

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Cc: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Chinese Advisory Committee
Date: Friday, February 23, 2018 11:16:13 AM

Hi Everyone,

s.13,s.22 is out, Queenie Choo is in. She is the CEO of SUCCESS.

Geoff would like to proceed with sending the press release today for the new committee, despite the cancellation of the Chinese media roundtable.

Please let me know if you have any concerns.

Thanks,

Layne

Layne Clark

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To: [Clark, Layne](#) PREM:EX; [McConnell, Sheena](#) PREM:EX
Cc: [Aaron, Sage](#) PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference
Date: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 3:44:21 PM
Attachments: [DRAFT - Chinese Advisory Council Release.docx](#)

Here's a first cut of a release. I kept it pretty short.

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 12:31 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference
Sorry it should be Chinese Advisory Council.

From: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 12:27 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference
Is it called the "Chinese Advisory Committee"?

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 12:00 PM
To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: FW: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference

From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 11:59 AM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference

- To provide advice to the Premier on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese Canadian community in BC;
- To propose new initiatives for government consideration to enhance the contribution of the Chinese Canadian community to the life of the province; and
- To recommend ways the Province of BC can strengthen social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and China

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February 23, 2018

Premier Horgan announces new Chinese Advisory Council

VANCOUVER – Premier John Horgan has announced a new Chinese Advisory Council to assist the Province of BC in strengthening social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and China.

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- Christina Chang, President of the Taiwan Chamber of Commerce
- s.13,s.22
- Imogene Lim, Professor of Anthropology at Vancouver Island University
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From: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
To: [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Chinese Committe info for premier
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:11:24 PM

Yes – we are missing two bios still, but have everything else. We will also have Q&As.

Layne

From: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:10 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Cc: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: Chinese Committe info for premier

Hey Layne!

I just want to double check that the Chinese Committee bios, news release etc are sent to Amber for John to take home tonight.

Thanks!

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From: david Ding
To: McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX
Subject: Recommendation to Chinese advisory committee
Date: Monday, March 5, 2018 9:23:23 PM

Dear Sheena,

It was very good to see you again last week. As the premier mentioned, he is going to increase the size of the Chinese advisory committee. I would like to recommend a candidate to the premier.^{s.22}
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s.22 I have attached his CV. Please let me know your thoughts.

Best regards,

Guo

s.22

AGENDA

Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Chair: Premier John Horgan

Moderator: Sheena McConnell

Tel: 1-877-353-9184

Participant code: s.15,s.17

Moderator code: s.15,s.17 (Sheena to use)

4:30PM	Welcome	Premier
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4:40PM	Remarks from Minister Chow	George Chow
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4:45PM	Questions	Moderator: Sheena McConnell
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Office of the Premier

NEWS RELEASE

Premier announces new Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

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Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Shirley Chan 陳雪英, Vancouver Chinatown activist

Shirley Chan retired in 2012 as CEO of the non-profit economic development agency in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. Previously she was Regional Director BC/Yukon for Health Canada then Director of Sustainable Development in Ottawa. She was the City of Vancouver's Director of Non-market Housing and Chief of Staff for Mayor Mike Harcourt. She also held various Federal Public Service positions in Ottawa and Toronto.

In the 60s and 70s, Shirley helped organize her community of largely non-English speaking Chinese Canadians and founded the Strathcona Property Owners and Tenants Association (SPOTA) that stopped demolition of Strathcona and Chinatown; thus putting an end to the proposed freeway system in Vancouver.

Shirley serves on the Vancouver Chinatown Revitalization Committee and the Chinatown Working Group for North East False Creek. She held leadership roles with boards of UBC, BC Hydro, Vancity Credit Union, Citizen's Bank, Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese Garden and Learning for a Sustainable Future. She received an Honourary Doctorate (UBC); Outstanding Alumni Award (SFU); YWCA Woman of Distinction and Queen's Jubilee Medal. She has a BA from SFU; Masters in Environmental Studies from York.

Christina Chang 張健理, president, Taiwan Chamber of Commerce in Canada

Even before receiving the Outstanding Chinese-Canadian Woman Award back in 2012, Christina Chang has always been an upstanding Canadian citizen who is an active member in her community. A graduate from Chinese Culture University with a degree in French Language and Literature in 1985, Christina immigrated to Canada a decade later and successfully established an education consulting company, Hanyin Education Consulting Inc., providing proper education guidance for international students. Some of her early students are now receiving their PhDs from renowned Canadian universities.

Since 2009, Christina has been heavily involved in the Taiwan Chamber of Commerce, which promotes healthy business exchange between Taiwan and Canada. Starting as the 18th president of this organization at the provincial level in BC, she is now the President of Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada (TCCCA) as well as an advisor to the Taiwanese Chambers of Commerce in North America and the World Taiwanese Chambers of Commerce seven years later till now.

As a strong believer of giving back to society, she rewarded a total of \$5,000 in scholarships to outstanding students and raised \$270,000 for the Typhoon Morakot disaster in Taiwan in 2009. Her contributions were recognized by being awarded as the finalist of the New Canadian Entrepreneur in 2014 and receiving the Outstanding Entrepreneur in BC Canada Award just a year later.

In addition to her hefty contributions as the president of both the Hanyin Education Group and Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada, she also works as the President of the Taiwan Association for Future Leaders (TAFL) to provide a platform where teenagers are giving opportunity to communicate and connect with leaders from the East and West, as well as the Advisor for the Overseas Compatriot Affairs Commission, ROC.

Debbie Chen 陳儀芬 , journalist

Debbie Chen is a journalist in Sing Tao Daily. After completing her master degree of telecommunication in San Diego States University, she worked at TVBS and Unique TV in Taiwan for over 10 years. After immigrating to Canada in 2005, she became a radio host for “News Frontline” and also served a role as Mandarin news team leader in Fairchild Radio.

Apart from working hard, she dedicates herself to community volunteer work such as Youth Initiative, Tzu Chi Foundation and Breakfast Club in Anderson Elementary School.

Debbie has a passion for life-long learning and loves to communicate with people. She and her husband have two children.

Queenie Choo 周潘坤玲, CEO, S.U.C.C.E.S.S.

Queenie Choo immigrated to Canada in 1980. Since then, she has made significant achievements both in her career and in the community. She was appointed as the first CEO to commission the Chinese care home in Edmonton Alberta and has held senior leadership positions within Alberta Health Services.

In 2012 Queenie was appointed as the CEO of S.U.C.C.E.S.S., the largest non-profit social service organization in BC. Queenie’s passion to serve the community has extended her volunteering on many boards including Omni TV advisory council to ensure diversity and inclusion in media programming, RCMP Commanding Officer’s Cultural Diversity Inclusion Board and the Poverty Reduction Advisory Council for the provincial government. She is also engaged on the advisory council for the “Apology for Chinese Canadians for the Historical Wrong” project at both the provincial level and municipal level in Vancouver.

Internationally, Queenie is instrumental in providing pre-arrival services in Beijing China, Seoul South Korea and Taipei Taiwan to strengthen the cultural, economic and social integration of newcomers before arriving in BC. Fostering business entrepreneurship, employment, economic and social development opportunities in local communities remains her advocacy and passion.

Queenie is the recipient of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee medal for her significant contributions to the community. She is recognized as one of the 35 most influential women in BC, top 25 Canadian Immigrants. In 2016, Queenie was named as the 50 most powerful people in Vancouver.

June Chow 周慕慈, co-founder, Youth Collaborative for Chinatown

June Chow is a co-founder of the Youth Collaborative for Chinatown 青心在唐人街 that advocates for cultural revitalization as key to (re)building community within the rapidly changing neighbourhood. The group’s monthly, community free-play mahjong socials and new Cantonese school program offer opportunities to actively learn and practice the intangible cultural heritage of the historic area, and for their knowledge transfer across generations and cultures. Previous to dedicating herself full-time to Chinatown, June worked at UBC in fundraising and alumni engagement for over ten years, most recently, to articulate a community case for support for a renewed Asian Library within the university’s historic Asian Centre. She is a Lifetime Member and Director (since 2013) of the Hoy Ping Benevolent Association, one of the 80+ Chinese family and clan societies that call Vancouver Chinatown home.

Alex Fan 范偉銘, vice-president, CIBC

Alex immigrated to Canada in 1989 from Taiwan. He is married to his wife, Samantha, and has two children Stephanie and Christopher, who is an avid figure skater, inspired to represent Canada in the Winter Olympic in Beijing in 2022. Alex received his MBA degree from Claremont Graduate University in Los Angeles in 1994. He is the Vice President in charge of CIBC Retail Asian Banking (therefore 3 business trips to China every year), also Board of Director for the SUCCESS Foundation. He is very engaged with local community and a volunteer for BC Children's Hospital since mid 1990's for its fundraising effort. Alex is Chair of Banks Division for BC Children's Hospital Foundation 2011-2012. He received Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal in 2013 and was President for Taiwan Chamber of Commerce in B.C. 2003, and Vice Chair for Taiwan Chamber of Commerce in North America in 2003.

Ding Guo 丁果, journalist and TV commentator

Ding Guo was born and grew up in Shanghai. He received his BA of History in China and MA of international relations in Japan. He became a Canadian citizen in 1990s.

Ding Guo is one of the most reputable and respected current affairs commentators in the Chinese community in Canada. His commentaries and articles are published in major newspapers in Mainland China, Taiwan, Hong Kong, and North America. He is also the author of several books covering modern history, politics, immigration, and international affairs.

Ding has been working in a variety of reputable media organizations since the 1990s. He is a winner of the Jack Webster Award for Best Chinese Reporting. He was also voted the best non-English TV commentator by the Georgia Strait Newspaper. He is a recipient of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee medal.

The community also has benefitted from Ding's involvement and work. He was a past board member of SUCCESS, and an Advisor to a number of associations in the community. He has also been appointed as a board member of CTCMA since December 2017.

Sunny Ho 何強新, president, Richmond Business Association

Sunny Ho is 61, born in Hong Kong. For over ten years Sunny was engaged with his family restaurant business before he sought his further study. In 1989 Sunny graduated from Northern Ireland University with an accounting degree. Then he was employed as a teacher in secondary school for three years.

Twenty-five years ago, Sunny and his family immigrated to Canada. In 1996 Sunny and his wife opened a bakery and restaurant business in Richmond. Sunny greatly appreciates that the multiculturalism in Canada is the key factor to the success of his businesses.

Sunny is an entrepreneur and owns these local businesses: Kam Do Bakery Ltd. and Westminster Development Ltd. For serving the community, Sunny is the President of Business Association of Richmond. Caring, Sharing and Serving are his goals to the community.

Theresa W.Y. Ho, human rights and Chinese-Canadian history activist

Carol Lee, chair, Vancouver Chinatown Foundation

Carol Anne Lee is CEO and co-founder of Linacare Cosmethery Inc., a company that manufactures and sells therapeutic skincare products. Linacare is headquartered in Vancouver's historic Chinatown district. With long standing family ties to the history of Chinatown, she is strongly committed to the revitalization of the area and is the Chair of the Vancouver Chinatown Foundation, Chair of the Vancouver Chinatown Revitalization Committee and Honorary Patron of the Chinese Canadian Military Museum.

She serves on several other boards and organizations including the Harvard Business School Canadian Advisory Board, the Leadership Council of the Perimeter Institute of Theoretical Physics in Waterloo, a board member of Governor General David Johnston's Rideau Hall Foundation and co-chair of the Rideau Hall Foundation Innovation Committee. She was also a member of federal Finance Minister Morneau's Advisory Council on Economic Growth.

Imogene Lim 林慕珍, professor of Anthropology, Vancouver Island University

Dr. Imogene Lim is an anthropologist (BA Hons, Simon Fraser University; AM & PhD, Brown University) and past Chair of Anthropology at Vancouver Island University. She has worked with diverse communities in BC and abroad, and more specifically, for the past two decades those on Vancouver Island. Among her research interests are ethnicity in Canada and Asian Canadian history. Her community contributions include appointments to the Editorial Board of BC Studies, the Coal Creek Historic Park Advisory Committee (Cumberland, Vancouver Island), the Laurier Institution, and BC Legacy Initiatives Advisory Council, as well as, being a founding member and former Board Director of the Chinese Canadian Historical Society of BC. She has conducted field work in Tanzania and speaks Swahili.

As a descendant of Cumberland and Vancouver's Chinatown, Dr. Lim learned through family stories the challenges they faced due to the politics (head tax and more) and social climate of the day (overt racism). Like many other multi-generational Canadians of Chinese descent, she is reminded that her grandparents and parents were the ones who pushed against barriers to make a better life for their descendants and, ultimately, for all Canadians. As an educator, she continues to do the same.

David Lin 林大誠, radio host

David was born and raised in Taipei, Taiwan. He came to Vancouver B.C. as a student in 1985. In 1989, he became a landed immigrant and obtained his Canadian citizenship in 1992. David was known as one of the youngest entrepreneur who studied and worked in business during his university days. He has successfully marketed and promoted the Canadian tourism industry to the Far East market for 30 years.

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Fred Mah, chair, Chinatown Society Heritage Buildings Association

For four decades, Fred Mah has been one of Chinatown's strongest advocates playing a role in countless community associations and civic committees.

Fred served as an active member of numerous community organizations, and trade delegations. He was a founding member of the Vancouver-Guangzhou Friendship Society and the BC-Guandong Business Council and served as president for both organizations. He organized countless Chinatown parades, art exhibits, photo and opera exchanges.

Fred was a founding member of the Chinese Cultural Centre and the Chinese Canadian Historical Society of BC. He chaired the Chinatown Visioning Committee for Chinatown Revitalization. He founded the Friends of False Creek and the Chinatown Society Heritage Buildings Association.

On February 26, 2013, Fred Mah was recognized by the City of Vancouver and presented with Vancouver's Civic Merit Award for his tireless work in Chinatown and in the Chinese community in Vancouver

Harris Niu, president, Canadian Community Services Association, organizer of the Chinese Cultural Festival

Zili (Frank) Wu 吴自力, founder, Canada China Sports Foundation

Mr. Frank Zili Wu was born in 1965. Graduated Qinghua University with a Master Degree in Sports Management, Mr. Wu has been actively involved in organizing sporting and charity events in local community, as well as promoting sports and culture exchange between Canada and China.

Mr. Wu is the co-founder of Canada China Sports Foundation and its subsidiary charity organization--CCSF Autism Foundation. Since 2015, Mr. Wu has spearheaded the organizing work for several major sports exchange programs, including Beijing Meets Vancouver: Olympic Host Cities Forum in 2015, and Canada China Women's Hockey Tournament in 2016. Currently Mr. Wu is working on "Run To Beijing Olympics", a project to promote Vancouver International Marathon in China as well as connect marathon host cities in China with Vancouver.

Mr. Wu is also the main driving force in Chinese Canadian community for charity work like fundraising for Pacific Autism Family Network, Vancouver General Hospital and Richmond Hospital.

"I want to be the bridge builder to connect BC's sports and tourism industry with their Chinese counterpart, in order to promote BC as the sports tourism destination in China, therefore bringing Chinese sports lovers to BC, creating jobs and economic activities for local communities." Says Mr. Wu.

Bill Yee 余宏荣, retired provincial lawyer and judge

Bill Yee was born in Guangzhou, Guangdong, PRC, immigrated to Canada in 1959, attended Strathcona Secondary School, Britannia High School, graduated from UBC Law School in 1973, married with three children, practised law in Vancouver and Richmond for 25 years, elected as Alderman for the City of Vancouver in 1982 and again in 1984, received Queen's Counsel designation in 1999 and was appointed as Provincial Court Judge in the same year, retired from the Court in 2015.

Bill has served as President of Vancouver Chinese Benevolent Association for many terms, former Vice-Chairman of Chinese Cultural Centre, former Executive Chair of the National Congress of Chinese Canadians, Vancouver Police Board member from 1992-1997, B. C. Hydro Board member 1997 – 1999, former Chair of Vancouver-Guangzhou Friendship Society, former Chairman of B. C. – Guangdong Business Council.

He is currently a member of the Advisory Group on Historical Discrimination Against Chinese People for the City of Vancouver, the National Chairman of the Yee Fong Toy Society of Canada and Honorary Citizen of Guangzhou.

Jeffrey Yu余彦君, President, New Vista Society and Operations Manager, Chinese Taoism Kuan-Kung Association, Tien Jin Temple

Jeffrey graduated from SFU with a BA in Economics and obtained a Nutrition Manager designation from Langara college. Raised in a family that values community involvement and tradition ethical values, Jeffrey has been involved in the community as a volunteer at Kuan Kung Association, a charitable non-profit organization, for the last 15 year promoting multi-cultural-ism and traditional Chinese ethics. He served on a program advisory board at Langara College since 2005 contributing to the growth of the program at the College and helped in developing industry leaders of tomorrow. His twelve years of experience in the health care field have given him insight into the important connection between a supportive community and quality of life for seniors. For the last six years Jeffrey served on the board of directors and is currently the President of New Vista Society, a charitable non-profit organization, supporting seniors and low-income people with access to high-quality health care and housing services in our communities. Jeffrey also served as Library Trustee for the Burnaby Public Library since 2016.

From: [Louie, Jacqueline ITT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: CC Proposals
Date: Friday, February 2, 2018 6:22:45 PM
Attachments: [Proposed members 02022018.docx](#)

Hi Layne,
Let me know if you have any questions.
Thanks,
Jacqueline

Jacqueline Louie

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Cc: Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX
Subject: "Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee" - Chinese name
Date: Friday, February 23, 2018 5:17:54 PM

FYI – I have provided the Chinese name to Ming Pao & Fairchild AM1470 so far. The request initially went to caucus.

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From: David Lin
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: David Lin (林大誠)'s Bio
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 9:39:46 PM

Hi Layne: thank you for your mail and the following is my bio.
I am currently on my business trip in Winnipeg and Churchill, Manitoba.
For the coming teleconference meeting on March 2nd, I will try my best to joint, if you have any questions, please contact me at my mobile s.22
Thanks and best regards.
David

David (林大誠) was born and raised in Taipei, Taiwan. He came to Vancouver B.C. as a student in 1985.
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David Lin

Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca> 於 2018年2月27日 下午4:07 寫道:

Hi Everyone,

Thank you again for agreeing to serve on the Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee.

Attached to this e-mail, you will find the press release that was released last Friday, February 23rd. Within it you will find the list of committee members and the purpose of the committee. The key points are:

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the Chinese-Canadian community in British Columbia.

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The first welcoming of this committee will be this **Friday, March 2nd at 4:30PM** via teleconference. I hope many of you are able to join.

Please use the following teleconference info:

Tel: 1-877-353-9184

Participant code: **s.15,s.17**

We would also like to invite you to the first in-person inaugural meeting on **Thursday, March 22nd at 5:00PM**. It will be held at the Vancouver Cabinet Office.

In the meantime, can each of you please send me the following as soon as possible:

<!--[if !supportLists]-->1.<!--[endif]-->Chinese name (in character form)

<!--[if !supportLists]-->2.<!--[endif]-->100-200 Word Biography

Once we have received these materials, we will send out another e-mail next week with draft Terms of Reference and each other's bios. We will review and discuss the terms of reference at the first in person meeting.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me at any point. Thank you again for your time and commitment to serving on this committee.

Sincerely,

Layne

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From: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
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Subject: Draft
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 1:52:10 PM

Can you fact check? Sending to PJH at 5

Premier's Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee

Background:

- On February 23rd, government announced the Premier's Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee.
- Some media reported that members of the committee were not aware of their appointments at the time of the government announcement.
- Fred Mah told media he didn't know anything before he was appointed. As a result of a miscommunication, he thought he was being considered for the committee, not being appointed.
- Media have questions about the makeup and role of the committee.

What's the goal and purpose of the committee?

- Our government is committed to making life better and more affordable for people from all parts of the community and walks of life.
- It's essential that we hear the voices of Chinese-Canadians as we do that work.
- This committee of respected community leaders will help ensure that the voices of Chinese-Canadians are heard clearly in our government.

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To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: E-mail

As discussed – I would like to send an e-mail to everyone on the committee tomorrow. Please review the following language. Kate is working on giving me a time for the first teleconference. Jacqueline – can you send me the excel spreadsheet we created earlier with contact info?

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The first meeting of this committee will be [INSERT DATE & TIME] via teleconference.

Please use the following teleconference info: [INSERT TELECONFERENCE INFO]

In the meantime, can each of you please send me the following:

1. Chinese name (in character form)
2. 100-200 Word Biography

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me at any point. Thank you again for your time and commitment.

Sincerely,

Layne

Layne Clark

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From: [Groves, Joanna LASS:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Premier announces new Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee - BC Gov News
Date: Friday, February 23, 2018 2:18:20 PM

FYI

From: Groves, Joanna
Sent: Friday, February 23, 2018 2:17 PM
Subject: FW: Premier announces new Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee - BC Gov News
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NEWS RELEASE

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To: [Carroll, Sandra TAC:EX](#)
Cc: [Zacharuk, Christina PSEC:EX](#); [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: CCAC
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:52:09 PM
Attachments: [CCAC TOR.docx](#)
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Thanks Sandy.

Don

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Date: February 28, 2018 at 4:16:16 PM PST
To: "Wright, Don J. PREM:EX" <Don.J.Wright@gov.bc.ca>, "Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX" <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca>
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Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Terms of Reference

Purpose and Rationale

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Goals

The goal of the advisory committee is to:

- Identify and actively engage with members of the Chinese community
- Ensure information from this community engagement is brought forward to the Premier for active consideration and implementation into the government agenda

Proposed Structure

The advisory committee will include:

- A committee of 15-20 members, selected for their expertise and community involvement.
- Each member has a two year term. The term can be extended.
- There will be two co-chairs and one committee secretary. All three will be members of the committee and will be chosen by consensus of the committee.
- They are independent members of the community and do not speak for the government.

Reporting Requirements

The advisory committee will report to the Premier through the Minister of State for Trade.

Remuneration

The advisory committee is a voluntary board.

From: [Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: curriculum vitae
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 9:44:34 AM
Attachments: [image001.jpg](#)

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From: "Bill Yee" <[s.22](#)>
Date: February 27, 2018 at 9:42:25 AM PST
To: "'Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX'" <Jacqueline.Louie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: curriculum vitae

Yes, my Chinese name is 余宏榮。

From: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX [<mailto:Jacqueline.Louie@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: February 27, 2018 8:22 AM
To: 'Bill Yee' <[s.22](#)>
Subject: RE: curriculum vitae

Thank you, Bill. Do you also have a Chinese name you could provide?

Best,

Jacqueline

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From: Bill Yee <[s.22](#)>
Sent: Monday, February 26, 2018 11:37 PM
To: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
Subject: curriculum vitae

Jacqueline,

As per your request, I provide the following personal information:

I was born in Guangzhou, Guangdong, PRC, immigrated to Canada in 1959, attended Strathcona Secondary School, Britannia High School, graduated from UBC Law School in 1973, married with three children, practised law in Vancouver and Richmond for 25 years, elected as Alderman for the City of Vancouver in 1982 and again in 1984, received Queen's Counsel designation in 1999 and was appointed as Provincial Court

Judge in the same year, retired from the Court in 2015.

I have served as President of Vancouver Chinese Benevolent Association for many terms, former Vice-Chairman of Chinese Cultural Centre, former Executive Chair of the National Congress of Chinese Canadians, Vancouver Police Board member from 1992-1997, B. C. Hydro Board member 1997 – 1999, former Chair of Vancouver-Guangzhou Friendship Society, former Chairman of B. C. – Guangdong Business Council.

I am currently a member of the Advisory Group on Historical Discrimination Against Chinese People for the City of Vancouver, the National Chairman of the Yee Fong Toy Society of Canada and Honorary Citizen of Guangzhou.

Please feel free to get back to me if you have any questions.

Bill Yee



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From: [Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Fwd: Resume_Hua Niu.docx
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 4:02:51 PM
Attachments: [Resume_Hua Niu.docx](#)
[ATT00001.htm](#)

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From: "Kang, Anne" .s.17
Date: March 1, 2018 at 3:59:15 PM PST
To: "Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX" <Jacqueline.Louie@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Resume_Hua Niu.docx

Please receive Hua Niu (Harris) resume.

Anne

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From: TCCCA_President
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Cc: mina.oreck@gov.b.c.a
Subject: Hanyin 02028 - Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 1:46:25 PM
Attachments: [Christina Chang - Biography.pptx](#)

Dear Layne,

It's my honour to be part of the Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee, I will definitely devote myself working for a better British Columbia!

Attached please find my biography as per your request.

I will join the first welcoming teleconference on March 2 and the first in-person meeting on March 22.

Thank you.

Regards,

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Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada
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On 2018-02-28 06:07, Clark, Layne PREM:EX wrote:

Hi Everyone,

Thank you again for agreeing to serve on the Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee.

Attached to this e-mail, you will find the press release that was released last Friday, February 23rd. Within it you will find the list of committee members and the purpose of the committee. The key points are:

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the province.

The first welcoming of this committee will be this **Friday, March 2nd at 4:30PM** via teleconference. I hope many of you are able to join.

Please use the following teleconference info:

Tel: 1-877-353-9184

Participant code: ^{s.15,s.17}

We would also like to invite you to the first in-person inaugural meeting on **Thursday, March 22nd at 5:00PM**. It will be held at the Vancouver Cabinet Office.

In the meantime, can each of you please send me the following as soon as possible:

. Chinese name (in character form)

. 100-200 Word Biography

Once we have received these materials, we will send out another e-mail next week with draft Terms of Reference and each other's bios. We will review and discuss the terms of reference at the first in person meeting.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me at any point. Thank you again for your time and commitment to serving on this committee.

Sincerely,

Layne

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Biography of Christina Chang

Even before receiving the Outstanding Chinese-Canadian Woman Award back in 2012, Christina Chang has always been an upstanding Canadian citizen who is an active member in her community. A graduate from Chinese Culture University with a degree in French Language and Literature in 1985, Christina immigrated to Canada a decade later and successfully established an education consulting company, Hanyin Education Consulting Inc., providing proper education guidance for international students. Some of her early students are now receiving their PhDs from renowned Canadian universities.



Christina Chang

張健理

president@hanyin.ca

Since 2009, Christina has been heavily involved in the Taiwan Chamber of Commerce, which promotes healthy business exchange between Taiwan and Canada. Starting as the 18th president of this organization at the provincial level in BC, she is now the President of Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada (TCCCA) as well as an advisor to the Taiwanese Chambers of Commerce in North America and the World Taiwanese Chambers of Commerce seven years later till now.

As a strong believer of giving back to society, she rewarded a total of \$5,000 in scholarships to outstanding students and raised \$270,000 for the Typhoon Morakot disaster in Taiwan in 2009. Her contributions were recognized by being awarded as the finalist of the New Canadian Entrepreneur in 2014 and receiving the Outstanding Entrepreneur in BC Canada Award just a year later.

In addition to her hefty contributions as the president of both the Hanyin Education Group and Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada, she also works as the President of the Taiwan Association for Future Leaders (TAFL) to provide a platform where teenagers are giving opportunity to communicate and connect with leaders from the East and West, as well as the Advisor for the Overseas Compatriot Affairs Commission, ROC.

From: [Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#); [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Call
Date: Monday, February 26, 2018 5:15:39 PM

Should be no problem. I'll wait for Amber to return and provide some options.

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, February 26, 2018 5:15 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Call

Can you give me a time (and place a hold in the Premier's calendar) for the first Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee meeting? I am proposing the first meeting be a teleconference call, and happen in short order, to thank everyone for serving. After that, we should have an in-person meeting in Vancouver. We will need a longer term schedule (quarterly) after that? I don't think the Premier is necessary at all of them, but will leave that up to you and Geoff to decide.

Let me know what would work. I'd like to get an e-mail out to them tomorrow with a time for the first call.

Thank you!

Layne

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From: [Zacharuk, Christina PSEC:EX](#)
To: [Wright, Don J. PREM:EX](#); [Carroll, Sandra TAC:EX](#)
Cc: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#); [Rathbone, Chris PSEC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: CCAC
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 4:26:47 PM

Thanks Don – we will get this through ARC. CZ

From: Wright, Don J. PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:52 PM
To: Carroll, Sandra TAC:EX
Cc: Zacharuk, Christina PSEC:EX; Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Fwd: CCAC

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Don

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From: [Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Draft
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 3:25:30 PM

Do you have general Q&A as well?

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From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, March 1, 2018 2:53 PM
To: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
Subject: FW: Draft

I made some edits but this is the jist.

From: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX
Sent: Thursday, March 1, 2018 1:52 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Draft

Can you fact check? Sending to PJH at 5

Premier's Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee

Background:

- On February 23rd, government announced the Premier's Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee.
- Some media reported that members of the committee were not aware of their appointments at the time of the government announcement.
- Fred Mah told media he didn't know anything before he was appointed. As a result of a miscommunication, he thought he was being considered for the committee, not being appointed.
- Media have questions about the makeup and role of the committee.

What's the goal and purpose of the committee?

- Our government is committed to making life better and more affordable for people from all parts of the community and walks of life.
- It's essential that we hear the voices of Chinese-Canadians as we do that work.
- This committee of respected community leaders will help ensure that the voices of Chinese-Canadians are heard clearly in our government.

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From: [Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#); [Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Next Steps
Date: Wednesday, February 14, 2018 11:14:30 AM
Attachments: [Proposed members 02142018.docx](#)

Attached is an updated list. s.13

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From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Saturday, February 10, 2018 10:14 AM
To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Cc: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
Subject: Re: Next Steps
Geoff - s.13

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Layne

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On Feb 10, 2018, at 9:52 AM, Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX <Geoff.Meggs@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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On Feb 9, 2018, at 5:38 PM, Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
<Jacqueline.Louie@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

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From: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Sent: Friday, February 9, 2018 5:25 PM
To: Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
Cc: Clark, Layne PREM:EX; Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Next Steps
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On Feb 9, 2018, at 5:18 PM, Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX
<Jacqueline.Louie@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Thanks, Layne.
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Let me know if you have any questions.

Thanks,

Jacqueline

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From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX

Sent: Friday, February 9, 2018 3:39 PM

To: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX; Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX

Cc: Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX

Subject: Next Steps

Based on the call yesterday, here are the next steps:

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Let me know what you think.

Layne

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From: [Louie, Jacqueline JTT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#); [Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Wong, Tamarra PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Next Steps
Date: Friday, February 9, 2018 5:18:03 PM
Attachments: [Proposed members 02092018.docx](#)

Thanks, Layne.
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Thanks,

Jacqueline

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From: [Hardin, Karl GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Hanuman, Heron GCPE:EX](#); [GCPE Photography Request GCPE:EX](#); [Hargreaves, Stephen GCPE:EX](#); [Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Photo
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 4:49:59 PM

Hi Layne,

I'm copying Heron and the photo request email on this thread.

Heron, please book a photographer for this and follow up with Layne.

Thanks!

Karl

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 27, 2018, at 4:46 PM, Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Karl,

If you aren't the correct person to direct this to, please feel free to pass this message along.

We are going to have the inaugural meeting of the Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee on Thursday, March 22nd at 5PM at the Vancouver Cabinet Office. We would like to have a photographer there to take photos of the Premier and Minister Chow with the members.

If I could know the process of booking this, that would be helpful.

Thanks!

Layne

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From: [Louie, Jacqueline ITT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier announces new Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee - BC Gov News
Date: Friday, February 23, 2018 2:32:31 PM

Thank you!!!

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From: Queenie Choo
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premiers Advisory Committee
Date: Friday, March 2, 2018 8:34:13 AM

Hi Layne,
Thank you for info.

Best
Queenie

On Mar 2, 2018, at 8:20 AM, Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca<<mailto:Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>>>> wrote:

Hi Everyone,

Thanks to those that have confirmed being on the teleconference call today at 4:30 and to everyone for sending in their biographies. The Premier will be doing a Chinese media round table today, so there may be more information in the media about the purpose of this committee. Please note that I have attached an agenda for the teleconference call.

For the first in-person inaugural meeting on March 22nd, it will be at the Vancouver Cabinet Office. The address is: Suite 740, 999 Canada Place (Floor 7, within the World Trade Centre)

An agenda, draft terms of reference and biographies will be sent to everyone next week for this meeting.

Again – thanks for joining us on the call today and I look forward to meeting everyone in person soon! Please feel free to reach out at any time.

Layne

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From: Imogene Lim
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 4:41:10 PM

Hi Layne,
Here's my bio:

Dr. Imogene Lim is an anthropologist (BA Hons, Simon Fraser University; AM & PhD, Brown University) and past Chair of Anthropology at Vancouver Island University. She has worked with diverse communities in BC and abroad, and more specifically, for the past two decades those on Vancouver Island. Among her research interests are ethnicity in Canada and Asian Canadian history. Her community contributions include appointments to the Editorial Board of [BC Studies](#), the [Coal Creek Historic Park Advisory Committee](#) (Cumberland, Vancouver Island), the [Laurier Institution](#), and [BC Legacy Initiatives Advisory Council](#), as well as, being a founding member and former Board Director of the [Chinese Canadian Historical Society of BC](#). She has conducted field work in Tanzania and speaks Swahili.

As a descendant of Cumberland and Vancouver's Chinatown, Dr. Lim learned through family stories the challenges they faced due to the politics (head tax and more) and social climate of the day (overt racism). Like many other multi-generational Canadians of Chinese descent, she is reminded that her grandparents and parents were the ones who pushed against barriers to make a better life for their descendants and, ultimately, for all Canadians. As an educator, she continues to do the same.

My Chinese name: 林慕珍

I am able to join the group March 2 at 4:30pm in the teleconference. However, attending the in-person meeting of March 22, 5pm, is not possible. s.22

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As a LIAC member, meetings were held at the Pan Pacific Hotel. Where is the Vancouver Cabinet Office? The location might also affect how quickly I could arrive if I was travelling from Nanaimo. I believe I may be the only committee member living outside of metro Vancouver. While classes are in session, in general, s.22

assuming I don't already have a commitment.

Regards,
Imogene

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX [<mailto:Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:07 PM

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From: david Ding
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 5:07:18 PM

thank you, LAYNE. Got your message.

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From: Shirley chan
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 8:09:14 PM
Attachments: Brief bio for S Chan 2018 02 27docx.docx
Shirley Chan - Chinese Name.jpg

Thank you, Layne. I am attaching my bio and name in Chinese characters with apologies for the ugly look of the characters. Out of practice and using a Sharpie
Let me know if there is anything else you need. I plan to attend the conference call on Friday.
Regards,
Shirley

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Bio for Shirley Chan

Shirley Chan, retired in 2012 as CEO of the non-profit economic development agency in Vancouver's Downtown Eastside. Previously she was Regional Director BC/Yukon for Health Canada then Director of Sustainable Development in Ottawa. She was the City of Vancouver's Director of Non-market Housing and Chief of Staff for Mayor Mike Harcourt. She also held various Federal Public Service positions in Ottawa and Toronto.

In the 60s and 70s, Shirley helped organize her community of largely non-English speaking Chinese Canadians and founded the Strathcona Property Owners and Tenants Association (SPOTA) that stopped demolition of Strathcona and Chinatown; thus putting an end to the proposed freeway system in Vancouver.

Shirley serves on the Vancouver Chinatown Revitalization Committee and the Chinatown Working Group for North East False Creek. She held leadership roles with boards of UBC, BC Hydro, Vancity Credit Union, Citizen's Bank, Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Classical Chinese Garden and Learning for a Sustainable Future. She received an Honourary Doctorate (UBC); Outstanding Alumni Award (SFU); YWCA Woman of Distinction and Queen's Jubilee Medal. She has a BA from SFU; Masters in Environmental Studies from York.

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From: Bill Yee
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 10:27:16 AM
Attachments: image001.jpg

Hi Layne,

As I will be going out of town in the morning of March 2nd, I won't be able to participate in the teleconference. I will try to attend the in-person meeting on March 22nd as that happens to be the s.22

. My biography and Chinese name have already been provided to Jacqueline from George Chow's office a couple of days ago. I will be appreciated if you can provide me with the address of the Vancouver Cabinet Office so that I can make my best effort to attend.. Thank you.
Bill

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From: Carol Lee
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 6:21:35 PM
Attachments: Bio Premier's Chinese Community Advisory Committee 180226.pdf

Hi Layne,
Here it is. Will try to find someone to write out my Chinese name!
Best regards,
c

Carol Lee
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Third Floor, 127 East Pender Street
Vancouver, BC V6A 1T6 Canada
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On Tue, Feb 27, 2018 at 5:33 PM, Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Thanks Carol for letting us know. Can you please share with us your bio and Chinese name when you have a moment?

Layne

From: Carol Lee [mailto:calee@linacare.com]
Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 5:32 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory

Dear Layne,

Thanks so much for the invitation to join the conference call on March 2nd. ^{s.22}
^{s.22} I look forward to meeting you at the March 22nd meeting.

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CAROL ANNE LEE

Carol Anne Lee is CEO and co-founder of Linacare Cosmethery Inc., a company that manufactures and sells therapeutic skincare products. Linacare is headquartered in Vancouver's historic Chinatown district. With long standing family ties to the history of Chinatown, she is strongly committed to the revitalization of the area and is the Chair of the Vancouver Chinatown Foundation, Chair of the Vancouver Chinatown Revitalization Committee and Honorary Patron of the Chinese Canadian Military Museum.

She serves on several other boards and organizations including the Harvard Business School Canadian Advisory Board, the Leadership Council of the Perimeter Institute of Theoretical Physics in Waterloo, a board member of Governor General David Johnston's Rideau Hall Foundation and co-chair of the Rideau Hall Foundation Innovation Committee. She was also a member of federal Finance Minister Morneau's Advisory Council on Economic Growth.

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From: Sunny Ho
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 7:17:57 PM

Dear Layne

It is a great honour to be appointed as the Advisory Committee.

Name: Sunny Ho

Chinese Name: 何強新

President of Business Association of Richmond

Thanks.

Sunny Ho

「Clark, Layne PREM:EX <Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>」在 2018年2月27日 週二,下午2:07 寫道:

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From: Sunny Ho
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 7:35:09 PM

Dear Layne

Might I have my biography as follows:

Sunny Ho is 61, born in Hong Kong. For over ten years Sunny was engaged with his family restaurant business before he sought his further study. In 1989 Sunny graduated from Northern Ireland University with an accounting degree. Then he was employed as a teacher in secondary school for three years.

Twenty-five years ago, Sunny and his family immigrated to Canada. In 1996 Sunny and his wife opened a bakery and restaurant business in Richmond. Sunny greatly appreciates that the multiculturalism in Canada is the key factor to the success of his businesses.

Sunny is an entrepreneur and owns these local businesses: Kam Do Bakery Ltd. and Westminster Development Ltd. For serving the community, Sunny is the President of Business Association of Richmond. Caring, Sharing and Serving are his goals to the community.

Thanks

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From: Alexander Fan
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 8:45:58 PM

Thanks Layne for your email. I will not be able to attend the conference call on March 2nd, as I am away attending conference. However I will be able to attend the meeting on March 22nd in person. In responding to your request:

(1) My Chinese name is 范偉銘.

(2) Bio: immigrated to Canada in 1989 from Taiwan. Wife Samantha, daughter Stephanie (26 years old) and son Christopher (16 YO) who is an avid figure skater, inspired to represent Canada in the Winter Olympic in Beijing in 2022. I received my MBA degree from Claremont Graduate University in Los Angeles in 1994. I am the Vice President in charge of CIBC Retail Asian Banking (therefore 3 business trips to China every year), also Board of Director for the SUCCESS Foundation. Very engaged with local community. Volunteer for BC Children's Hospital since mid 1990's for its fundraising effort. Chair of Banks Division for BC Children's Hospital Foundation 2011-2012. Received Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee Medal in 2013. President for Taiwan Chamber of Commerce in B.C. 2003, and Vice Chair for Taiwan Chamber of Commerce in North America in 2003.

Sent from my iPhone

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From: Email Sender
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 3:43:17 PM
Attachments: [Fred Mah Bio.docx](#)

Hi Layne:

As requested attached is my brief bio. It is more than a couple of hundred words. Please cut as many statements as you wish so that it can fit into your format. My Chinese name is 马清石。I will be able to join the conference call tomorrow at 4:30.

Thanks. Talk to you tomorrow.

Fred

From: "Clark, Layne PREM:EX"
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From: June Chow
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [June Chow](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 8:55:41 PM

Hello Layne,
Below is my bio which includes my Chinese name.

I will call in to tomorrow/Friday's teleconference call using the instructions provided. Can you please advise the address of the Vancouver Cabinet Office for the March 22 in-person meeting?

Thank you and I hope I can be of service.
June
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June Chow 周慕慈 is co-founder of the Youth Collaborative for Chinatown 青心在唐人街 that advocates for cultural revitalization as key to (re)building community within the quickly changing neighbourhood. The group's mahjong socials and Cantonese school offer place-based opportunities to actively learn and practice the intangible cultural heritage of the area—as an act of reclaiming knowledge and its transfer across generations and cultures. June is a Lifetime Member and Director in her third consecutive term of the Hoy Ping Benevolent Association, one of the numerous Chinese family societies that continue to call Chinatown home. She works as a community consultant for projects in and impacting the historic area, and previously, as a fundraising and alumni engagement professional at the University of British Columbia for over ten years. June is a second-generation Chinese Canadian.

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Subject: RE: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:47:11 PM
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[Queenie Choo for Premier's Advisory Council.docx](#)

Hi Layne,

Thank you very much for your invite for the upcoming meeting. I am delighted to join in person once you have the info available. Sienna is my assistant and please include her in your meeting invite in the future.

Included in my bio (see attached) is my Chinese name and photo as required.

I am looking forward to our meeting this Friday March 1.

Best, Queenie

Sienna,

Please add to my calendar. Thanks

Queenie Choo, RN, B.ScN, MN, CHE

Chief Executive Officer

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From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX [<mailto:Layne.Clark@gov.bc.ca>]

Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:07 PM

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Queenie Choo's 周潘坤玲 Biography

Queenie Choo immigrated to Canada in 1980. Since then, she has made significant achievements both in her career and in the community. She was appointed as the first CEO to commission the Chinese care home in Edmonton Alberta and has held senior leadership positions within Alberta Health Services.

In 2012 Queenie was appointed as the CEO of S.U.C.C.E.S.S., the largest non-profit social service organization in BC. Queenie's passion to serve the community has extended her volunteering on many boards including Omni TV advisory council to ensure diversity and inclusion in media programming, RCMP Commanding Officer's Cultural Diversity Inclusion Board and the Poverty Reduction Advisory Council for the provincial government. She is also engaged on the advisory council for the "Apology for Chinese Canadians for the Historical Wrong" project at both the provincial level and municipal level in Vancouver.

Internationally, Queenie is instrumental in providing pre-arrival services in Beijing China, Seoul South Korea and Taipei Taiwan to strengthen the cultural, economic and social integration of newcomers before arriving in BC. Fostering business entrepreneurship, employment, economic and social development opportunities in local communities remains her advocacy and passion.

Queenie is the recipient of the Queen Elizabeth II Diamond Jubilee medal for her significant contributions to the community. She is recognized as one of the 35 most influential women in BC, top 25 Canadian Immigrants. In 2016, Queenie was named as the 50 most powerful people in Vancouver.

From: Carol Lee
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Re: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 5:32:36 PM

Dear Layne,
Thanks so much for the invitation to join the conference call on March 2nd. Unfortunately I'll be out of town. I look forward to meeting you at the March 22nd meeting.
Best regards,
Carol

Carol Lee
Linacare Cosmethery Inc.
Third Floor, 127 East Pender Street
Vancouver, BC V6A 1T6 Canada
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From: Theresa Ho
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Shorter Biography for Theresa Ho
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 3:39:45 PM
Attachments: 20180301 Theresa Ho SHORTER Bio for CCAC.docx

Dear Ms. Clark,

If possible, could you please use this revised bio - which is now more succinct - and discard the earlier one I sent you? Its word count is 193!

Sorry for the trouble.

Many thanks,

Theresa

Theresa W.Y. Ho 何韻怡

Theresa W.Y. Ho immigrated to Canada from Hong Kong with her parents and three sisters in the late 1980s. She graduated from the University of British Columbia with a B.A. in Anthropology, later going on to earn a Diploma of Technology (D.T.) from the British Columbia Institute of Technology (BCIT) where she specialized in Broadcast and Media Communications. Over the past two decades, Ms. Ho has garnered professional experience in both Vancouver and Toronto. She has served as a cultural liaison; a documentary filmmaker; a promoter of human rights and peace education; and advocate for immigrant and refugee rights. In addition, she has earned film credits in six award-winning documentary productions for her work as a Researcher and Associate Producer. Chinese Canadian culture and immigration history have figured heavily in her work for both the National Film Board of Canada (NFB) and the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation (CBC). She has long explored the diverse range of experience of immigrants to Canada in order to further public understanding on this topic. And, as a frontline caseworker at the offices of Federal and Provincial elected officials, she engages daily with the struggles and triumphs of constituents.

From: Theresa Ho
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Theresa Ho's Biography for Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 3:18:17 PM
Attachments: [20180301 Theresa Ho Bio for CCAC.docx](#)

Dear Layne Clark,

Sorry for my delay in sending you my bio.

Please see the attached for your perusal and be my guest to take out the last two sentences if space does not permit. Thanks for your work on this matter.

Sincerely,

Theresa Ho
T: s.22

P.S.: Could you tell me where is the Vancouver Cabinet Office located please?

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From: [Louie, Jacqueline ITT:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Updated list
Date: Thursday, February 15, 2018 12:17:00 PM
Attachments: [Proposed members 02142018.docx](#)

I'll check with MGC about preferred numbers.

Thanks,

Jacqueline

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From: 陳儀芬
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: 答复: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Thursday, March 1, 2018 9:34:36 AM
Attachments: Bio.docx

Hi Layne:

Thanks for your email.

Please see the attachment about my bio.

I will join the teleconference this Friday, but I can't attend the meeting March 22^{s.22}
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Thank you,
Debbie

发件人: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
发送时间: 2018年2月27日 14:07:11
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Debbie Chen 陳儀芬

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Debbie Chen is a journalist in Sing Tao Daily.

After completing her master degree of telecommunication in San Diego States University, she worked at TVBS and Unique TV in Taiwan for over 10 years. After immigrating to Canada in 2005, she became a radio host for “News Frontline” and also served a role as Mandarin news team leader in Fairchild Radio. Apart from hard working, she dedicates herself to community volunteer work such as Youth Initiative, Tzu Chi Foundation and Breakfast Club in Anderson Elementary School.

Debbie has a passion for life-long learning and loves to communicate with people. She and her husband have two children.

From: 吴 自力
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: 答复: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 10:24:23 PM

Dear Clark,

Please find my biography as follows. My name in Chinese is 吴自力。

If there is any other thing needed, please let me know.

Thank you.

Best Regards

Frank Zili Wu

Mr. Frank Zili Wu was born in 1965. Graduated Qinghua University with a Master Degree in Sports Management, Mr. Wu has been actively involved in organizing sporting and charity events in local community, as well as promoting sports and culture exchange between Canada and China.

Mr. Wu is the co-founder of Canada China Sports Foundation and its subsidiary charity organization--CCSF Autism Foundation. Since 2015, Mr. Wu has spearheaded the organizing work for several major sports exchange programs, including Beijing Meets Vancouver: Olympic Host Cities Forum in 2015, and Canada China Women's Hockey Tournament in 2016. Currently Mr. Wu is working on "Run To Beijing Olympics", a project to promote Vancouver International Marathon in China as well as connect marathon host cities in China with Vancouver.

Mr. Wu is also the main driving force in Chinese Canadian community for charity work like fundraising for Pacific Autism Family Network, Vancouver General Hospital and Richmond Hospital. "I want to be the bridge builder to connect BC's sports and tourism industry with their Chinese counterpart, in order to promote BC as the sports tourism destination in China, therefore bringing Chinese sports lovers to BC, creating jobs and economic activities for local communities." Says Mr. Wu.

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发送时间: 2018年2月28日 6:07:11
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From: [Kingston, Charlotte PREM:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Accepted: Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

First Name	Last Name	Email	Phone	Bio	Chinese Name	Notes
s.22						
Shirley	Chan	s.22				Send terms of reference
Christina	Chang	president@hanyin.ca	s.22			
Debbie	Chen	s.22				
Queenie	Choo	queenie.choo@success.bc.ca				
June	Chow	s.22				Share bios and Chinese names
Alex	Fan					s.22
Sunny	Ho					Message left
Carol	Lee	calee@linacare.com				
Imogene	Lim	imogene.lim@viu.ca				
David	Lin	s.22				
Fred	Mah					Message left
Harris	Niu					
Zili (Frank)	Wu					s.22
Bill	Yee					
Jeffrey	Yu					

From: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Premiers Advisory Committee
Date: Friday, March 2, 2018 8:19:31 AM
Attachments: [180301 CCAC Agenda.pdf](#)

Hi Everyone,

Thanks to those that have confirmed being on the teleconference call today at 4:30 and to everyone for sending in their biographies. The Premier will be doing a Chinese media round table today, so there may be more information in the media about the purpose of this committee. Please note that I have attached an agenda for the teleconference call.

For the first in-person inaugural meeting on March 22nd, it will be at the Vancouver Cabinet Office. The address is:

Suite 740, 999 Canada Place (Floor 7, within the World Trade Centre)

An agenda, draft terms of reference and biographies will be sent to everyone next week for this meeting.

Again – thanks for joining us on the call today and I look forward to meeting everyone in person soon! Please feel free to reach out at any time.

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AGENDA

Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Chair: Premier John Horgan

Moderator: Sheena McConnell

Tel: 1-877-353-9184

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4:30PM	Welcome	Premier
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4:40PM	Remarks from Minister Chow	George Chow
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4:45PM	Questions	Moderator: Sheena McConnell
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Office of the Premier

NEWS RELEASE

Premier announces new Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

VANCOUVER - Premier John Horgan has announced a new Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee to assist the Province of British Columbia in strengthening social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and around the globe.

"Our government is committed to ensuring our province's strong, sustainable economy includes the voices of the many Chinese Canadians who live and work here," said Premier Horgan.

The advisory committee will provide advice to the Premier on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese Canadian community in British Columbia. The committee will recommend strategies for building on B.C.'s economic and cultural connections with China and Chinese communities throughout the world. It also will be tasked with proposing new programs and projects for government consideration to enhance the contributions of the Chinese-Canadian community to the province.

Members of the committee are community leaders from diverse backgrounds:

- * Shirley Chan, Vancouver Chinatown activist
- * Christina Chang, president, Taiwan Chambers of Commerce in Canada
- * Debbie Chen, journalist
- * Queenie Choo, CEO, S.U.C.C.E.S.S.
- * June Chow, co-founder, Youth Collaborative for Chinatown
- * Alex Fan, vice-president, CIBC
- * Ding Guo, journalist and TV commentator
- * Sunny Ho, Richmond Business Association
- * Theresa W. Y. Ho, human rights and Chinese-Canadian history activist

- * Carol Lee, chair, Vancouver Chinatown Foundation
- * Imogene Lim, professor of anthropology, Vancouver Island University
- * David Lin, radio host
- * Fred Mah, chair, Chinatown Society Heritage Buildings Association
- * Harris Niu, president, Canadian Community Services Association, organizer of the Chinese Cultural Festival
- * Zili (Frank) Wu, founder, Canada China Sports Foundation
- * Bill Yee, retired provincial lawyer and judge
- * Jeffrey Yu, President, New Vista Society and Operations Manager, Chinese Taoism Kuan-Kung Association, Tien Jin Temple

From: [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
To: [Brown, Evan PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: SN Chinese media roundtable
Date: Thursday, February 22, 2018 5:55:02 PM
Attachments: [SN Chinese media roundtable.docx](#)

From: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Sent: Thursday, February 22, 2018 5:34 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: SN Chinese media roundtable
No, this version. For certain this time.

ADVICE TO MINISTER

February 23, 2018

Speaking Notes – Chinese Media Roundtable

Speech goals:

- Welcome media to the Chinese Media Roundtable
- Announce new Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Special Mentions:

- Parliamentary Secretary Anne Kang
- Minister Bruce Ralston

Format:

- 5 minutes speaking
- Short Q and A after

Audience:

1. Sing Tao – reporter Kevin Zhuang
2. Global Chinese Press – editor, Moru Chen
3. Dawa Business Press – editor, Zaixin Ma, and journalist, Nan Wang
4. West Canada Weekly – editor-in-Chief, Robert Zhang & managing editor, Erika Liu
5. Fairchild TV – news director, Todd Ye & cameraman
6. Phoenix TV – reporter Lisa Wu & cameraman Kevin
7. Westca.com – editor Maggie Chen
8. Rise Weekly – editor-in-chief, Suihong
9. Bcbay.com, chief operating officer, Mr. Jeans Xu
10. Lahoo.ca – Wendy Wen, journalist
11. Han Can – Linda Chang, reporter

SPEAKING NOTES BEGIN NEXT PAGE

- Welcome, everyone.
- Thank you for joining us to celebrate the Lunar New Year.
- We are celebrating today on the unceded territories of the Musqueam, Squamish and Tsleil-Waututh Nations.
- I want to thank Minister Bruce Ralston and Parliamentary Secretary Anne Kang for joining us.
- I'm pleased to see so many members of the Chinese media here in BC joining us.

- Lunar New Year is one of the most significant annual celebrations for our province's Chinese, Vietnamese, Korean, Laotian and Singaporean communities.
- People are celebrating the New Year in events both big and small in their communities across BC.
- This year, we're celebrating the Year of the Dog, a symbol of hard work, friendship, integrity and equality.
- The vibrancy of these celebrations reminds us how important cultural diversity is to creating a strong and vibrant province.
- Our lives are enriched by the inclusive, multicultural society we are so lucky to live in.

- And Lunar New Year is a wonderful time for all British Columbians to explore the rich traditions and cultures of our friends and neighbours.
- Our government will continue to champion the values of diversity, inclusion, and mutual respect.
- And to help do us that, I'm pleased to announce our government's new Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee.
- Our government is committed to ensuring our province's strong, sustainable economy includes the voices of the many Chinese-Canadians who live and work here.

- This committee will assist the Province of BC in strengthening social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and around the world.
- The diverse members of this team will provide advice to me on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese Canadian community in BC.
- They will also be tasked with proposing new initiatives for government consideration to enhance the contributions of the Chinese-Canadian community to the province.

- By working together, we are making our province stronger and wealthier, benefiting us all.
- Happy New Year!

From: [Nash, Amber PREM:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Call
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:12:52 PM

Thanks will add details now.

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:12 PM
To: Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Call

Sent out and confirmed.

Thanks for your help on this. Amber – I just sent you the calendar invite and meeting invite to the committee.

From: Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 11:28 AM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Call

Confirming :

March 2nd – 4:30pm Teleconference Call

March 22nd 5pm First Meeting of the Chinese Advisory Council

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From: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, February 26, 2018 5:16 PM
To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Call

Should be no problem. I'll wait for Amber to return and provide some options.

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Monday, February 26, 2018 5:15 PM
To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX
Cc: Meggs, Geoff PREM:EX
Subject: Call

Can you give me a time (and place a hold in the Premier's calendar) for the first Chinese-Canadian Community Advisory Committee meeting? I am proposing the first meeting be a teleconference call, and happen in short order, to thank everyone for serving. After that, we should have an in-person meeting in Vancouver. We will need a longer term schedule (quarterly) after that? I don't think the Premier is necessary at all of them, but will leave that up to you and Geoff to decide.

Let me know what would work. I'd like to get an e-mail out to them tomorrow with a time for the first call.

Thank you!

Layne

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From: [Truong, Lele GCPE:EX](#)
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#); [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Sherlock, Stephanie GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: Concern about the Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 2:31:00 PM
Attachments: [FW Chinese advisory committee.msg](#)

Hi Sage, Jen,

I have been asked by caucus communications to share Ming Pao's concern with you. I've enclosed original email for your reference.

The email is written in Chinese from the assignment editor, Susanna Ng to Caucus Communications Officer on February 28, 2018

Ms. Ng's concern in Chinese

“上週省府公佈了新的華人諮詢委員會名單, 我們有些concern, 希望先跟你說一說。名單上有好幾個是記者, 我們有點擔心, 獲邀開會的傳媒, 就有scoop了, 那麼對於其他不知道政策/討論進展的傳媒就有點不公平。我希望一旦省府有什麼公佈, 是所有傳媒同時間知悉的, 內容背景深度也是對所有傳媒公開的。你也曾是傳媒人, 相信很了解我們的concern。我跟你熟, 所以想先跟你說一下, 希望得到諒解。

Translation

“Last week the provincial government announced the Chinese-Canadian Advisory Committee members. We are somewhat concerned and hope to talk to you first. There are quite a few journalists on the list. We are a little worried that the media invite to the meeting have the scoop. So it is a bit unfair to other media that do not know the progress of the policy / discussion. I hope that once the provincial government makes an announcement, all the media will know at the same time, the background of the content is also open to all the media.”

The English translation may be awkward. I want to capture the original content. Let me know if you need clarifications.

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From: [Li, Jony LASS:EX](#)
To: [Truong, Lele GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Chinese advisory committee
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 2:05:41 PM

Hi Lele,

Could you please passed the concern from Ming Pao News assignment editor Susanna Ng to Stephanie and the Premier Office Sage and Jen Holmwood?

Thank you so much!

Jony

From: Susanna Ng s.22

Sent: February 28, 2018 1:59 PM

To: Li, Jony

Subject: Chinese advisory committee

Hello Jony,

有一陣子沒跟你聯絡了,新年快樂,恭喜發財!

上週省府公佈了新的華人諮詢委員會名單,我們有些concern,希望先跟你說一說。名單上有好幾個是記者,我們有點擔心,獲邀開會的傳媒,就有scoop了,那麼對於其他不知道政策/討論進展的傳媒就有點不公平。我希望一旦省府有什麼公佈,是所有傳媒同時間知悉的,內容背景深度也是對所有傳媒公開的。你也曾是傳媒人,相信很了解我們的concern。我跟你熟,所以想先跟你說一下,希望得到諒解。

謝謝~

你有什麼其他事情,也可以隨時找我啊,包括text我。:)

Susanna

From: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
To: [Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX](#); [McConnell, Sheena PREM:EX](#)
Cc: [Aaron, Sage PREM:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Chinese ADvisory Committee terms of reference
Date: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 5:13:54 PM

Thanks Jen. I'll print and give to Geoff.

Layne

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Sent: Wednesday, February 21, 2018 3:44 PM
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Cc: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
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To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
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February 23, 2018

Premier Horgan announces new Chinese Advisory Council

VANCOUVER – Premier John Horgan has announced a new Chinese Advisory Council to assist the Province of BC in strengthening social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and China.

“Our government is committed to ensuring our province’s strong, sustainable economy includes the voices of the many Chinese-Canadians who live and work here,” said Premier Horgan.

The Advisory Council will provide advice to the Premier on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese Canadian community in BC. They will recommend strategies for building on BC’s economic and cultural connections with China. They will also be tasked with proposing new initiatives for government consideration to enhance the contributions of the Chinese-Canadian community to the province.

Members of the Council are community leaders from diverse backgrounds:

- Debbie Chen, Journalist
- Theresa W. Y. Ho, Human Rights and Chinese Canadian History Activist
- Ding Guo , Journalist and TV commentator
- Alex Fan, CIBC Regional VP, former BC Taiwan Chamber of Commerce President
- Bill Yee, Retired provincial lawyer and judge
- Carol Lee, Chair, Vancouver Chinatown Foundation
- Sunny Ho, Richmond Business Association
- June Chow, Co-founder, Youth Collaborative for Chinatown
- Shirley Chan, Vancouver Chinatown activist
- Jeffrey Yu, Member of the New Vista Society and Tien Jin Temple
- Zili (Frank) Wu, Founder of Canada China Sports Foundation
- Harris Niu, President of the Canadian Community Services Association, Organizer of the Chinese Cultural Festival
- David Lin, Radio host
- Christina Chang, President of the Taiwan Chamber of Commerce
- s.13,s.22
- Imogene Lim, Professor of Anthropology at Vancouver Island University
- s.13,s.22

From: [Oreck, Mira PREM:EX](#)
To: [Clark, Layne PREM:EX](#)
Subject: Accepted: Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

From: Ferguson, Stephanie GCPE:EX
To: Kingston, Charlotte PREM:EX; Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject: Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee Photos
Date: Friday, March 23, 2018 9:43:06 AM

Hello to you both,

Here are a selection of 15 photos from the Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee meeting last evening (first photo in the set): <https://flic.kr/p/FLqXLH>

And here are all the photos from Riel:

<https://www.dropbox.com/sh/420epuwwbmydc2z/AADi2oNWLWoNjT4fGb8mzohza?dl=0> for your use if you need more. Note there are still a couple of photos with closed eyes/visible documents in this folder!

Cheers,

Stephanie

Stephanie Ferguson

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From: [Oreck, Mira PREM:EX](#)
To: [Kingston, Charlotte PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: For review
Date: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 4:15:52 PM
Attachments: CCAC TOR.docx

Charlotte,

Please review asap. I want to talk to you further about staffing this committee.

Thank you!

Mira

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 3:23 PM
To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX
Subject: For review

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Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee

Terms of Reference

Purpose and Rationale

The Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee will assist the Province of British Columbia in strengthening social, economic and cultural ties among members of the Chinese diaspora in this province and around the globe.

The advisory committee will:

- Advise the Premier on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese Canadian community in British Columbia
- Recommend strategies for building on B.C.'s economic and cultural connections with China and Chinese communities throughout the world
- Propose new programs and projects for government consideration to enhance the contributions of the Chinese Canadian community to the province

Goals

The goal of the advisory committee is to:

- Identify and actively engage with members of the Chinese community
- Ensure information from this community engagement is brought forward to the Premier for active consideration and implementation into the government agenda

Proposed Structure

The advisory committee will include:

- A committee of 15-20 members, selected for their expertise and community involvement.
- It is an open membership with no set terms
- There will be two co-chairs and one committee secretary. All three will be members of the committee and will be chosen by consensus of the committee.
- They are independent members of the community and do not speak for the government.

Reporting Requirements

The advisory committee will report to the Premier through the Minister of State for Trade.

Remuneration

The advisory committee is a voluntary board.

From: [Oreck, Mira PREM:EX](#)
To: [Kingston, Charlotte PREM:EX](#)
Subject: FW: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Date: Wednesday, February 28, 2018 10:56:53 AM
Attachments: 170223 Advisory Committee NR.pdf

From: Clark, Layne PREM:EX
Sent: Tuesday, February 27, 2018 2:07 PM
Subject: Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory
Hi Everyone,

Thank you again for agreeing to serve on the Premier's Chinese Canadian Community Advisory Committee.

Attached to this e-mail, you will find the press release that was released last Friday, February 23rd. Within it you will find the list of committee members and the purpose of the committee. The key points are:

- The advisory committee will provide advice to the Premier on government initiatives of interest and concern to members of the Chinese-Canadian community in British Columbia.
- The advisory committee will recommend strategies for building on BC's economic and cultural connections with China and Chinese communities throughout the world.
- It will also be tasked with proposing new programs and projects for government consideration to enhance the contributions of the Chinese-Canadian community to the province.

The first welcoming of this committee will be this **Friday, March 2nd at 4:30PM** via teleconference. I hope many of you are able to join.

Please use the following teleconference info:

Tel: 1-877-353-9184

Participant code: s.15,s.17

We would also like to invite you to the first in-person inaugural meeting on **Thursday, March 22nd at 5:00PM**. It will be held at the Vancouver Cabinet Office.

In the meantime, can each of you please send me the following as soon as possible:

1. Chinese name (in character form)
2. 100-200 Word Biography

Once we have received these materials, we will send out another e-mail next week with draft Terms of Reference and each other's bios. We will review and discuss the terms of reference at the first in person meeting.

If you have any questions, do not hesitate to reach out to me at any point. Thank you again for your time and commitment to serving on this committee.

Sincerely,

Layne

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