

DG list

- Homelessness coord unit → star metro article
- non-profit
- Year-end + communication to recipients
- Regional PRS summit proposal (Kewalstho)
- VCC request
- Translink
- Rent bank

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Withheld pursuant to/removed as

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Date April 17/19.

Karen Hunt - PG-Wechako Empl. Training Ctr (ISETS)
rent bank - Vincent Prince - Aboriginal Business Comm Dept Centre
Kristos - Aboriginal housing
Barb Ward - Burlitt - PG Friendship Centre

+ staff

- Vincent - v. small rent bank; recover approx 15% of funds

- Contract w/ Status of Women

→ self-empl benefit prog @ work BC - how it works → in 4 yrs only 1 successful applicant

→ had 30 loans, \$23k, last yr
- usual \$15k

→ turned down just over 30 applicants

→ most likely to approve ppl w/ kids, so mostly singles (men) who get turned down

→ ppl who come to rent bank are on verge of homelessness

→ self-empl ben prog → too many hoops to jump through + then even if do, have to get comm futures + jump thru more

Kristas - challenges w/ cnc btwn ministries
 - work relates to BC Housing
 - dulp's 50 townhouse → CEP possibilities

Barb - greater partnership needed w/ workBC
 - had been 0 engagement - all the Friendship Ctr clients are also clients of many other orgs - so partnerships are critical
 - used to be that PG/NFC + others had own emp't prgs + emp't cancellors
 - and when they come for, eg resume help, also accessed many other services so change to workBC model had a big impact
 - poverty is main issue for ppl coming thru the doors

- RFPs in SDPR → interest in multi-year funding
 ↳ their emp't + train prgs are thru AEST → all annualized funding

Karen - had an MOU w/ SDPR that Indigenous clients cld go straight to them instead of thru workBC → want that upheld.

- wld like to see relationships directly btwn
Indigenous ppl + SDPR → cld we try a pilot
btwn SDPR + this org - matched funding btwn
ISET5 + WorkBC so clients cld be served from
either pot of \$ @ same organization

① * - putting TRE + UNDRIP into action for urban
Indigenous people

- creating a federal equivalent to WorkBC on reserve
pre-empt thru Indigenous Services (da)

② whole new approach - relationship / partnership focused.

③ enhancement policy for ppl on IA getting work exp
can get more than \$100

(? - earnings exemptions?)

- eg if grant a "completion bonus" it gets
deducted.

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- RCI → public release prior to Inclusion BC conf
 - IB + stakeholder letter
 - follow-up from us?

- Social services roundtable - brief agenda items

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Assistive Tech - Telus - pilot in Oct 2018

- expanding across country
 - committed \$1m - 300k per yr / 3 yrs
 - + look learning for this year
- Lo Neil Squire (expansion etc)

- 2019 - 125-200 ppl to impact this yr
- using Neil Squire contacts to reach ppl w/ severe disabilities (esp mobility)

Vantage Point → wanting to be voice for
sector w/ govt

- lacking a process + accountability
w/in sector

- sees org as well-positioned to fill
broader gap

- lacking clear data that's up to date
↳ what is most useful + how to
keep going

↳ registries office - resource it +
provide access to data

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- capacity; where sit w/ province

- need govt wide strategy

- are we creating govt strat that
supports non-profit sector

- how can Vantage Point support the work we're
doing - facilitated event

GNPI → not resourced or clear accountability

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CoV - media or cheque -
staggering

- COA

- local supervisors first, Brenda last

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Date May 14/19

Advocis - voluntary org for financial advisors

- over 100 years old - started as act of parl. 1928
- 3000 members in BC

- changes coming to the industry - making financial advisors profession

- financial literacy + basic planning → dignity for ppl in low income

- want to credentialize the profession - set of standards

- want one regulatory body that oversees all related silos - insurance, mutual funds, etc.

- consumer protection issue - Manitoba underway etc., Ontario introducing now.

- Telus for Hood → push out to clients but
will look for better ways going forward

- ASB - SS - LWR

- WCH -

CFR - Leah email - Tues.

MSS notebook - Tues

91980 - Val emails - May 27

92056 - Tammy emails - June

MSS emails - May 28

91444 Cory emails May 29

PrTelus - Friday 17

Quotes NR - today

R.B - SN, quotes, KHS/MLA kit

SNs - Merpole NH

Inclusin BC

Date

DG - May 22

- SS on SRH - MSS call
- MAH MOU - min review

- working on work BC / friendship ctr. CAX.
- RC1 - mtg w/ new CFO, M Price, DG, MSS
(August)

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Date May 27

Upper Skarna Dulpt Centre - Christine

- ① - employment services - looking for community of practice
- ② - address division w/ subcontractors - give a voice @ the table
- ③ - rural/remote not defined as specialized group ^{inclusion}
- ④ - def. of sustainable employment - not broad enough to serve clientele
→ outcomes w/ current def - but what about things like community attachment
- invite MSS to the region

[procurement - 0 points for community ^{cnx} attachment in RFP
- new catchment really disadvantaged the community cnx that already existed

- subs denied participation in regional mtp when staff toured



Date May 29

Cdn Credit Unions Assoc.

- regulatory chg $\rightarrow$ diversity in sector, need reg to reflect
- like overall approach but need to be aware of details + how impact large + small CU's
- not call for less regulation - want predictable + capable to address

eg liquidity framework not same for \$50m CU as \$27b CU.

- impact of CC going federal $\rightarrow$ variety of largest than rest of.

- all CUs across Cdn combined = $\frac{1}{5}$ RBC

- looking for Ficom to be based on principles that allow to scale - rather than prescriptive
- more transparent accountability (crown corp)
- want board to reflect CU experience (bc so diff from other FI's)

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For Amber
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- I drive
- FOIs / records clean up
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Leanne List - Regional Director
Virtual - 25 indiv.

James, MSS

MSS

- fallout - mill closures
- WORKBC - engage CEP.
- community devel. model - proponent.

↳ invite them when we're on the road. Get them to pull people on project together.

Qs - from MSS

- persp. on what they do / challenge
- strengths / weakn in deliv
- engage community to identify best approach
- risks as we move forward

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- ~~what~~ programs flexible - to incl. more partic.
- eg. EI elig indiv. comb. w/ not EI elig. || Fed piece?
- expand eligibility
- create projects inter-ministry?
- MSS - negot. greater flex. around EI.
- need to do more. Had disc. w/ Min Devels.
- look @ outcomes vs. outputs
- ↳ sustained.

90% from Feds

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- ^{want to} incl. people on inc. assist.
- more challenge to find partic. sign of success but would like to recruit more.
- strong mandate to get to YES on any applic.
- ↳ one of the few that work w/ applicants.

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~~Urban market unemployment~~

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- state of labour mark. unemp. low.

- less people but those we see req. more time.
 Focusing attention on:
 - PWD, single moms escap. viol., opport. for Ind.
 recent immigr.

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MSS - hopeful we can find ways.

- can argue that we need the flexib.
 too many fall thru cracks.

~~Urban market unemployment~~

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- CEP CAPA

- other minist. (Adv Ed) target employ. too.
 Have LMA ^{elaborate market?} funds, too

PBLNT

- great to strengthen links betw minist.
 @ grassroots level.

MSS - Adv Ed has different flex. - buy/supp.
 seats for training.

Have efforts been made to make those
 connections but haven't worked?

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- maybe being made @ ED level?

MSS - ^{connects w} local colleges? + regional univ.

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- rec. focus on comm. enjaf. - starting
 to build those connections.

MSS planned
 to see this being
 built.

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one example

- worked w/ college to present project.

@ approx. writing stage. college called
 + had talked to work Be. + Inspite ^{Page of}

sync. on particⁱ pants - joining to other project wh.
 duplicat. Adv. Ed funded. Didn't know about i
 - had to scramble - able to move intake to
 Ft. Nelson.

- need to collaborate

MSS - will start convo @ high level. S/B doing
 better job of exchang. info.

- try to impr. comms.

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- excel. exper. w/ inter-minist. collab.

- forestry + communit. in transit.

MSS - good working relationship - resources to communit that get hit.
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- focus shift to quality vs. quantity.

LMP - ↑ need in commun. w/ transit.

↳ labour market studies.

MSS - we'll get some of the info. Interested
 in it.

Prov. planning
 same?

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MSS - food secur + transp - import. parts of
 poverty & plan.

city of V - living wage
 employer contractors, etc.

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- 7 bands - okanagan. Research proj. Transp.
 2 huge issue. Any work we can do w/
 Fed colleagues? Strength. transp. networks
 in more rural areas.

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 Min
 Transp
 ongoing
 convo
 w/ Fed
 count.

check w/ Alex M.

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Food security project.

Cowichan Green Community

- groceries throw out lots of produce.

sort thru food on daily basis. Take to

food banks. Marginal - process - soups, stocks, preserves. ^{too far gone} Donate to local farmer.

SOC. Ent. component.

people can go + shop + not feel stigmatized.

MSS - similar to Mustard Seed (collect fr. 11 Thriftys).

- has met w/ Ellen Clark/Pattison Group + Sobty's.

Terrace ♀

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- had quest. abil. to expand mental health + addict. liaison role

MSS - stay tuned. working w/ us.

* Min Darcy will be out talking about it (s'thing signif. to say).

MSS:

in next few weeks.

* happy to do again in 6 mos. (elm KD)

MSS - #2B mental health # - most in health, she only has #76M.

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push the duplication issue. how do we improve communication + efforts

MSS: these are Comm. Devel. workers w/ resources.

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Vivica Ellis

Brenda Tombs

Heather McCain

~~Krista~~ Krystal Cheema

Lynne Stone

VE

- campaign come from community.
- accessing transit a challenge.
- lack of automat. to ticketing.

1) Free transit 0 to 18

2) sliding scale pass based on income

3) ticketing DO NO term policies

4) - intro. automat. to ticketing for adults.
(\$370 - flat).

started focus on Translink, but provincial focus
(53 systems)

HM ~~(Kittling)~~ started off in 2005

- change in bus program (bus pass). ↑ burden
- transportation allows people to participate in community, work, family, etc.
- social isolation

KC - Britannia - had a bus pass program until
~2014. Attendance went down.

BIGGER GOAL

(needs to be seen as)

vision - transit an essential public service
currently commodity +
- user fee based.

TogetherBC - JCK as something that has not
yet been addressed.

Victoria pilot - positive

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- Ensuring that ~~at~~^{at} ~~all~~ ^{at}-risk population can access.
- costs to province - seniors call EMS - lonely.
 - people missing medical appts - end up in hosp.

trying to clean BC

Accomplishments

- pre-muni campaign. Got candid. to endorse ^{All on Board} campaign. Followed up post-election.
- funding for summit on transportation equity.
- motion to UBCM.
- gathering stories to demons. impact.
- innovation in Cranbrook - link to leisure access pass (for low-income).

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Suzanne, Joe, Meeting w/ PIB - social develop. Date June 26th
~~was~~ Cricket (soc dev director)

Footprints - employm services to PWD (on + off resene)

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~~was~~ Andy - since 2003.

Neil Squire Society partnership.

33 wage subsidies

60 drop-in / mo

5-7 / class - ~ 5 times / year

MSS: How do we build that rel'ship that makes sense?

- employment?

: Hub model in A'ford (one-stop) + ^{ministry} agencies

: Foundry model - youth centres

↳ Cricket - PIB youth don't access it.

- cultural disconnect. Not safe for our youth.

+ social dev
- own health centre more successful

SJ: computh. community plan.

: food security - import. of housing

▷ don't have specific youth crisis worker

- Friendship Centre - also not really targeting Indig. youth.

NAME (Joan Phillip?)

♀ 1982 - 40 houses built - made all the difference

SJ: would like support

MSS: talked to BC Housing?

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↳ Joe - challenge - need infras.
in place. Process - Land
use planning. Don't have
subdiv. ^{devel.} in the same way.
- we have the land, particlar
was the need.

Cricket - income assistance - in town

only covered for verified costs on resene.

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PIR - largest in province

⊗ what we heard

MSS: MCFD min - support for youth init.
cricet - directors' level - family pres chv)

MAH - role of prov. to help support init.

Fed port matches our increases MIR - Date if them know

- but more complicated.

pub

why the difference betw town + resort?

ST: identified inequity.

MSS: discuss. w/ Declos

: asked for data that Feds collect.

Cricet:

PIB needs to be able to have convo.

w/ Penticton city council

MSS: room for convo w/ Stan Ramsey @

BC Housing? can open that door



Joe: city of Penticton is enjoying. Have the minute from council.

: Affordability also means home ownership

challenge not just social housing.

⊗ : policy bit before we get to the capital bit.

- will have to incl. Feds as well.

- land designation.

hammer out protocol system. w/ city -

involve Regional District.

: need access to septic

: mayor + council want to play ball.

Joan ^{Fortis} two-tier billing - not ^{people} paying rent to band

(in order to pay heat.

ST: directive by province.

MSS: homelessness count - suspect closer to 10,000

(1)

ST: support our youth - crisis worker

(2) policy work + planning w/ Penticton - housing

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Terry / Kim - staff
(ED)

-chamber & in Biz
-facilit. mtg. secretary

Dale, Marlene T, Nicole C, Valerie, chelsea

ED - Friendship centre

Matthew, Lisa, Donna F, Anthony, Rob, Joseph, Andrew - city,

(social enterp) F. cent. on DPA

John V - mayor (involv. in supplying housing - seniors + some young people).

Brain injury ED & Linda(?)

EC Dev officer

Meeting w/ Penticton chamber of commerce / city

Date June 26th

MSS: how do we build this partnership?

John V: #1 concern @ city hall - crime + safety

- needles (just met w/ Interior Health).

- can't seem to talk to who is in charge of distrib. Not syst passing out needles.

~167,000 needles/year. 90 to 95% collected

- city has hired people to collect needles.
Need people w/ authority who can commit.

Valerie - construction company. Need help to gauge safety of a construct. site to employ. PWD.

MSS: Pres. Group - can help w/ assessing

- consultant
- prov support - Neil Squire soc - support assist. tech.

- work BC centres can prov. support (colleen Sanford)

Brain & - asked question from Linda(?)

about grant - homelessness. (SPARC BC).

100 More Homes Penticton - ad hoc group

- group of volunt. would be happy to clean up needles.
- even better if paid thru a grant.

MSS: CEP - 1 year; will connect w/ local resource to discuss applic. + criteria

need to build on scale of community.

Rob - Interior Health change - PACE program ended

such a valuable + innovative program.

- prov'l model of ~62 units. Penticton has more duplexes + 4-plexes.
(make locations difficult to find.

MSS: up in 6 mos - very quick.

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GOLDEN THREE:

Matthew: mental health, addictions, brain injury.
only one day + alcohol counsellor

Lisa: Fed min of tourism.

↳ failed to address social enterprise/inclusion

Anthony - communities futures

- moving pots of \$ around - always have to realign.
- 36% budget shortfall b/c of changes to work BC.
- how are those decs made? Different btw. big cities + rural.

MSS - tier system - 3 + 4 wouldn't touch - wouldn't get paid. Need more case management.
core \$ @ front end + then performance-based.

⊗ - hope to sort out over next few months.

Anthony - make it easier for orgs to know how to access \$.

MSS - posit in ministry to work on an ongoing basis to make sure it's working.

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Meeting w/ Mayor Stewart + Anita Z

Date July 2nd

Translink \$50M - PWD passes

Not funding teenagers - not ~~SPD~~ SDPR

who?

when?

pressures on usage - not likely our PWD clients.

MKS -

MSS -

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⊗ paying @ discounted rate for everyone's cards?

MSS: SROs - SDPR likely pays 90% of rents
: ↑ assist by \$100. Rents went up...

MKS:

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MSS: min. standard. Falls under city (enforcement).
: draw circle - Downtown East Side.
: \$400M going into community. Need to get better value.
- many NPOs.

SDPR, MCFD - 2000 NPOs
MKS CFD some SOL Gen oys + 10,000 contracts

MSS:

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what can we do to have more coherent sense
of what's going on in the downtown? s.13

- work w/ city + key oys MSS.

1) where are we @?

2) where might we want to go realistically?

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Anita - start @ ~~local~~ ministry level - policy

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MKS: ~44% of people in homelessness count not on
the street for longer than 2 year.
flu w/ Anita

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MSK - need 'shound' ~ 1000 modular ^{Date} year

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- to capture people in the gaps.

MSK: \$300M - MAH + Feds . s.13

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⊗ letter on cheque day issue coming.

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CC
social
initiatives

Heather McCain
Catherine
Adrienne
Lorraine

SPEI
Caring parent
employment
initiative).

Basic
Income

David Groen
Reese Resseman
Lindsay

- MSS does
+ work will
be made public
ON had committed
to share results of their pilot.

July 3rd

Policy changes - Kinross House

want to see new pieces
in writing.

(P 36/37 Together BC)

PPMB - application

schedule C? nutritional
review supplements

- Qs of storage.

MSS - need to be
flexible

comm plan? way to assist in sharing news?

organ. seminar - have staff come in. translate

1) moving allowance - place MSS? 3 estimates?

2) annualized earning exemption

3) RWD appl. - doctors

1) CPP clawback?

- patient fee to pay

2) kid turns 3 - must look for work as single parent

to divo, etc.
just to get in follow
up

move up to 5

CPP-D clawback

3) school start up fees
need to be raised for single parents.

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under
review

- MSS: happy to review

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need continuing convos cross-ministry on
preventing kids going into system.

1) work search - should be up.

4) 73 person team - access

community
integration

2) transient - NFA - don't get shelter amt.

even 3 weeks - disrespectful

job search requirement

store

security deposits - sharing a bathroom - disqualified

infestations

will look into it

- research project

culture change

transient category - also misunderstood.

Housing - intent to rent form - streamline? MSS - good point

people lining up - inaccessible. MSS - has been discussed.

taught a lot about how
to support tenants.

- providing more supports

to people w/ mental health + addictions.

(Together BC)



TRANSLATE

MSS:

- no plans
- no prov
does it.
- other
implications

Meeting w/ Rick Fitzgerald

away month of September

Date July 16th

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- univ. childcare, PRS, MH A framework
 - need healthy community health + social services sector to fulfill
 - how do we strengthen this together?
 - to ensure success of govt priorities.

- RT was very neces.

- CEO Network

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- procurement ^{process} needs to be as fast as possible.
 - Rick mtg w/ E+Y.
 - good direction. Just need time to implem. Has to happen.
- Framework - ^{from} mtg in July - work on it in August.
- sector is fragile
 - agencies closing doors in small towns.