

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 29, 2017 7:17 AM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Check Against: Include everything?

Probably leave them out

On Sep 29, 2017, at 5:57 AM, McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena, do you think I should include the all the jokes in our check against copy, or leave them out?

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 5:26 PM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Pot legalization plan on agenda for Trudeau's meeting with premiers next week - Politics - CBC News

Hey Okenge,

I had CBC Ottawa contact me this afternoon about the Prime Minister's office confirming that cannabis legalization will also be on the agenda on Tuesday (article attached). Have you heard anything about this?

CBC seemed very interested in what aspects of legalization BC wants to bring up, since we are seen as one of the more prominent provinces when it comes to marijuana.

I'm wondering if you have heard this, and if so if we can provide the Premier with information in his binder on this topic.

<http://www.cbc.ca/beta/news/politics/marijuana-pot-cannabis-first-ministers-meeting-agenda-1.4311926>

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 4:22 PM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UBCM Speech - Copies for Media

We usually provide paper copies

On Sep 28, 2017, at 4:01 PM, McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Jen or Sheena can weigh in on recent years, but in the past we would provide paper copies to attending reporters at major speeches. Only happened a few times a year from what I remember. Our choice may also depend on how closely we expect the delivery to match the speech copy.

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 10:30 AM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UBCM Speech - Copies for Media
What's precedent?

Sage
Sent from my mobile device

On Sep 28, 2017, at 10:15 AM, McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Are we providing printed copies of the Premier's speech to attending media?
This will affect our timing for when the speech is finalized today/tonight.

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 1:03 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Modular Housing Materials

Since PJH will have just scrummed at UBCM I don't want him to be part of a scrum (if there is one)

On Sep 28, 2017, at 9:07 AM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Yes, thanks.

Sage

Sent from my mobile device

On Sep 28, 2017, at 8:59 AM, Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

PJH will need a brief on this today as well as speaking notes to review.
Sage – I have speech prep for you both from 4 – 5 today – I can stretch this to include time for briefing on the announcement and speaking note review. Will this work?

From: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 12:21 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Jones, JJ GCPE:EX; Hagglund, Jarrett GCPE:EX
Subject: Modular Housing Materials

Hi all,

Here are proposed materials for the Modular Housing announcement on Friday.
Sorry this is so late. My laptop has been an epic disaster this evening.
In addition to the Ministry's News Release, Q&A's and Event Plan, there are photos of the venue:

- "Modular Media Shot" is roughly the backdrop that I think should be behind the speakers on Friday, looking at the short side of the unit with the long side visible.
- "Modular Banner" is a banner that is currently on the long side, that I would like to move to the short side so it is more visible in the shot of the announcement.
- "Modular Interior 1 & 2" are two shots of the interior of the unit, essentially looking in opposite directions inside the unit.

It is right on the corner of Robson and Howe, in the part of Robson square adjacent to that intersection. Note it will likely be raining, but the City will bring a tent covering for media.

I am hoping that we are ok without a phone in line, and we need to decide about a scrum – the City and BC Housing were both confident that there will be questions.

As for the agenda, contrary to the Event Plan, I think it is:

- Minister Simpson as MC welcomes everyone
- Premier Horgan (3-4 mins)
- Minister Robinson (3-4 mins)
- Mayor Robertson (3-4 mins)

- Possibly the Mayor of Smithers (need to check with the Ministry about this since it isn't in the Event plan but was mentioned by multiple people today)(3-4 mins)
- Minister Simpson closes
- Speakers do tour of demo modular home unit with cameras
- Possible scrum, back at the microphone

Minister Simpson's CD was keen today to have him also be a speaker rather than MC, so we may want to consider that – we could also have him speak and serve as an MC, especially given it would mean adding only three minutes. We can also just proceed with him as MC only. And let me know what you think about the scrum – we could also scrum at the mic before moving and then do the tour, but I like it the other way better. And of course we could not have a scrum at all, since he will have just come from doing one, but BC Housing and the City are in favour.

Let me know what you think

Thanks

Rick

Rick Devereux

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 28, 2017 11:19 AM
To: Noel Muller
Subject: Re: Congratulatory Message for the Premier

Thanks Noel, great to see you again too!

I will pass this on to the premier :)

> On Sep 28, 2017, at 9:02 AM, Noel Muller <Muller@sechelt.ca> wrote:
>
> Hello Sheena,
>
>
> it was great to see you again last night!
>
> It must be so exciting to be working on this great project we call BC
> at such a high level! I can only imagine how thrilled you all are.
>
>
> I wanted to relay a congratulatory message to John (I have so far been
> unable to get through):
>
> Dear Mr. Horgan, Premier of British Columbia,
>
> I can't thank you enough for the outstanding leadership you have shown
> this year by working together, across party lines, to form a new
> government that will truly work for British Columbians.
>
> It's a dream that we shared together four years ago, by fate and a
> chance meeting. That dream became reality, and I couldn't be happier.
>
> You did what many thought was impossible. By doing so, you have
> created a new opportunity for BC, and set a clear positive example for others to follow.
>
> We're truly sailing in new political seas as a Province, and we have
> much to be optimistic about as progressives.
>
> I understand that your new position requires bringing different
> perspectives together to chart a new path forward. There is much work
> ahead to bring this opportunity to full fruition.
>
> I would do anything in my power to help this Province move forward.
>
> If I can be of any service to this project at any point of the future,
> please do not hesitate to be in touch.
>
> Best of luck in what lies ahead,
>
> your friend,
>
>

> Noel Muller
> Councillor - District of Sechelt
> muller@sechelt.ca
> 604-700-4159
>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 4:37 PM
To: Parkinson, Elizabeth PREM:EX
Subject: Re: MP Christina Moore

Hmm I remember but I was not the one to take the pictures. Maybe Kate did?

On Sep 27, 2017, at 4:33 PM, Parkinson, Elizabeth PREM:EX <Elizabeth.Parkinson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena,

Do you remember when Christina Moore came by in the summer s.22 I think
you may have taken pictures with John? She has contacted the office asking if she can have copies. If
you have some can you send them to me?

Thanks,

Elizabeth Parkinson

Office of the Premier

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E-mail: elizabeth.parkinson@gov.bc.ca

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 4:35 PM
To: McNish, James EMPR:EX
Subject: Re: Photo w/ Premier/MMM/MSR and Community

Hey James! That shouldn't be a problem. Probably best bet is to assemble by the stage so you can get him right as he finishes his remarks.

On Sep 27, 2017, at 3:12 PM, McNish, James EMPR:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena,

Minister Mungall is hoping to arrange a quick photo with her community of Salmo presenting a community jacket to Premier Horgan and Minister Robinson. Is it possible to have this happen between 5-6 at the government reception?

Thanks

-James

2508127036

Ministerial Assistant to:
The Honourable Michelle Mungall
Minister for Energy, Mines, and Petroleum Resources
(How did this text get so big!?)

Sent from my iPhone

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 11:48 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: interview request with Premier

I would agree with that

On Sep 27, 2017, at 11:06 AM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I don't mind the idea of a nationally focused piece, but I just can't see when he'd have time on Friday.

Unless we bumped the speech prep, which I really don't think would be a good idea.

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 10:49 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: interview request with Premier
Thoughts?

Begin forwarded message:

From: Janet Silver <janet.silver@globalnews.ca>
Date: September 27, 2017 at 10:22:51 AM PDT
To: "Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: re: interview request with Premier

Sheena,

Just following up on my earlier email. We would like to talk to Premier Horgan on the show this week. Again The West Block, the national Sunday morning program on Global TV, tapes on Fridays so this is an interview we would need to do by 15:30 et. This would be a one on one interview discussing among other things, what he hopes to get out of the First Ministers meeting in Ottawa next week.

The interview would run about 6-7 minutes and I would work with you to find the most suitable location.

Thank-you in advance for your time and assistance, I look forward to your reply.

Cheers,

Janet E. Silver

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 27, 2017 9:55 AM
To: Jones, JJ GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: JJH's media avail on friday

Twenty minutes?

> On Sep 27, 2017, at 9:52 AM, Jones, JJ GCPE:EX <JJ.Jones@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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> How long do you think we should set aside in plans for JJH's media avail post-speech?

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 10:23 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: interview request with Premier

This question has been coming up lately with John and MCJ on the small business tax changes. I think we need a consistent answer

Begin forwarded message:

From: Janet Silver <janet.silver@globalnews.ca>
Date: September 26, 2017 at 10:17:02 AM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena" <Sheena.McConnell@leg.bc.ca>, "Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: re: interview request with Premier

Sheena,
Hope you are well. I am reaching out on behalf of Global National News and the Sunday morning program, The West Block.
First in terms of GN....what is Premier Horgan's position in terms of the proposed tax changes for small businesses? Does he support the federal government's proposals? If not, is there anything he is planning to do if the federal government goes ahead with these changes?
Now in terms of The West Block...the Premier will be here in Ottawa next week for First Minister's meeting, during that time would he be available for an interview with The West Block? (When exactly is he in Ottawa?)
Thanks Sheena for your time and assistance, I look forward to your reply.
Cheers
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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 26, 2017 10:08 AM
To: Lindsay de Leeuw
Subject: Re: Communications Contacts for COF Meeting

No problem! My official title is Press Secretary to the Premier and my number is 250-886-8587.

On Sep 26, 2017, at 10:06 AM, Lindsay de Leeuw <lindsay@canadaspremiers.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena,

In preparation for the Premiers' meeting next week, I am putting together a list of communications contacts. Could you please provide me with your cell number in case we need to reach you on-site next week?

Also, will you please confirm your official title with me?

Thank you!

Lindsay de Leeuw

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 22, 2017 11:00 AM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

It looks like we aren't doing the media portion. See below.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 22, 2017 at 10:14:26 AM PDT
To: "Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX" <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>, "Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX" <Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca>, "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX" <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Ok, regrets.

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, September 22, 2017 9:45 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Definitely seems strange. Elena and I were just discussing this in a bit more detail. It sounds like the Mayor isn't attending, nor is Minister Wilson-Raybould. And Elena is on the phone now trying to confirm all this.

Minister Fraser is confirmed, so we will have representation from our Gov.

We don't know which media are attending, I don't think they have let media know yet.

I think it would be fine if we sent regrets to this.

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 21, 2017 10:28 PM
To: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Thank you. This seems a little strange, no? Will the media only be asking about the reconciliation walk? Do we know what media will be there?

From: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 21, 2017 4:48 PM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Sorry, I forgot to include that the speakers listed below are confirmed except for Minister Wilson-Raybould (still deciding) and one of the chiefs.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 21, 2017, at 4:37 PM, Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX <Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi all,

I finally got some details on this. It turns out the idea is for more an informal mix and mingle set up where media can find VIPs in the room for 1 on 1 interviews. The

organizer said she would see if it's possible to do the avail more like a presser with the speakers all standing together in a group answering questions one at a time if that's preferred. Thoughts?

Thanks,
Elena

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 19, 2017, at 2:13 PM, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
<Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Ok based on this list the Premier will do the scrum at 8:30! I will be staffing him because of the media aspect.

From: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 1:20 PM

To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Hi all,

My understanding from my conversation with the organizer yesterday was that the media avail will be taking place in one of the salon rooms at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre adjacent to the VIP salon. Participants will not be giving opening remarks so there's no set order for speakers – they will just be in a group available for questions. I'm not certain how many mics will be in place. I can follow up about that and get back to you.

The following speakers have been requested to attend the availability – I can check in with the organizers about this too and find out who has confirmed:

- Premier
- Minister Fraser (confirmed)
- Chief Robert Joseph, Founder of Reconciliation Canada
- Tsleil-Waututh Nation representative (TBC)
- Minister Jody Wilson-Raybould
- Mayor Gregor Robertson
- Chris Lewis, Squamish Nation representative
- Chief Wayne Sparrow, Musqueam Nation
- Chief Ian Campbell, Squamish Nation
- Karen Joseph, CEO Reconciliation Canada

Thanks,
Elena

Elena Banfield | Event Coordinator

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From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 1:06 PM

To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Hi folks,

Sheena and I discussed. Could we get a little more clarity on the 830 group media avail – would they all be at the same mic? In a group? And who are the other speakers?

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 12:39 PM

To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

That's totally your call. The only thing is that they have organized an avail with all the other speakers. But we can send regrets to that and just say no media. Let me know.

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 12:25 PM

To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Because its banning big money this week and ubcm next week, Im wary to put him into a scrum on Sunday. Just my personal thoughts. Cant they just get imagery of him?

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 12:23 PM

To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX

Subject: Media at Walk for Reconciliation

Hi Sage and Sheena,

The Premier is attending the Walk for Reconciliation on Sunday. I wanted to ask your thoughts on media avail at the event.

The event organizers have a media avail set for 8:30am with all the speakers/dignitaries. There's no set format or plan for this, they just plan to have them all there and available to media. The other option would be that he arrives around 9am for the walk and we try to do a scrum later in the event - maybe after the walk where everyone is gathered for speeches or even after his speech.

9:15/9:30am Premier arrives on site, VIP tent

9:45am walk begins

2km (approx. 25 mins)

10:15am Arrive at reconciliation expo site, hold in VIP tent with other speakers

Live music performances while the walk is finishing

***could scrum here, at the expo, backdrop would be all the people finishing the walk*

10:30am Speeches begin

11:30am Premier speaks

11:40am Premier exits stage (other speeches continue)

***could scrum here (would have to find a spot away from the stage, so as not to be disrespectful and distracting to the other speakers)*

Let me know what you think.

Thanks,

Joleen

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Joleen Badger | Manager, Event Services

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 22, 2017 10:47 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Monday, September 25th - Firefighters Ops 101

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Nash, Amber PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 22, 2017 at 9:58:46 AM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>, s.17
s.17
Subject: Monday, September 25th - Firefighters Ops 101

Here's the plan for the firefighters.

Vancouver Training Center - 1330 Chess Street, Vancouver
12:30pm to 2:00pm

Contact:

Gord Ditchburn – President, BC Professional Firefighters Assn
Cell – 604-916-7110

Other attendees (for full course, not shortened one with the Premier):

Minister Bains

Minister Farnworth

MOS Kahlon

Minister Fleming

The event is open to media, but they will be kept in the observers area.

Don Craig – Government Photographer will be taking pictures throughout the event.

Agenda

12:30pm Premier arrives, they will get him suited up

Then there will be a short briefing and he'll be put in a group of 4 (names of the others tbc)

1:00pm Drills begin

NOTE: they will be led through all of the drills by a firefighter who will give instructions and ensure safety

- A. They will be led into a burning building, carrying a hose, turn the hose on and put out the fire
-this is a safe exercise, they have assured me the participants are in no dangers, the building is structurally sound, etc
- B. Cut open a car using tools
- C. Put out a car fire

2:00pm Drills end, the Premier can take off the equipment and depart

Spoke with Sheena and will add the Firefighters reception that evening to calendar.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 21, 2017 5:08 PM
To: Marc Andrew
Subject: Re: Invite (and hello :))

Marc!

s.22

I will pass this on to the scheduler and see what I can do. It's during session which makes it a little more difficult, but looks like you have a great lineup so far (or maybe I'm biased because I'm a Tamara and Carole fan).

Anyways, if you don't hear back from the Premier's office in the next few weeks don't hesitate to follow up with me.

Sheena
250-886-8587

On Sep 21, 2017, at 9:53 AM, Marc Andrew <marc@cityage.org> wrote:

Dear Sheena!

s.22

This is my latest project - not sure it's a possibility but would be great have the Premier there. And that means you'd come to! The print version of this will arrive from Rideau Hall shortly...

Dear Premier Horgan,

I would like to invite you to speak at the inaugural edition of Innovate Now Canada in Vancouver on October 30 & 31, 2017.

Innovate Now Canada is a partnership between the Rideau Hall Foundation and CityAge. Its goal is to bring together Canadians to develop the tools and strategies to foster a culture of innovation in the country, something that is essential to build a strong Canada.

I believe you can offer valuable insight and advice, as well as enjoy connecting to the multi-disciplinary group of 250 leaders who will be at Innovate Now Canada.

We have copied Marc Andrew and Miro Cernetig on this invitation, who are our partners in organizing this event. They will be in touch with your office with further information. We hope you can join us in Vancouver.

Kind regards,

H.E. David Johnston
Governor-General of Canada

Marc Andrew
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@CityAge

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 9:20 PM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Walk for Reconciliation

Nothing formal has been arranged yet, so I think this is a great idea.

On Sep 19, 2017, at 9:16 PM, Oreck, Mira PREM:EX <Mira.Oreck@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sheena –

I understand you are staffing the Premier at the Walk for Reconciliation. I think it would be great to have the Premier walk with Chief Bobby Joseph – at least at the start of the walk. If nothing formal has been arranged yet, please let me know so we can arrange it with Reconciliation Canada. I know that Anne Marie Sam will also be attending the Walk and I would to suggest we invite her to walk with the Premier.

Thanks,

Mira

Mira Oreck, Director of Stakeholder Relations

Office of the Premier

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 6:19 PM
To: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Cc: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Hardin, Karl GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Pacific centre Family Services

I can't tell if you are joking or not....

On Sep 19, 2017, at 6:18 PM, Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I notice that this was added to the calendar. Keep in mind for this and all future ribbon cuttings, I have a giant pair of scissors that can be used.

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 1:24 PM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: RE: UBCM

The Premier. There are no other media events to my knowledge

From: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 1:22 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: RE: UBCM

Hi,

There are other media events throughout the week – or do you mean specifically for the Premier?

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 19, 2017 1:21 PM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: UBCM

Hi folks,
I don't think there are any other media events. I'm checking with you both to make sure this is so.

Sage

Sent from my mobile device

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX" <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 19, 2017 at 10:36:46 AM PDT
To: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: UBCM

Hi Sage,

Amber needs to start scheduling the meetings for the Premier. Can you let me know asap if there are any other media events/avails during the week of UBCM (other than the one right after his speech on Friday)?

Thanks,
Joleen

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 5:04 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: UBCM

Hi Sage,

Following up on our conversation, here's the summary of what we discussed. Also, please note that this is in the EAST building, not the west as I was previously told. Sorry about that, I will send you an updated sketch.

Government of BC Reception

Ballrooms A & B, East Convention Centre
5-6:30pm

Setup:

16" H stage (8x12)
Podium with microphone
"Partnerships for a better BC" podium art
Blue draping behind podium
Large screen on side wall with static slide "Partnerships for a Better BC"

Agenda:

5:00pm – doors open
5:15/5:30pm – Premier arrives
Time TBC - Premier's remarks
-need to confirm time of speech, how long and who introduces him
6:30pm – Event ends

Speech to UBCM

Friday, 11am
Exhibition Hall A

10:40am Premier arrives in s.15
- Final speech prep

11:00am Premier introduced by tbc – incoming President (Wendy Booth) or outgoing President (Murry Krause)
-details TBC on how we would like him introduced

11:03am Premier enters Exhibition Hall A
s.15
-Music?

11:05am Premier arrives on stage, walks to podium

Set up
-speak from the podium
-backdrop: municipal flags, black draping
-Two large screens flanking either side of the stage (imeg)
-one screen behind the podium above the flags (static slide, tbc)

11:35am Premier concludes speech
11:36am Incoming or outgoing president thanks Premier
-Premier exits to s.15

Media avail following speech

Exhibition Hall B

11:40am Premier will exit to backstage and hold in s.15
-Sage/Sheena/Jen to brief Premier

11:58am Premier walks to Exhibition Hall B

12:00pm Media avail begins

Setup:

Podium with microphone

Backdrop: Partnerships for a Better BC (large backdrop from trade expo)

Podium art tbc – Partnerships one colour?

Other

TBC – other media avails or media events (need this to know what time is available to schedule Premier's meetings)

Joleen Badger | Manager, Event Services
Government Communications and Public Engagement
604-916-3551

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 18, 2017 11:43 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd:

Can you print out s.22 information for John so he can Intro him in QP?

Begin forwarded message:

From: Keith Baldrey <Keith.Baldrey@globalnews.ca>
Date: September 18, 2017 at 11:41:36 AM PDT
To: "'McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX'" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>

Hi Sheena
Well you guys made s.22 day! He's so excited! Thanks a ton!
So here is the info:
s.22

Keith Baldrey, Legislature Bureau Chief, Global BC News
Global News, a division of Corus Entertainment Inc.
T: 250-387-1572 **C:** 250-360-7658
E: Keith.Baldrey@globalnews.ca



Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 18, 2017 9:10 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Monday Q&A & revised news release
Attachments: QA - Election Amendment Act 2017_revised 17SEPT17.docx; ATT00001.htm; NR - Election Amendment Act 2017 - 16SEPT17 DRAFT_GCPErevised2.docx; ATT00002.htm

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 17, 2017 at 12:11:24 PM PDT
To: s.17 "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>, "Dewar, Bob PREM:EX" <Bob.Dewar@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>, "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Monday Q&A & revised news release

Hello all –

Attached are the Q&As and a revised NR.

The much improved NR elevates the historic nature of the legislation, rearranges some the highlights into bullets and pulls out the restrictions on donations since May 9th into its own paragraph.

Let me know of any changes.

Sage Aaron, Communications Director

Office of the Premier | Government of BC

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, September 16, 2017 9:54 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Softwood messaging - scenarios

Hey Geoff, here's Jason's suggestions if we still want to put something about softwood in the Premiers UBCM speech.

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Fisher, Jason FLNR:EX" <Jason.Fisher@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 13, 2017 at 8:32:46 AM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: **Softwood messaging - scenarios**

Hi Sheena,

Further to our discussion yesterday, I've been thinking about the comms scenarios that may need to take place. The message will need to be different depending on the outcomes:

- Prior to final determinations (no later than Nov. 14th)
s.13,s.16
 - While we are hopeful that reason will prevail and we can reach a settlement, we are prepared and unafraid to take our case to appeal.
- After final determinations if rates are same or higher
s.13,s.16
- After final determination if rates are lower
s.13,s.16
- After final determination if the responsibility for the file is transferred back to USTR
s.13,s.16



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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, September 16, 2017 9:51 AM
To: Fisher, Jason FLNR:EX
Subject: Re: Wuikinuxv Forestry op ed

Done!

On Sep 16, 2017, at 9:38 AM, Fisher, Jason FLNR:EX <Jason.Fisher@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena,

The Premier asked for this in his meeting with Interfor yesterday. Could you please forward it to him? I don't have Mira's contact info.

Jf

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: Karen Brandt <karen.brandt@interfor.com>
Date: September 15, 2017 at 6:38:00 PM PDT
To: "jason.fisher@gov.bc.ca" <jason.fisher@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Wuikinuxv Forestry op ed

Jason, the Premier indicated he would like to see this op-ed. Could you please forward it to the Premier and Mira? Thanks and have a great weekend.

Karen

<http://vancouver.sun.com/opinion/op-ed/opinion-first-nations-and-forestry-a-growing-collaboration>

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 4:44 PM
To: McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Looping you in -FW: For final review/approval - MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster

I'm fine with it. Approved

On Sep 15, 2017, at 4:39 PM, McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Needing sign off from PO - see below

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX" <Dana.Carruthers@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 15, 2017 at 4:36:49 PM PDT
To: "McGregor, Cara GCPE:EX" <Cara.McGregor@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Horlor, Shannon GCPE:EX" <Shannon.Horlor@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Looping you in -FW: For final review/approval - MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster

Hi Cara and Shannon - still no response from the PO on this one and I am leaving in 25 min or so.

Just wanted to give you the heads up.

Also, will send another note to let them know when I am leaving so that Shannon does not get missed if they approve :)

Cheers,

Dana

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

From: Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 4:23 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: FW: For final review/approval - MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster
Importance: High

Hi Sage and Jen - touching base on this one as it is getting a bit late in the day - are you wanting this to go out? If so, we should do it fairly soon :)

Cheers!

Dana

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

From: Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 1:01 PM

To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Stagg, Linda R GCPE:EX; Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX; Horlor, Shannon GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: For final review/approval - MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster
Importance: High

Hi Sage - I am going to step away for lunch so if you approve in the next little while, please reply to all, one of us will take you through the final steps and get this across to media :) Cheers!
Dana

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

From: Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 12:50 PM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Stagg, Linda R GCPE:EX; Kerr, Grant GCPE:EX; Horlor, Shannon GCPE:EX
Subject: For final review/approval - MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster

Hi Sage,

Here is your MA for final review and approval.

Once approved we will queue to go ASAP to:

- 000.1 - Burnaby
- 037.0 - Langley
- 041.0 - Maple Ridge
- 048.0 - New Westminster
- 055.0 - Port Coquit_Coquitlam
- LMain
- MEDIA
- MINIS2
- MMVAN_MMVAN

I have not included Victoria or Nanaimo media as this event is in New Westminster but this can be added if you feel that they should receive.

Please call me at 250 953-4339 with any edits.

Thank you,
Dana

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

From: Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX [<mailto:Dana.Carruthers@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 12:47 PM
To: Carruthers, Dana GCPE:EX
Subject: DRAFT: MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster

Please refer to the files attached to this email. The following is the summary

of the News Release

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Headline: MEDIA ADVISORY - Office of the Premier - New Westminster

This email was auto-generated.

Sept. 15, 2017

Office of the Premier

MEDIA ADVISORY

NEW WESTMINSTER - Premier John Horgan will attend game 6 of the Mann Cup in New Westminster this evening.

The New Westminster Salmonbellies are playing the Peterborough Lakers.

Event date: Friday, Sept. 15, 2017

Time: 7:30 p.m.

Location:

Queen's Park Arena, Queen's Park

New Westminster

Special instructions:

Arena access is by First Street and Third Avenue.

Contact:

Jen Holmwood

Office of the Premier

250 818-4881

Connect with the Province of B.C. at: www.gov.bc.ca/connect

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 11:39 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UBCM Conference Call - Tomorrow

It sounds like a running truck

On Sep 15, 2017, at 11:34 AM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Same

From: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, September 15, 2017 11:34 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: UBCM Conference Call - Tomorrow
There is something wrong with the call-in number - we are only getting fuzz

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 15, 2017, at 10:54 AM, Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi All,
Can you confirm if you will be joining this call with the Premier at 11:30am today?
A

From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 14, 2017 4:11 PM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject: UBCM Conference Call - Tomorrow

Hi All,
I have organized a conference call tomorrow for the Premier and President of UBCM at 11:30am. I've talked with Geoff and he'd like if you can all be on the call. I'll send calendar invite shortly. Hoping this time will work for your schedules. Further below:

RE: Opportunity to discuss some key components of the Convention and share some of the priorities that will be highlighted throughout the week.

Dial-in Phone Numbers:

s.15,s.17

Moderator Conference ID: s.15,s.17

UBCM ATTENDEES:

Councillor Murry Krause (City of Prince George), UBCM President
Director Wendy Booth (East Kootenay Regional District), UBCM First Vice President
Gary MacIsaac, UBCM Executive Director
Jared Wright, UBCM Director of Advocacy and Government Relations

SUPPORT:

Sage Aaron
Sheena McConnell
Mira Oreck
Amber

Amber Nash

Executive Coordinator | Office of the Premier | Tel: 250 – 356-0210 | Cell: 778-584-3330 | E: amber.nash@gov.bc.ca

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 14, 2017 9:37 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Chinese presser tomorrow

agreed

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 14, 2017 9:37 AM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Chinese presser tomorrow

There was a decent amount of budget coverage, so I don't think it's necessary for tomorrow. I think we should plan to do one in the next few weeks though.

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
Office of the Premier | Government of BC
250-818-4881

On Sep 14, 2017, at 9:14 AM, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Was there any feedback whether this was good timing or not?

Sheena McConnell, Press Secretary
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501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8 | 250-387-1688

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 14, 2017 6:10 AM
To: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Cc: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Photo Op Tomorrow in Premier's Office

It should be fine to switch the couches

On Sep 13, 2017, at 9:42 PM, Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Also: If this isn't possible, we can also make it work on the loveseat too.
Thanks!

From: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 13, 2017 9:30 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Photo Op Tomorrow in Premier's Office

Hi Kate, Sheena and Amber,

Sorry I didn't send this earlier – I got caught up in a few urgent matters.

Quick question about the photo op with kids for Raise a Reader tomorrow. We will be doing the shoot in the Premier's office at 11 and have 8 or 9 kids who are all around 8 or 9 years old. What I envision is them all sitting on the sofa or crowding around the sofa with the Premier. It would be better to do this on the sofa rather than the love seat, for more space, and it would be better for the photo to do this with the rest of the office behind them rather than the wood wall, so I am wondering if it would be ok to switch the sofa and the love seat for tomorrow. I can come in before the Premier's first meeting at 8 to make sure it is done properly. Let me know if this is ok.

Thanks

Rick

Rick Devereux

Director, Event Services | Government Communications and Public Engagement

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 13, 2017 8:52 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Wed Consultation Committee meeting

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX" <Donna.Sanford@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 12, 2017 at 9:43:30 AM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: **Wed Consultation Committee meeting**

Hi Sheena. For the photo opportunity, as discussed. The next meeting of the Consultation Committee – constituted per the Confidence and Supply Agreement – will be:

Wed. Sept 13

3 PM

s.15

Government members:

Hon. Carole James

Hon. George Heyman

Geoff Meggs, Chief of Staff to the Premier

Green caucus members:

MLA Sonia Furstenau

MLA Adam Olsen (TBC)

Liz Lilly, Green Caucus Chief of Staff

Just let me know if you need any further info.

-Donna

Donna Sanford

Executive Director

Confidence and Supply Agreement Secretariat

Donna.Sanford@gov.bc.ca

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 8:07 PM
To: Karsten Henriksen
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Confidential - Premier Invite

Hi Karsten, thanks for the note! I have cc'd the premier's scheduler Amber who will know better than I do. She will be in touch with you.

Hope all is well!

Sheena

On Sep 12, 2017, at 7:28 PM, Karsten Henriksen <ceo@dakelheed.com> wrote:

Hello Sheena,
Hope this email finds you well? You may recall that we connected at the First Nations Leaders Conference last week. We are currently identifying a date in the second week of October for the Opening of the Quesnel Dakelh Education & Employment Society Office.

You may recall the society represents three first nations (Lhoosk'uz Dene Nation, Lhtako Dene Nation and Nazko Nation).

We expect a larger event with several hundred people after a long summer of evacuations people would like to celebrate. We also expect a number of executives from the forestry and mining sector (mainly, West Fraser and New Gold) to also be in attendance as well as our three first nations leaders, elders.

We would very much like to have the Premier in attendance for this opening. Our leaders very much support his governments commitment to a new relationship with first nations communities.

To that end could you recommend any days that would be better from a scheduling perspective?

If you have any questions please feel free to reach out on my cell at anytime 613-400-5961. It was great to connect last week.

Thank you in advance for your assistance.

Kindest Regards,

Karsten

Karsten Henriksen B.A., M.A.

Interim-Chief Executive Officer

Quesnel Dakelh Education & Employment Society

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 11:19 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Budget Q&As
Attachments: QA_Budget_2017_Update.docx; ATT00001.htm

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 7:33 PM
To: s.17
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Budget Q&As

Here are the Q&As of all the budgets topics that have come up in the media tonight

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 10:44 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Friday

I would agree with you. The media are expecting one standup this week in the leg with him. I'm wary of doing media for the sake of doing it.

On Sep 12, 2017, at 10:40 AM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I'm a soft no on this because I'm not sure what objective we're trying to achieve.
But am willing to be convinced otherwise.
What are your thoughts?

From: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 8:25 AM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Friday

Hi Kate and Sage,

Just wondering if we should try to do some kind of media thing in Vancouver while the Premier is there for 2/3 of the day Friday. I know that he will be here a lot so perhaps we could try to do something. If you want I can try to come up with a few suggestions.

Thanks

Rick

Rick Devereux

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 10:17 AM
To: Oliver, Jillian LASS:EX
Subject: Media for Consultation Committee

Hey Jillian!

Here is the info I have for the meeting tomorrow. I would suggest we invite media for the first 5 minutes as a photo op?

The next meeting of the Consultation Committee – constituted per the Confidence and Supply Agreement – will be:

Wed. Sept 13
3 PM
s.15

Government members:
Hon. Carole James
Hon. George Heyman
Geoff Meggs, Chief of Staff to the Premier

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MLA Sonia Furstenau
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Liz Lilly, Green Caucus Chief of Staff

Sheena McConnell, Press Secretary
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 7:54 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Media release for this morning

THANK YOU!!!

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 7:47 AM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Media release for this morning

FYI this is happening this morning

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 7:46 AM
To: GCPE Editors
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Media release for this morning

Hello all,
Please see below for a MA letting interested parties know Premier Horgan is making good on a lacrosse bet.
Attached is a specialized sports desk list for distribution. The advisory should also go to all media in communities that have a WLA team –
Victoria
New West
Maple Ridge
Coquitlam
Burnaby
Langley
Nanaimo

The new SportsNet radio station –SportsNet 650
TSN radio – the Team 1040 and the Team 1410
(I think those are covered off in the list but please double check)

Thank you,

Sage

For Immediate Release

Sept. 12, 2017

Office of the Premier

MEDIA ADVISORY

VICTORIA – Premier John Horgan will wear a New Westminster Salmonbellies lacrosse jersey in the Legislature today after losing a bet to Minister Judy Darcy.

Premier Horgan, a long-timer booster of the Victoria Shamrocks lacrosse team, bet Minister Darcy her home team, the Salmonbellies, would lose the Western Lacrosse Association finals to his favourites. The stakes: the loser would wear the opposing team's jersey in the Legislature.

The Salmonbellies defeated the Shamrocks 4 games to 1, closing out the best of 7 series with a 13 - 11 victory on August 27.

Premier Horgan will honour his end of the bet by wearing a Salmonbellies jersey in the legislature today.

Event date: Tuesday, September 12, 2017.

Time: 1:30 p.m.

Location: The BC Legislature, 501 Belleville St, Victoria, B.C.

View online: <https://www.leg.bc.ca/documents-data/broadcasts-and-webcasts>

Contact:

Jen Holmwood

Office of the Premier

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Sage Aaron, Communications Director

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 5:42 PM
To: Spilker, Robyn FIN:EX; Gillezeau, Rob FIN:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Budget Q&As

The only other one I have seen come up is the **s.13**

From: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 5:41 PM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Budget Q&As

We're almost there. We'll build off the key message doc attached which has speaking points on tax fairness, affordability, services and building a sustainable economy.

We'll prep Q&As on the topics below that are in the media. Are there other topics you want covered?

s.13

Robyn Spilker
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier
250-952-7627

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 5:29 PM
To: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX; Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Budget Q&As

Hey guys,

Great job today!!! Does the Minister have a Q&A document I can share with the premier for his media interviews tomorrow? A question I keep seeing come up on social media is the **s.13**

I just want to make sure the premier has accurate answers to these questions that may come up. Thanks!

Sheena

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 3:47 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Budget 2017 Update - Capital Plan Factsheets
Attachments: Capital Region Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Cariboo - Chilcotin Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Kootenays Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Lower Mainland Projects B2017 Update to GCPE Revised.docx; Major Provincial Capital Projects by Dev Region B2017 Update to GCPE Revised.docx; Maple Ridge - Pitt Meadows - Mission Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; New Westminster Projects B2017 Update to GCPE Revised.docx; North Coast - Skeena - Stikine Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Okanagan - Thompson Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Richmond Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Surrey Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Tri-Cities Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Vancouver Capital Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx; Vancouver Island - Sunshine Coast Projects B2017 Update to GCPE.docx

These may be helpful for John to have as a go to in case he has questions or is doing region specific media. The surrey one we can add to his package for his Red FM interview tomorrow.

From: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 3:23 PM
To: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX; Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX
Subject: Budget 2017 Update - Capital Plan Factsheets

Attached you will find the capital plan factsheets, which outline the government's capital commitments across our province. MLAs and Ministers should be given copies of any factsheets relevant to their region.

The projects in black text are ones that appear in the budget and fiscal plan for the first time in the Budget 2017 Update.

Many thanks,
Robyn & Rob

Robyn Spilker & Rob Gillezeau
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier
250-952-7627

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 3:45 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Budget 2017 Update
Attachments: 2017_Sept_Update_Backgrounder.pdf; 2017_Sept_Update_Budget_and_Fiscal_Plan.pdf; 2017_Sept_Update_BudgetSpeech.pdf; 2017_Sept_Update_Highlights.pdf; 2017_Sept_Update_NewsRelease.pdf; 2017_Sept_Update_PowerPoint.pdf; Key Messages on 2017 Budget Update.docx

Can you print out the key messages and the news release for Johns package tomorrow. He will need it for both media interviews. Thanks!

From: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 2:24 PM
To: Spilker, Robyn PREM:EX; Gillezeau, Rob PREM:EX
Subject: Budget 2017 Update

Good afternoon,

I'm happy to say the Budget 2017 Update is live. Attached you will find the following documents. Please provide them to your Ministers/MLAs and your staff teams:

News release
Backgrounder
Key messages
Minister's speech
Highlights brochure
Budget 2017 Update and Fiscal Plan
PowerPoint for MLA presentations
Strategic plan

Please note that Minister James is the spokesperson for the Budget Update today and tomorrow. All media requests should be directed to Finance at 250-387-1248.

More documents will follow in the coming hours, including regional capital plan factsheets outlining what projects are underway in regions across BC.

If you have questions, please call me at s.17 or Rob Gillezeau at 250-413-7048.

Thank you,
Robyn & Rob

Robyn Spilker & Rob Gillezeau
Senior Ministerial Assistants
Minister of Finance and Deputy Premier

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 2:29 PM
To: Natalie Clancy
Subject: Re: Port Mann Follow

Hey Natalie!

Sorry for the delay, it's been a busy day.

Minister Trevena has made it clear nothing has been ruled out in terms of a review or investigation - there is a range of options and all remain under consideration.

I hope that helps!

On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:53 AM, Natalie Clancy <natalie.clancy@cbc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena

Just following up on whether the provincial government will review the Port Mann project?
Our sources have said BC could get as much as \$300 million back if properly investigated. I hear the Greens may bring it up in question period. Last week Selena Robinson was vague about what would happen next.

Any update would be greatly appreciated.

Hope you are well.

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 10:58 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October

Thanks!

On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:57 AM, Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX <Okenge.YumaMorisho@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena: Yes we did get the heads-up but Ottawa has not yet sent a draft agenda for the FMM. I provided a quick verbal update to Geoff on Friday. Will make sure to keep you in the loop going forward. I am copying Amber as she may also receive emails from Ottawa on same.

Here is the information we have.

The draft program for the morning of October 3 currently looks as follows:

- Provincial and territorial Premiers' (only) Breakfast (8:00-9:30 am)
- Prime Minister (only) meeting with National Indigenous Organizations (9:30-10:30 am)
- PM and Premiers meeting with NIOs (10:30-11:30 am)
- PM and Premiers (only) meeting, aka First Ministers Meeting (FMM) – this portion is expected to last about 90 minutes (tentatively 11:30 am to 1:00 pm)

The agenda for the FMM portion of the above-mentioned program will likely include:

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From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 8:21 AM
To: Yuma Morisho, Okenge PREM:EX
Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October
Hey Okenge! Were we informed of the next First ministers meeting on the conference call with the PM two weeks ago? That was the first time I had heard about it.
Are you aware of what's on the agenda for that meeting?

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Aaron, Sage PREM:EX" <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 11, 2017 at 7:44:38 AM PDT
To: "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>, "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX" <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October

Hello,

Please see the below inquiry for CBC's the House.

Did we know about the 1st ministers conference? I think we did but would like to confirm.

As for other matters: softwood/NAFTA, opioids, transit and other infrastructure?

From: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 5:53 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October
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Begin forwarded message:

From: Paul MacInnis <paul.macinnis@cbc.ca>
Date: September 11, 2017 at 5:50:07 AM PDT
To: "Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX"
<Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October

Hi,
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Thanks, Paul

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 10:15 AM
To: Meaghan Thumath
Cc: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Mental Health and Addictions Media Request today for New West Paper

I don't see any reason why she shouldn't do this today. Sage?

On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:08 AM, Meaghan Thumath ·s.22

> wrote:

Hi Team,

It's Meaghan Thumath here, Minister Darcy's Senior MA.

Can someone call me today about this request? Minister Darcy would really like to do the interview (see request below) and Lori is asking the reporter if it can be embargoed until Wed online. It's for the Thursday New West print edition of Minister Darcy's local paper.

If we can get confirmation it won't be posted until Wed can we get clearance from you to do the interview today at 5pm so the paper can meet their Thursday print deadline?

They've also asked for a photo of Minister Darcy going into the budget announcement.

Many thanks

Meaghan ·s.22

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Cascaden, Lori R GCPE:EX" <Lori.Cascaden@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: MH Media Request: Various topics
Date: September 11, 2017 at 9:02:14 AM PDT
To: Meaghan Thumath ·s.22
Cc: "Plank, Sarah GCPE:EX" <Sarah.Plank@gov.bc.ca>

Hi Meaghan – here is the request that you can pass along to the PO.

Thanks,

Lori

Reporter

Theresa Mcmanus, Reporter
New Westminster Record
TMcManus@royalcityrecord.com
604-444-3451 c: 604-444-3003

Deadline Monday, September 11, 2017 6:00 PM

Request

Would like to interview Minister Darcy on the house being back and her new role.

Lori Cascaden (MH Communications Manager) will check with the reporter to see if she can arrange an embargoed interview so that the publication can make a Thursday publication date.

- **Publication/Station:** New Westminster Record
- **Reporter:** Theresa Mcmanus
- **Issue:** Would like to interview Minister on the house being back and her new role
- **Format:** Telephone
- **Date of Interview:** TBC, but aiming for Sept. 11
- **Interview time/length:** 7 minutes
- **Dial in Number/Interview Location:** TBC
- **Will there be a public call in segment?:** N/A

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, September 11, 2017 10:13 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Confirming I do not need to hold time today for Media following Budget

Nothing booked! It can be cancelled

On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:06 AM, Aaron, Sage PREM:EX <Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Minister James will be taking the lions share of the media today.
Sheena, just double checking, we don't have anything else booked, correct?

Sage

Sent from my mobile device

On Sep 11, 2017, at 10:01 AM, Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Question regarding First Ministers Meeting in October

Yep I can do that

On Sep 11, 2017, at 9:13 AM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Are you able to call The House back on this? I'm in lockup all day.

Suggest something like:

-The Premier found out with the other premiers two weeks ago...

And then similar to our Washington trip message:

-We want to talk about things that matter to British Columbians: softwood, opioid crisis, housing, etc

Jen Holmwood
Deputy Communications Director
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On Sep 11, 2017, at 8:58 AM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Yes Sheena, your answer is correct- we're now receiving some agenda details

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On Sep 11, 2017, at 8:19 AM, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
<Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I believe the premiers found out about it on the last joint call with the Prime Minister, two weeks ago. I will try and confirm

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<Sage.Aaron@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 7, 2017 7:54 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: Invitation from Jim Beatty for Premier Horgan

For you!

Begin forwarded message:

From: Jim Beatty <jim@jbcomm.ca>
Date: September 7, 2017 at 6:07:34 PM PDT
To: "sheena.mcconnell@gov.bc.ca" <sheena.mcconnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Invitation from Jim Beatty for Premier Horgan

Hi Sheena:

I just wanted to follow up with you regarding the invitation for Premier Horgan regarding the charity fundraising gala I mentioned when I saw you at the golf tournament.

As I mentioned, I have been a longtime volunteer with the JDRF (Juvenile Diabetes Research Foundation) and I am currently the chair of the Vancouver Island chapter. I was diagnosed about 13 years ago with this awful disease...

Every October, the JDRF holds two galas - one in Victoria and one in Vancouver - which are our main fundraising events of the year.

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No other provincial

politicians are being invited - or have ever been invited - to these events.

I am including a description of the Victoria event but feel free to contact me if you want more info.

All the best,

Jim

13TH ANNUAL
Promise Ball
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A Night in Versailles

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Promiseball.ca

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 7, 2017 7:54 PM
To: Jim Beatty
Subject: Re: Invitation from Jim Beatty for Premier Horgan

Thanks Jim! I will send along to Amber, the Premier's scheduler.

On Sep 7, 2017, at 6:07 PM, Jim Beatty <jim@jbcomm.ca> wrote:

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No other provincial

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, September 7, 2017 1:10 PM
To: Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX
Subject: Interview questions
Attachments: 20170825 EA phone interview_.docx

Hey Tamarra! Can you take a look over for formatting? Thanks!

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 6, 2017 6:46 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: CKNW Interview Request

For Monday morning!

Begin forwarded message:

From: John O'Dowd <john@cknw.com>
Date: September 6, 2017 at 6:02:01 PM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: CKNW Interview Request

Hi Sheena,

It appears Amber isn't cc'd but our call-in line is 604-331-2774.

Thanks!
John

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: 06 September 2017 11:35
To: John O'Dowd
Subject: Re: CKNW Interview Request

We are good to do this! I'm ccing the premiers scheduler Amber, can you please send the dial in details to her?

On Sep 6, 2017, at 9:10 AM, John O'Dowd <john@cknw.com> wrote:

Hi Sheena,

I was hoping the Premier might be available to chat with Jon McComb on Monday's show at 7:40am regarding the throne speech?

It would be a live 10-12 minute phone chat.

Thanks,
John

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 6, 2017 2:25 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: CKNW Interview Request

Not odd at all, since it is his first show after the throne speech, and the budget is not till after his show ends.

On Sep 6, 2017, at 1:56 PM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I just noticed he wants to talk throne on Budget day – that's odd. I originally read this as on Friday. Can you check to see if they are planning to talk budget as well when setting it up?

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: September 6, 2017 11:34 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Re: CKNW Interview Request

I can

On Sep 6, 2017, at 11:09 AM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Let's do it. Sheena, will you touch base with the producer, or shall I?

From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: September 6, 2017 11:01 AM
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: CKNW Interview Request
I'm holding this time in his calendar for now.

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, September 6, 2017 9:13 AM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: CKNW Interview Request
I think it would be good if John can do this

Begin forwarded message:

From: John O'Dowd <john@cknw.com>
Date: September 6, 2017 at 9:10:45 AM PDT
To: "sheena.mcconnell@gov.bc.ca"
<sheena.mcconnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CKNW Interview Request

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 9:21 PM
To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Tomorrow -

Just tomorrow

On Sep 5, 2017, at 9:15 PM, Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Sure. You mean going forward or for tomorrow?

We could have the copies ready for tomorrow when you arrive at the convention centre if you want.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 5, 2017, at 9:06 PM, McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Is it possible for printed out updated itins for the day to be printed out for John and I?

On Sep 5, 2017, at 9:05 PM, Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

FYI for tomorrow.

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX"
<Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>
Date: September 5, 2017 at 6:31:25 PM PDT
To: "Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX"
<Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca>, "Nash, Amber
PREM:EX" <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Tomorrow -

Thanks Elena!
Amber, if you can just use this version here. There
were a couple small edits.

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Joleen

From: Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 6:25 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Cc: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Tomorrow -
Hi Amber,
Thanks for doing this! I've attached the itineraries
that I've created – we're essentially on the same

page with everything. I'm just checking on the lunch and whether that's been set up by conference organizers. I will let you know as soon as I hear.

Elena

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From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 6:02 PM
To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Subject: Tomorrow -

Importance: High

How does this look for a run-down of tomorrow:

7:30 AM – Premier departs s.15 travels to
Vancouver Convention Centre West

7:40 AM – Premier Arrives at Vanocuver Convention
Centre West Proceeds to s.15 for Media Pre-
Brief

7:45 AM – Media Pre-Brief

NOTES:

The briefing is very straight forward.

The announcement will take place out on the
concourse, near the giant whale statue.

There is about a s.15 from the green
room to the location - but as the concourse faces
the main ballroom s.15

7:54 AM – Premier and guests proceed to Jack
Poole Plaza for Media Availability

8:00 AM – Media Availability

Event Summary	Outdoor Event with podium. Podium art: Rights, Respect and Reconciliation Backdrop: Burrard Inlet and Mountains Premier, Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation, and FNLC L hold joint media availability
Time	Event Itinerary
7:54 AM	Speakers escorted to event location and in place/ Event begins
8:00 AM	Premier John Horgan gives remarks. After remarks Premier invites Chief Edward John to the podium (5 minutes time)
8:05 AM	Chief Edward John speaks, after remarks invites Minister Scott Fraser to Sp
8:10 AM	Minister Fraser Speaks, after remarks invites Maureen Chapman of BC Ass Nations to speak
8:15 AM	Maureen Chapman gives remarks. After remarks invites Judy Wilson of UC
8:20 AM	Judy Wilson Speaks.
8:25 AM	Media availability - Stephanie Sherlock to moderate
8:30 AM	MC closes questions and speaker proceed to opening ceremony in Ballroo

8:30 AM – Premier & Chiefs walk back to VCC

Ballroom A for opening remarks of Leadership

Gathering:

Welcome Remarks and Opening Prayer

MC: Harold Tarbell

Opening Prayer: Elder Deanna George
Welcome: Chief Wayne Sparrow, *Musqueam Indian Band*

8:30 AM - MC will introduce the Premier and the three Chiefs and they will enter the room at the very beginning of the event and take seats on the stage at tables.

8:32 AM – Opening Prayer: Elder Deanna George

8:35 AM – Welcome from Chief Wayne Sparrow ,
Musqueam indian Band

8:40 AM - Premier is introduced to speak.

Opening Remarks

- Honourable John Horgan, *Premier, Province of British Columbia*

Premier will then retake his seat on stage while the three First Nations Leaders speak one after another.

- Grand Chief Edward John, *First Nations Summit*
- Regional Chief Maureen Chapman, *British Columbia Assembly of First Nations*
- Grand Chief Stewart Phillip, *Union of British Columbia Indian Chiefs*

When speeches are done Premier will exit the stage and proceed to meeting s.15

10 AM – 12 PM – 1:1 Meetings for Premier in Meeting s.15

LUNCH BREAK (12 – 1pm) WHERE IS PREMIER GOING FOR THIS AND WHO IS JOINING?

1:00 PM – Premier returns to s.15 at VCC for Afternoon Meetings

1:20 PM – 5 PM – 1:1 Meetings

5:00 PM – Premier departs for s.15

5:10 PM – Arrive at s.15 &
dinner before evening event)

6:20 PM – Premier Departs for Surrey Evening Event

7:00 PM – Premier arrives at Surrey event

8:30 PM – Premier departs Surrey

9:15 PM – Premier arrives back at s.15

DAY OVER

Amber Nash

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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 8:44 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX; Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX; Hill, Edward GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; French, Shawna IRR:EX; Williams, Karen IRR:EX
Subject: Re: Speakers - Media Avail and Opening FNLG - confirmed

Whenever the premier speaks I will moderate. I can take care of it!

On Sep 5, 2017, at 6:40 PM, Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX <Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I would be happy to do it.
Or perhaps Sheena would as the Premier speaks first?

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 5, 2017, at 6:36 PM, Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

We've mentioned in a few notes today the suggestion of having an MC and having each speaker throw it to the speaker who follows. That said, I am not partial to having the MC's myself. Let me know if you think it would be a problem. In this scenario the Premier would just kick it off himself.

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Who is emceeing?

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On Sep 5, 2017, at 6:29 PM, Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX <Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; French, Shawna ABR:EX; Williams, Karen ABR:EX
Subject: RE: Speakers - Media Avail and Opening FNLG - confirmed
Looping in Karen and Shawna...

From: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX

Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 6:00 PM

To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX

Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; Dalzell, Danielle GCPE:EX; Ritchie, Leanne GCPE:EX; Hill, Edward GCPE:EX; Zadravec, Don GCPE:EX; Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX

Subject: Re: Speakers - Media Avail and Opening FNLG - confirmed
Confirming that there will be a Media sign in sheet and media badges waiting for Media Relations when we arrive tomorrow morning.

Assuming that Sheena and Jen will be moderating the QnA for the Premier, Marielle and I will get all the contact info from media who arrive at the avail and produce badges while the media avail happens to facilitate a quick transition to the opening remarks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Sep 5, 2017, at 5:46 PM, Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
<Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Media Avail
Premier John Horgan
Grand Chief Ed John – FNS
Minister Scott Fraser
A/Regional Chief Maureen Chapman – AFN
Chief Judy Wilson – UBCIC
Opening Speakers
Premier John Horgan
Grand Chief Ed John – FNS
A/Regional Chief Maureen Chapman – AFN
Grand Chief Stewart Phillip – UBCIC
Chris Harbord
Communications Director
Government Communications and Public
Engagement
Ministry of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation
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Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 6:29 PM
To: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Cc: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Tounsi, Marielle GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: Presser tomorrow

I will moderate.

On Sep 5, 2017, at 6:03 PM, Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX <Stephanie.Sherlock@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I assume it will be Sheena as mentioned in my previous email.
I can do it if necessary of course! And would be happy to

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On Sep 5, 2017, at 5:52 PM, Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Sheena, Stephanie and Marielle,
Who will moderate the Q&A tomorrow – I know that any of you could, just want it to be clear in advance.
Thanks
Rick
Rick Devereux
Director, Event Services | Government Communications and Public Engagement
rick.devereux@gov.bc.ca | 250-812-1207

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 5:07 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Dirk, The Canadian Press

Sorry I haven't had a moment to. Do you mind? I'm staffing John constantly the next few days

On Sep 5, 2017, at 5:06 PM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Did you talk to Dirk about this at all? I can work with him if not.

From: Meissner, Dirk [<mailto:Dirk.Meissner@thecanadianpress.com>]

Sent: September 5, 2017 2:09 PM

To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

Subject: Dirk, The Canadian Press

Hello Jen. I sent this to Sheena earlier, but maybe should have sent it to you also. Any chance I could speak with Premier John Horgan in next day or so about upcoming agenda? Thanks. Dirk.

Hello Sheena. Any chance I could speak to Premier John Horgan in next day or so for preview story on the throne speech, fall schedule and the budget update? Thanks. Only need a few minutes, but his comments help drive the stories. Thanks, Dirk

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 11:47 AM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Premier's avail today

I unfortunately do not have it. We should chat about structures of pressers now, it may start taking multiple people

On Sep 5, 2017, at 11:43 AM, Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX <Jen.Holmwood@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Can you forward if you have it?

From: Kines, Lindsay (Times-Colonist) [<mailto:LKines@timescolonist.com>]

Sent: September 5, 2017 10:47 AM

To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

Cc: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX

Subject: Premier's avail today

Hi Jen and Stephanie –

Can I get the tape of the premier's avail today if he does a Q&A with reporters?

Best,

Lindsay Kines

Reporter

Victoria Times Colonist

250-382-9006

Twitter: @lindsaykines

Wensink, Alison PREM:EX

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, September 5, 2017 10:13 AM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: EA interview format
Attachments: 20170825 EA phone interview .docx; ATT00001.htm; 20170814 Draft EA Interviews and Ranking.docx; ATT00002.htm

Are you able to take a crack at these today? I'm slammed with John all day

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Clark, Layne PREM:EX" <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>
Date: August 31, 2017 at 11:47:26 AM PDT
To: "McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX" <Sheena.McConnell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: FW: EA interview format

From: Una Walsh s.22
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2017 9:27 AM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Re: FW: EA interview format

Hi Layne,

I have attached two sets of interview questions.

IN the end we only used the EA phone interview template and not the longer version as time was really a factor. s.13

s.13 - we simplified the questions.

You'll see from the questions that they are focussed on an in-riding EA - so might not fully translate to an EA for PJH.

Thanks,

Una

On 31 August 2017 at 09:12, Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Una,

Were the questions changed for EAs?

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, August 31, 2017 8:22 AM
To: Parte, Maura PSA:EX; Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Cc: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: EA interview format

Folks, we're interviewing a candidate today for PJH's EA, in this case the one who would act as a personal assistant and bodyperson as required. Could you please provide the framework of questions you used for EAs with any amendments you feel relevant? We are also looking for other possible candidates, so I would like to have a consistent approach.

Geoff

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