if yes.

Cheers, Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Wade, Debbie PREM:EX" < Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>

**Date:** July 19, 2018 at 5:14:05 PM PDT

**To:** LP Senior Ministerial Assistants < SRMINAST@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca >, LP Ministerial Assistants < LPEAS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca >, LP Executive Assistants < LPEAS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca >, LP Administrative Coordinators < LPACS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca >

Cc: LP Support Staff < LPSUPORT@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Staffing at UBCM

#### Hi everyone;

As UBCM convention is quickly approaching, many of you are finalizing registration and travel arrangements for your Ministers and staff. We thought it would be helpful to clarify a few guidelines around expenses and staffing your Minister's at UBCM.

Each Minister is entitled to have 1 staff member accompany them to UBCM. This can be either the Senior MA, MA, or EA, and will be entitled to claim for the following expenses;

UBCM registration – including any workshops / receptions / Breakfast, lunch or dinner events, that the Ministers are attending.

**Hotel Accommodations** 

Perdiems (presuming a meal was not provided)

If you have a parliamentary Secretary attending UBCM in his or her role as PS, their registration costs can also be covered by the Minister's office.

The registration fees can be charged to your office purchasing card. All other expenses should be charged to the Minister and or staff's Travel purchasing card.

If you currently have made arrangements for more than 1 staff person to attend (except for MAH), please advise me at your earliest convenience, as Geoff Meggs will need to approve.

Please let me know if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Debbie Wade Executive Coordinator to Geoff Meggs - Chief of Staff and Amber Hockin - Deputy Chief of Staff Office of the Premier 250-356-2785

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 20, 2018 1:19 PM

To: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX; Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: DN - CLBC Hiring Process

Happy to sign with one understanding. Once this process is finalized the final decisions still rest with me.

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 19, 2018, at 3:11 PM, McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX < Valerie.McKnight@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hi Minister,

Just following up on this and whether is ok to go, if approved I can add your e-sig.

Thanks,

Val

**From:** McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 11:47 AM

To: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Subject: FW: DN - CLBC Hiring Process

Hi Minister,

This updated decision note has been uploaded to your iPad in the for approval folder.

Thanks, Val

**From:** Smith, Denise Clair SDPR:EX **Sent:** Tuesday, July 17, 2018 11:40 AM

To: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Cc: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX; McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX; MacMillan, Karen SDPR:EX; Quigley, Shanna

SDPR:EX; Torres Bonet, Adriana SDPR:EX; Green, Jessie M SDPR:EX; Kirby, Kyla SDPR:EX

Subject: RE: DN - CLBC Hiring Process

Good morning Jayne,

Please find attached the revised Decision Note for the CLBC Board Notice of Position for the Minister's

approval. Thank you,

Denise C Smith

From: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 10:52 AM

To: Smith, Denise Clair SDPR:EX; McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX; Medgyesi, Mark S SDPR:EX

Cc: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX; MacMillan, Karen SDPR:EX; Quigley, Shanna SDPR:EX; Torres Bonet, Adriana

SDPR:EX; Green, Jessie M SDPR:EX Subject: RE: DN - CLBC Hiring Process

Hi all,

Thanks for the updated documents. S.13

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If you have any questions, please give me a call. Many thanks.

Cheers,

Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

From: Smith, Denise Clair SDPR:EX Sent: Tuesday, July 17, 2018 8:51 AM To: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX

Cc: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX; Squance, Leah SDPR:EX; MacMillan, Karen SDPR:EX; Quigley, Shanna

SDPR:EX; Torres Bonet, Adriana SDPR:EX; Green, Jessie M SDPR:EX

Subject: DN - CLBC Hiring Process

**Importance:** High Good morning Val,

Please find attached a Decision Note for the Minister's approval regarding the CLBC Hiring Process.

Thank you,

Denise C Smith

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 20, 2018 4:34 PM

To: Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL

It is fine. Thanks.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-20 16:29 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Subject: FOR APPROVAL

For approval. Please see the text in yellow below. These will be statements attributed to you.

Cheers, Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

**From:** Anderson, Maryann GCPE:EX **Sent:** Friday, July 20, 2018 4:28 PM

To: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: RE: Media Request: Vancouver Courier

Hi,

Media request on the WWH Report.

Thanks

Reporter: Tracy Sherlock, Freelance journalist, <a href="mailto:tracy.sherlock@gmail.com">tracy.sherlock@gmail.com</a>

Outlet: Vancouver Courier Deadline: EOD Friday

Request:

I'm a freelance columnist writing for the Vancouver Courier. I am planning to write about What We Heard, the report on poverty for my next column. I wanted to ask if I could confirm something I read in the Vancouver Sun, which is this:

Q: Minister Simpson said his ministry will table legislation in October with targets and timelines for a plan, and that the money will be allocated in the February 2019 budget. Is this correct? When I interviewed the minister about this for an article in the National Observer in December, he told me that legislation would be tabled in Spring 2018. I was just wondering what has caused the delay.

In discussions with members of my Advisory Forum there was a strong consensus to include targets and timelines in the legislation that would hold government accountable.

I agreed, though it did mean that the legislation would take a little longer to complete. We now expect to introduce the Poverty Reduction legislation this fall and the strategy will follow.

Q: Also wondering if there has been any discussion about how much the budget for poverty reduction might be.

As work on the Poverty Reduction Strategy is underway, it's to early to speculate on what funding will be
required.

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 24, 2018 1:39 PM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: CLBC Posting

Sure

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 24, 2018, at 1:29 PM, Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX < Jayne. Ducker@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hi - do you want this link to go to all the MLAs? I can send it to each caucus for their distribution or to all the public emails.

Cheers, Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Lord, Michael SDPR:EX" < Michael.Lord@gov.bc.ca>

Date: July 23, 2018 at 3:49:32 PM PDT

To: "Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX" < Jayne.Ducker@gov.bc.ca >, "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"

<Leah.Squance@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: "Galbraith, David J SDPR:EX" < David.Galbraith@gov.bc.ca>, "Medgyesi, Mark S SDPR:EX"

<Mark.Medgyesi@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject: CLBC Board Directors Posting** 

Hi Jayne/Leah,

I wanted to let you know that the posting CLBC Board Directors is now up and can be found here.

Michael Lord, CPA, CA

Assistant Deputy Minister, Corporate Services Division, and Responsible for Community Living British Columbia Ministry of Social Development and Poverty Reduction 614 Humboldt St, 7<sup>th</sup> Floor | Victoria, BC | V8W 9R2 | (778) 698-7775

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 25, 2018 12:00 PM
To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Vancouver Native Health Society

Think I might try for a half hour

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-25 10:36 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Subject: FW: Vancouver Native Health Society

Morning. This is super last minute, it's for today from 10-2. It came in yesterday. Let me know if you want to pop by.

From: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 8:55 AM

To: Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX; Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: FW: Vancouver Native Health Society

Hey,

This came in end of day yesterday for today, send regrets?

Thanks, Val

From: Minister, SDPR SDPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 8:35 AM

**To:** McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX **Cc:** Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: FW: Vancouver Native Health Society

Morning Val,

BBQ invite for the minister for you below. It's very short notice, but forwarding for your review anyways.

Thanks!

Greg

Greg Visco 778 698-4835

From: Robyn Vermette [mailto:Robyn.Vermette@vnhs.net]

Sent: Tuesday, July 24, 2018 4:45 PM

To: Minister, SDPR SDPR:EX

Subject: Vancouver Native Health Society

Dear Minister,

The Vancouver Native Health Society will be holding its annual staff recognition BBQ at Trout Lake on Wednesday, July 25th from 10AM to 2PM. We would be pleased to have you join us if you are available. Sincerely,

Robyn Vermette Chief Operating Officer Vancouver Native Health Society

T: 604-254-9949 F: 604-254-9948 http://www.vnhs.net



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From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 25, 2018 12:58 PM
To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Community Inclusion work

All good

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-25 12:54 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Subject: RE: Community Inclusion work

I've asked Anne to put it into your calendar for 11am on Fri. Let me know if you'd rather a different time.

From: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 12:48 PM

To: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Subject: RE: Community Inclusion work

I'm at the office today but Tim needs to make some changes to the TOR after getting some feedback from Michael Prince, so I'd like to have that in hand before sitting down with you. Tim would like your sign off on it before you leave for Halifax. So, Friday then?

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, July 25, 2018 12:42 PM

To: Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: Community Inclusion work

Either Friday or this afternoon if you are in town. Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Tombs, Brenda SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-25 12:26 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"
Subject: Community Inclusion work

Hey,

I just had a very productive meeting with Tim Agg. I have a few things to go over with you, before next week since you'll be away. Can I carve out some time for us on Friday?

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 26, 2018 10:20 AM
To: McKnight, Valerie SDPR:EX

**Subject:** UBCM

Appears I have a 9am caucus meeting on the 10th in Whistler. Can you get me there for the day before. Thanks.

Sent from my iPad

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX Sent: July 26, 2018 12:43 PM

**To:** Hold - 181102 - Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX

Subject: Re: Wording

Looks good

Sent from my iPad

On Jul 26, 2018, at 12:06 PM, Ducker, Jayne SDPR:EX < Jayne. Ducker@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hi – are you okay with this going out to all the MLAs as discussed? Dear Colleagues,

I wanted to share an exciting opportunity for members of your community. Community Living British Columbia (CLBC) is looking for six new directors to sit on their governing board.

An application process has been established (click <u>here</u> for the details) and closes August 17, 2018. I would like to encourage you to share this opportunity with your constituents and if you have any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch with my office.

Sincerely,

Hon. Shane Simpson

Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction

A bit of background from the posting:

Community Living British Columbia ("CLBC") was established in 2005. It is a Crown corporation accountable to the provincial government through the Minister of Social Development and Poverty Reduction, mandated under the Community Living Authority Act (the "CLAA") to provide a range of supports and services that meet the disability-related needs of eligible adults with developmental disabilities and their families throughout British Columbia. CLBC works to create communities where people with developmental disabilities have more choices about how they live, work, and contribute.

Cheers,

Jayne

Jayne Ducker, Ministerial Assistant

Honourable Shane Simpson - Minister of Social Development & Poverty Reduction

m. 250-886-4585 w. 250-387-1499 e. jayne.ducker@gov.bc.ca

From: Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX
Sent: July 27, 2018 10:43 AM
To: Squance, Leah SDPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: Halifax

Ok

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

------ Original message -----From: "Squance, Leah SDPR:EX"
Date: 2018-07-27 10:13 (GMT-08:00)
To: "Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX"

Subject: Re: Halifax

Do you want to meet for lunch before we meet with David?

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2018, at 4:11 PM, Galbraith, David J SDPR:EX < David.Galbraith@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Sounds good, I'm on a red eye so there in the morning.

David Galbraith
Deputy Minister
Ministry of Social Development and
Poverty Reduction

On Jul 26, 2018, at 4:47 PM, Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX < Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Depending on when the two of you arrive. Let's find an hour on the 30th to talk about the meeting and to generally update on the state of affairs. Hope you have both enjoyed holidays. I am looking forward to it I must say.

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.