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Please support an immediate call for a by-election for the vacant Kelowna-West riding

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## Hon. Mike Farnworth, MLA

Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General Port Coquitlam 107A, 2748 Lougheed Hwy, Port Coquitlam, BC V3B 6P2

Thursday, November 16, 2017.

Minister Farnworth,

Last Saturday, we honoured our fallen soldiers. We remembered the fallen, those wounded in battle and we thanked the number of citizens who signed up to serve our country. It is right and proper that we do so.

Our province and our country benefit from a citizenry willing to serve. An active and engaged citizenry is a prerequisite for the maintenance of peace, order, good government and the integrity of our institutions - including representation in our parliament & legislative assemblies.

The absence of an MLA to lay a wreath on behalf of the province was notably conspicuous. As you are aware, the riding of Kelowna-West has been without a representative or a constituency office since August 4<sup>th</sup> - some 104 days ago. It's even longer if you consider no provincial government business has been conducted since the writ was dropped on April 11<sup>th</sup> - over 7 months ago.

That simply dishonours the service men and women and the families of those who've sacrificed much for our livelihoods.

Please support an immediate call for a by-election for the vacant Kelowna-West riding.

Sincerely,

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