

From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39901
Date: June 30, 2020 4:02:58 PM

Hi Sydney,

Minister has approved, thanks!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 29, 2020 10:27 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39901

Hi Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Andrews, Scott TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03861 (MO MA Text Slack WhatsApp SMS - May 2020) | Pls. respond by July 2, 2020
Date: June 25, 2020 11:25:04 AM

No Records!

Marina

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 25, 2020 11:24 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03861 (MO MA Text Slack WhatsApp SMS - May 2020) | Pls. respond by July 2, 2020

Hi Marina,

Any records?

Thanks,
Scott

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 25, 2020 11:24 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03861 (MO MA Text Slack WhatsApp SMS - May 2020) | Pls. respond by July 2, 2020

Please forward the responsive records to our team FOI inbox at FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca

Response is requested by: **July 2, 2020**, if possible.

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture (TAC) has received the following new request (applicant type: Political Party):

Records of any and all text messages, slack messages, WhatsApp messages, and/or other SMS/messaging applications sent from or received by Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)– where such a position exists and was staffed - in original conversation format. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/1/2020 To 5/31/2020)

Please note:

- This is a cross-government request: XGR-2020-03757

- If you have responsive records; please combine them into one clean pdf, **ensuring duplicates are removed**, and provide a second pdf version with program area rationale (*harms highlighted*).
- If you expect this search for records to take more than 3 hours, please do not proceed. Contact our office immediately.

Thank you,

Holly Skogstad

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The Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing;

The Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development and Competitiveness;

The Ministry of Labour; and

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture.

From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39733
Date: June 23, 2020 2:40:00 PM

Hello,

Minister has approved,

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 23, 2020 12:24 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39733

Hi Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39682
Date: June 23, 2020 2:30:23 PM

Approved, thanks!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 23, 2020 12:03 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39682

Hey Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Beare, Lisa TAC:EX](#)
Cc: [Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX](#); [Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX](#)
Subject: For MLB Information
Date: June 19, 2020 11:22:23 AM

Hello Minister,

Just flagging for your house duty schedule next week, you will be in the Big House for QP and House duty on Monday, and then virtual for the remainder of the week. Jenn is putting those details in the location field in your calendar, and we'll be sure to include the seating chart in your Monday package so you know where to sit in the house. Let us know if you have any questions/concerns about that!

Marina

Marina Holding

Ministerial Assistant

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39227
Date: June 18, 2020 2:33:03 PM

Approved! Thanks,

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 17, 2020 3:47 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39227

Hi Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39644
Date: June 16, 2020 11:28:57 AM
Attachments: [39644 s.22 Final 200612.docx](#)

Hello Sydney,

Approved as attached,

Thanks!

M

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2020 11:15 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39644

Hey Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39781
Date: June 16, 2020 11:27:24 AM

Hi Sydney,

Minister has approved,

Thanks!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2020 11:41 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39781

Hey Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39343
Date: June 16, 2020 11:25:05 AM

Hi Sydney,

Minister has approved!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2020 4:12 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39343

Good afternoon Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: Holding, Marina TAC:EX
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Subject: Proclamation for approval
Date: June 15, 2020 2:58:26 PM
Attachments: DN 39862 - Taiwan-Canada Culture Exchange Day July 02 2020.docx

Hello Scott,

Seeking Minister Kang's approval on the attached? Once/if she approves I'll send to MLB for approval as well,

Thanks!

Marina

Marina Holding

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX](#); [Andrews, Scott TAC:EX](#); [Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX](#); [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: For Discussion during team meeting
Date: June 15, 2020 10:34:19 AM
Attachments: [Workplace Safety Plan.pdf](#)

Hello all,

Please find attached workplace safety plan for discussion today,

Thanks,

Marina

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Beare, Lisa TAC:EX](#)
Subject: For Review: - TAC Min / DM meeting @9am
Date: June 14, 2020 5:42:18 PM
Attachments: [eBinder FINAL V2 - JUNE 15.pdf](#)

Hello,

Please find attached the materials for tomorrow's TAC Min / DM Meeting.

Marina

From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX](#)
Cc: [Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX](#); [Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX](#); [Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: RE: QUOTE FOR APPROVAL: NRs - COVID Relief - Arts and Culture - June 12
Date: June 11, 2020 11:08:04 AM

Hello Carla,

MM and quote as below are approved, thanks!

“Arts and culture bring people together and has the ability to help us heal during the pandemic,” said Lisa Beare, Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture. “By supporting artists and arts organizations, we are ensuring that the culture sector can come back strong in the future.” APPROVED

Marina

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From: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 10, 2020 3:43 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>; Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX <Melissa.Peters@gov.bc.ca>; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: QUOTE FOR APPROVAL: NRs - COVID Relief - Arts and Culture - June 12

Hi Marina,

Please see the following quote for MLBs approval for the regional releases scheduled to be sent Friday. Hoping for approval on the quote and Minister message by noon tomorrow wherever possible.

Also if you can please confirm if she will be doing the arts alliance call on Tuesday, would you like us to prepare some remarks about this announcement?

Quote for approval:

“Arts and culture help bring people together and has the ability to help us heal

during the pandemic,” said Lisa Beare, Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture. “By supporting artists and arts organizations, we are ensuring that the culture sector can come back strong in the future.” UNAPPROVED

We are working with Maddie on the caucus MLA quote approvals.

Thx
Carla

From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX](#)
Subject: FW: RUSH QUOTE APPROVAL: NR Province takes action to support return to sport during COVID-19
Date: June 10, 2020 10:13:28 AM

Hi Carla,

Minister has approved the quote,

Thanks!

Marina

From: Beare, Lisa TAC:EX <Lisa.Beare@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 10, 2020 10:12 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: RUSH QUOTE APPROVAL: NR Province takes action to support return to sport during COVID-19

Approved

Honourable Lisa Beare, Minister
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture
250-356-8247



On Jun 10, 2020, at 10:11 AM, Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello Minister,

Please see below quote for your approval:

“We want to make sure children and their families can get the benefits of physical activity and get back to playing the sports they love, said Lisa Beare, Minister of Tourism, Arts

and Culture. “Many sports organizations are run by volunteers who need to make sure they are protected for risks related to COVID-19. This order will help cover that risk so people can get back to playing sports sooner in their communities.”

Marina Holding

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: FYI - No DBC Thurs call
Date: June 9, 2020 11:29:32 AM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Hey Jenn,

Looks like there's no DBC call this week,

Thanks!

Marina

From: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 11:16 AM
To: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>; Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FYI - No DBC Thurs call

FYI

From: Pilling, Lisa GCPE:EX <Lisa.Pilling@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 11:15 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Zoeller, Sonja TAC:EX <Sonja.Zoeller@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FYI: Thurs call

No call this week

From: Mason, Clare DBC:EX <Clare.Mason@destinationbc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 11:11 AM
To: Pilling, Lisa GCPE:EX <Lisa.Pilling@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Thurs call

For sure
Mostly that our teams are heavily focused on getting campaigns ready for phase 3
Thx C

From: Lisa Pilling <Lisa.Pilling@gov.bc.ca>
Date: Tuesday, June 9, 2020 at 11:06 AM
To: Clare Mason <Clare.Mason@destinationbc.ca>

Subject: RE: Thurs call

Sounds good...thanks for letting us know. Is there a reason for the break? Just anticipating we'd be asked

Thanks,

Lisa

From: Mason, Clare DBC:EX <Clare.Mason@destinationbc.ca>

Sent: June 9, 2020 11:05 AM

To: Pilling, Lisa GCPE:EX <Lisa.Pilling@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Thurs call

Hi Lisa

We're cancelling this week's call but we'll be back on June 18

Thx

Clare



Clare Mason

Manager, Corporate Communications

Destination British Columbia

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For the latest information related to COVID-19, and how Destination BC is supporting industry, please visit our [corporate website](#) for updates.

Sign up [here](#) for updates, invites and our industry newsletter, Directions.
Receive updates on our marketing campaigns, hear about tourism development and media coverage successes, learn facts and figures from our research team, get news you can use about upcoming events—and much more, right to your inbox.

From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [Beare, Lisa TAC:EX](#)
Subject: FW: For MLB's Review- 39555
Date: June 8, 2020 1:47:26 PM
Attachments: [39555 s.22 Final 200608.docx](#)
[39555 incoming - FW Please allow Youth Sports to start again!.msg](#)

Hello,

Please find attached letter for your review,

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 8, 2020 11:36 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review- 39555

Hey Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39603
Date: June 3, 2020 4:15:28 PM

Hello Sydney,

Minister have approved,

Thanks!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 11:14 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39603

Hi Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39591
Date: June 2, 2020 4:01:53 PM

Hi Sydney,

Thanks for this. One requested edit, the response says April 7 instead of May 7. With edit, approved!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 10:43 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39591

Hey Marina,

Attached is a rush letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - Correspondence 39464
Date: June 2, 2020 3:59:11 PM

Hello,

This is approved, thanks!

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 22, 2020 9:06 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: For MLB's Review - Correspondence 39464

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX
Sent: May 13, 2020 9:34 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - Correspondence 39464

Hi Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White

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From: Holding, Marina TAC:EX
To: White, Sydney TAC:EX; Zoeller, Sonja MAH:EX
Cc: Morton, Anna TAC:EX
Subject: Film Roundtable
Date: June 1, 2020 9:19:17 AM

Hello Sonja,

Hoping you can help support Sydney in getting a film roundtable scheduled for tomorrow at 9:00am? She will need the roundtable list we've used in the past to get the invitations out quickly,

Thanks,

Marina

Marina Holding

Ministerial Assistant

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From: [Holding, Marina TAC:EX](#)
To: [White, Sydney TAC:EX](#)
Subject: RE: Calls tomorrow
Date: June 1, 2020 9:08:59 AM

Hello Sydney,

Over to you!

Thanks,

Marina

From: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 1, 2020 9:08 AM
To: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Calls tomorrow

Hi Jenn,

We'd like to book two calls tomorrow:

- 20 mins with Film roundtable
- 30 mins with RDMOs

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Daniela Gardea
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Office of the Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture and responsible for Sport and
Multiculturalism

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 30, 2020 11:30 AM
To: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Cc: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: For Approval - Request to proclaim July 20-26, 2020 as Chinese Cultural Heritage Week

Hi Andrea,

This DN is approved.

Thanks!

Scott

From: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX <Anne.Kang@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 30, 2020 11:22 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: For Approval - Request to proclaim July 20-26, 2020 as Chinese Cultural Heritage Week

Approved! Thank you.
Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 30, 2020, at 11:09 AM, Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Anne, can I get your approval on the decision note below? Thanks! Scott

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 29, 2020 2:48 PM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX <Anne.Kang@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Approval - Request to proclaim July 20-26, 2020 as Chinese Cultural Heritage Week

Hi Anne, a decision note to proclaim July 20-26 as Chinese Cultural Heritage Week is below for your approval:

Decision Note- Advice to Minister

Date: June 22, 2020
39863

Cliff #:

Issue: Request to proclaim July 20-26, 2020 as Chinese Cultural Heritage Week in British Columbia

Background / Facts:

- A proclamation request has been submitted by Bo Jiang from the Canadian Community Service Association (CCSA) to proclaim the week of July 20-26, 2020 as the Chinese Cultural Heritage Week in British Columbia.
- Based in Richmond and established in 2002, the CCSA provides settlement and cultural exchange services for Chinese-Canadians in Metro Vancouver and promotes communication and cooperation among various ethnic Chinese groups and communities in B.C.
- The CCSA organizes an annual, large-scale Chinese Cultural Heritage Festival and Vancouver Water Splashing Festival at Swanguard Stadium in Burnaby.
- This year's celebrations will take place virtually during the week due to COVID-19 pandemic and the ban on large gatherings.
- TAC issued a Chinese Cultural Heritage Week proclamation for the first time in 2019.
- In the 2016 Census, more than 540,155 British Columbians identified their heritage as Chinese, the fourth largest population subgroup in British Columbia after English, Scottish and Irish.

Analysis:

- This request meets established proclamation criteria for the multiculturalism file given it:
 - has significance or general application to B.C.;
 - observes milestones, recognizes achievements or directs attention to a worthy cause;
 - is not political by nature;
 - would not be considered offensive or frivolous by the public; and
 - aligns with both the Ministry's mandate and BC Multiculturalism Act.
- Section 2 of the Multiculturalism Act states that two of the purposes of the Act are to: "recognize that the diversity of British Columbians...is a fundamental characteristic of the society of British Columbia;" and "encourage respect for the multicultural heritage of British Columbia."
- In 2019 TAC supported nine heritage-based proclamations: Sikh Heritage Month, Day of Nowruz, Bangla Heritage Week, Asian Heritage Month, Italian Heritage Month, Tamil Heritage Month, Latin American Week, Chinese Heritage Cultural Week, and Taiwan-Canada Culture Exchange Day.
- If approved, there is an opportunity to coordinate this proclamation with planned announcements regarding the Chinese Canadian Museum. A paragraph in this year's proclamation has been added to reflect this announcement, at the request of the Arts and Culture Branch.
- In the context of the recent increase in anti-Asian racism in BC, the proponent has also requested new language in the proclamation that highlights the issue and speaks to the contributions of the Chinese-Canadians to BC in implementing COVID-19 safety measures.

Recommendation:

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s.13

Approved/Not Approved

Honourable Lisa Beare
Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture

Date

Honourable Anne Kang
Minister of Citizens' Services and Minister
Responsible for Multiculturalism

Date

Attachment: Appendix 1: Draft Proclamation for Chinese Cultural Heritage Week
Contact: Asha Bhat, ADM, Creative, Multiculturalism & Sport Division
778-698-1806

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 30, 2020 9:38 AM
To: MINCAL, TAC TAC:EX
Subject: Accepted: MIN/DM/MA Meeting

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 29, 2020 9:08 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: Today's TAC hold

Hi Kathleen,

Can you add the following:

- Social Media Planning
- s.13
- Stakeholder outreach

Thanks!

Scott

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 29, 2020 8:20 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Today's TAC hold

Good Morning Scott,

Do you have any details for today's TAC hold at 4:00pm?

Kathleen Fleurant | Administrative Coordinator
Honourable Anne Kang's Office | Minister of Citizens' Services
Parliament Buildings
Ph: 778-974-5943
e: Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 28, 2020 3:04 PM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: Hold - TAC

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 27, 2020 9:08 AM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: Multiculturalism Day Twitter/Facebook Posts

Hi Anne,

For social media today, I thought of the following:

Twitter:

Now more than ever, we must celebrate BC's diversity. With 203 First Nations, indigenous and Metis communities and citizens from over 200 countries, we must stand united because everyone deserves to live free from fear and oppression. (Photo from Nov, 2019) #Multiculturalismday

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Facebook:

On Multiculturalism day it's worth taking a moment to celebrate British Columbia's diversity. Now more than ever we need to send a message of inclusion. With 203 First Nations, indigenous and Metis communities and citizens from over 200 countries, it's important that we stand united. Every British Columbian deserves to live free from fear and oppression. (Photo from Nov, 2019) #Multiculturalismday

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 26, 2020 10:51 AM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX; Thomson, Lia MAH:EX
Subject: RE: FYI: MAH-2020-01366 (Silver Star records Dec 20, 2019 to Feb 13, 2020)

Hi Vicki,

We have no concerns with this going out.

Thanks,

Scott

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 24, 2020 9:02 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>; Thomson, Lia MAH:EX <Lia.Thomson@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FYI: MAH-2020-01366 (Silver Star records Dec 20, 2019 to Feb 13, 2020)

Hello,

Providing your office with an FYI that the attached record is included in the response package relating to Silver Star.

The email from Dawn Rueckl on February 13, 2020 indicates that Minister Lisa Beare is aware and supportive of the decision.

This package has been approved by our Delegated Head, ADM Curtis and will be sent to Central IAO for release on June 24, 2020.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to give me a call.

Thank you,

Vicki Hudson, CIAPP-P
Manager, Information Management and Strategic Initiatives
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T: 250-387-2044; E: vicki.hudson@gov.bc.ca

Providing service to: Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development & Competitiveness
Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture
Ministry of Labour

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 26, 2020 9:42 AM
To: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Cc: Morton, Anna TAC:EX
Subject: FW: ACTION REQUIRED: For MAK review / Approval (2096/40021)
Attachments: DN - Resilience BC Spokes CFP Assessment Results and Recommendations.docx; ATT00001.htm; Appendix 1 - Resilience BC Spoke Recommended for Funding.xlsx; ATT00002.htm; Appendix 2 Resilience BC _ Detailed Analysis of CFP Results.docx; ATT00003.htm; Appendix 3 - All Resilience BC Spoke Scores by Region.xlsx; ATT00004.htm

Hi Andrea,

Option 1 is approved.

Cheers,

Scott

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX <Anne.Kang@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 26, 2020 9:41 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: ACTION REQUIRED: For MAK review / Approval (2096/40021)

I approve Option 1. Thanks!

Anne

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 26, 2020, at 9:39 AM, Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Anne,

Can you indicated your approval of the Resilience BC decision note?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 25, 2020 4:23 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: ACTION REQUIRED: For MAK review / Approval (2096/40021)

Hi Scott – I understand there was a discussion with MAK (yesterday) on this item. Can I assume these are approved by MAK?

Andrea Berkes
Director, Executive Operations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture

From: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Sent: June 23, 2020 3:53 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ACTION REQUIRED: For MAK review / Approval (2096/40021)

Hi Scott – the attached DN is DM approved and will be on the June 29th Min / DM agenda for discussion with MLB. Prior to this discussion, staff have asked if you could bring to MAK's attention for her review / approval prior to the June 29th meeting. If you could let me know once approved (or if MAK has any additional questions), it would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks.

Andrea Berkes
Director, Executive Operations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Mailing Address: PO Box 9812, STN PROV GOVT
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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 25, 2020 8:48 AM
To: Copeland, Alison TAC:EX
Subject: FW: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03825 (MO EA Text, Slack, WhatsApp SMS - May 2020) | Pls. respond by July 2, 2020

Hi Alison,

Do you have any records for this request?

Cheers,
Scott

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 24, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03825 (MO EA Text, Slack, WhatsApp SMS - May 2020) | Pls. respond by July 2, 2020

Response is requested by: **July 2, 2020**, if possible.

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture (TAC) has received the following new request (applicant type: Political Party):

Records of any and all text messages, slack messages, WhatsApp messages, and/or other SMS/messaging applications sent from or received by Minister's Executive Assistant(s) – where such a position exists and was staffed - in original conversation format. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/1/2020 To 5/31/2020)

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Thank you,

Holly Skogstad
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Providing services to:

The Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing;
The Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development and Competitiveness;
The Ministry of Labour; and
The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture.

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 25, 2020 8:45 AM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX; Thomson, Lia MAH:EX
Subject: RE: FYI: MAH-2020-01366 (Silver Star records Dec 20, 2019 to Feb 13, 2020)

Hi Vicki,

Is there a clearer version of this? I am struggling to read this.

Thanks,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

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Thank you,

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Providing service to: Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development & Competiveness

Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture
Ministry of Labour

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 24, 2020 9:04 AM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: Hold - [TAC] - 10:00-11:30am - Chinese Canadian Museum Opening / with PJH, Min. Chow and Min. Beare

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 24, 2020 9:04 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: *FOR CALENDARS* Caucus Meeting - July 3

Hi Kathleen,

I just called Stephanie (CCM organizer) and she said that the event is now going to be a video. So you can take it out of the calendar, and also the pre-brief on July 2nd.

Thanks!

Scott

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 24, 2020 8:48 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: *FOR CALENDARS* Caucus Meeting - July 3
Importance: High

Hi Scott,

Heads up – MAK now has whipped Caucus on Friday, July 3rd from 9:00 to 10:00 am. Have you received any scheduling info for the CCM opening that morning?

Kathleen

From: Szakacs, Kaylee <Kaylee.Szakacs@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: June 23, 2020 4:01 PM
To: NDP Legislative Assistants <NDPLegislativeAssistants@leg.bc.ca>; LP Administrative Coordinators <LPACS@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>; LP Support Staff <LPSUPPORT@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Cc: NDP Management Staff <NDPManagementStaff@leg.bc.ca>; Maartman, William PSSG:EX <William.Maartman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: *FOR CALENDARS* Caucus Meeting - July 3
Importance: High

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Hi everyone,

A **WHIPPED** Caucus Meeting has been scheduled for July 3. Please submit a leave request if your Member is unable to attend the entire meeting.

Whipped Caucus Meeting

Date: Friday July 3, 2020
Time: 9:00am – 10:30am
Location: MS Teams
Connectivity Info:

Join Microsoft Teams Meeting

s.15; s.17

Feel free to contact me anytime if you have questions.

Best,
Kaylee

Kaylee Szakacs | Government Whip & Deputy Whip's Assistant | New Democrat BC Government Caucus
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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 23, 2020 4:33 PM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: Vancouver School Board Backs Anti-Racism Efforts, Keeps Police in Schools

Hi Anne,

This is a good article for you to read when you have a moment - <https://thetvcc.ca/News/2020/06/23/VSB-Keeps-Police-In-Schools/>

Cheers,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 23, 2020 9:43 AM
To: Morton, Anna TAC:EX
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Subject: RE: Briefing Note with , s.12; s.13

Hi Anna,

Sorry for the delay. Yes the TAC Summary Recovery is fine. Alison Dudley and I also briefed Minister Kang on this yesterday afternoon.

Thanks,

Scott

From: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 22, 2020 4:11 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Briefing Note with s.12; s.13

Hi Scott,

Can you please confirm if you still need this? The branch has suggested that this request was fulfilled by part of the TAC Summary Recovery note that MLB was briefed on June 19.

Thanks,

Anna

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 2:33 PM
To: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Briefing Note with s.12; s.13

Hi Anne, no that's okay. End of week is fine. Thanks!

From: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 2:22 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Briefing Note with s.12; s.13

Hi Scott,

We've asked for materials due to DMO for the end of the week.

Please let me know if there is a shorter timeline on this.

This is eApp 2002 / CLIFF 39896.

Thanks,

Anna

Anna Morton

Senior Executive Assistant

Deputy Minister's Office | Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture

Phone: 778-974-2749 | Mobile: 778-679-3234

Email: Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: June 9, 2020 2:02 PM

To: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Briefing Note with s.12; s.13

Hi Andrea and Anne,

Sorry to be a nag, but do we have an ETA on this decision briefing note?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

Sent: June 8, 2020 10:28 AM

To: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Morton, Anna TAC:EX <Anna.Morton@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Briefing Note with s.12; s.13

Hi Andrea,

I hope you had a nice weekend.

Can we get a briefing note ' s.12; s.13

s.12; s.13

Following PS Kahlon's consultations last year I understand there were several options that have been drawn up, but to s.13; s.17

s.13

Thanks very much,

Scott

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 23, 2020 9:30 AM
To: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX
Subject: FW: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03675 (SMA Calendar, detail format - April - May 2020) | Pls. respond by June 24

Hey Daniela,

We have a cross government request for our calendars, April 1 – May 31.

Thanks!

Scott

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 17, 2020 3:37 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03675 (SMA Calendar, detail format - April - May 2020) | Pls. respond by June 24

Response is requested by: **Tuesday June 24, 2020**, if possible.

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture (TAC) has received the following new request (applicant type: Political Party):

A copy of the **Senior Ministerial Assistant's calendar, excluding attachments, in the Calendar Details Style format, where such a position exists and was staffed at any point during the time frame (Date Range for Record Search: From 4/1/2020 To 5/31/2020)**

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Thank you,

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The Ministry of Labour; and
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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 22, 2020 10:37 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: Today's TAC Time Slot

Hi Kathleen,

Happy first day of session! For the agenda, can you add the following?

1. Update on racist allegations in the Health Care System
2. Angus Reid poll of anti-Chinese racism.
3. Vancouver Asian Film Festival anti-racism videos.
4. Resilience BC Spokes Update
5. s.13

Thanks!

Scott

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 22, 2020 9:15 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Today's TAC Time Slot

Good Morning Scott,

Happy first day of session! Just checking in to see if you have any details for this afternoon's TAC hold?

Thanks,

Kathleen Fleurant | Administrative Coordinator
Honourable Anne Kang's Office | Minister of Citizens' Services
Parliament Buildings
Ph: 778-974-5943
e: Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 22, 2020 9:34 AM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: TO BE RESCHEDULED - Hold - [TAC]

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 19, 2020 9:40 AM
To: Dudley, Alison TAC:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Letter to Commissioners

Fantastic, thanks Alison!

From: Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 19, 2020 9:36 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX <Rachel.Nesbitt@gov.bc.ca>; Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Letter to Commissioners

Just saw this. Thanks! Naveen has asked me to circulate the letter to MAC members and other stakeholders. We'll do that this morning.

From: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 19, 2020 9:32 AM
To: Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX <Rachel.Nesbitt@gov.bc.ca>; Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Letter to Commissioners

Here is the letter from PJH...

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 19, 2020 9:30 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX <Leila.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Letter to Commissioners

Hi Chris and Leila,

You may have seen this article. I

s.13

Thanks!

Scott

From: Girn, Naveen PREM:EX <Naveen.Girn@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 19, 2020 9:21 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Krystal CITZ:EX <Krystal.Smith@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Letter to Commissioners

FYI <https://www.theglobeandmail.com/canada/british-columbia/article-bc-premier-john-horgan-says-he-wants-to-collect-race-based-data/>



Naveen Girn

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Pronouns: he, him, his

The City of Victoria is located on the ancestral territory of the Lekwungen Peoples

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 18, 2020 10:51 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: Re: Punjabi Legacies Discussion

Hi Kathleen,

Are you able to find a 30 minute slot in Minister Kang's calendar to discuss the Punjabi Legacies project with Balbir and Satwinder (the co-ordinators of the Punjabi Legacies Project) within the time range they propose below:

Satwinder and I are available June 30 anytime, July 2- 8-12:30 and 2-3:30 and July 3 anytime

We can use my Skype call in details:

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s.15; s.17

.....
Thanks!

Scott

From: s.22
Sent: June 18, 2020 9:18 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Burnaby - Deer Lake Updates: June 5, 2020

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Hi Scott

Satwinder and I are available June 30 anytime, July 2- 8-12:30 and 2-3:30 and July 3 anytime

Please let me know what works for the Minister ?

Balbir

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 17, 2020, at 11:00 AM, Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Great, thanks Balbir. I look forward to hearing from you.

Best regards,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: s.22
Sent: June 16, 2020 7:32 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Burnaby - Deer Lake Updates: June 5, 2020

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Hi Scott

Sorry Monday doesn't work for Satwinder. She is hosting an anti-racism forum. I have asked her to provide some dates/times for her availability.

Once I have those I can let you know what works for both us and hopefully we can find a slot that overlaps with the Minister

Balbir

Sent from my iPhone

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 17, 2020 2:52 PM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX
Subject: RE: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03505 (MA sent by emails - May 2020) | Pls. respond by June 19, 2020
Attachments: TAC-2020-03505-Marina.pdf; TAC-2020-03505-Scott.pdf

Hi Holly,

Records are attached. Can you do an initial harms review?

Thanks!

Scott

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From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 12, 2020 10:22 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03505 (MA sent by emails - May 2020) | Pls. respond by June 19, 2020

Please forward the responsive records to our team FOI inbox at FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 17, 2020 2:41 PM
To: MINCAL, TAC TAC:EX
Subject: Accepted: MIN/DM/MA Meeting

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 17, 2020 9:30 AM
To: PREM Tech
Subject: Help getting Monitors Set Up in Room 151

Hi team Premtech,

I am pretty new to using my surface, so I haven't been able to set up my monitors yet. I have the dock, but I don't think I have the right cables to connect the monitors.

Is someone able to come help get my work station set up? Not super urgent. I do have some time this afternoon at 1pm otherwise we can find time tomorrow.

Thanks!

Scott

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 16, 2020 7:07 AM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Cc: Smith, Krystal CITZ:EX
Subject: Fwd: Media req CBC governments ant racism initiatives

Hi Kathleen,

We have a media request for Minister Kang. Is there a time where we can sneak in 15 minutes today?

Thanks!

Scott

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX" <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 15, 2020 at 8:04:04 PM PDT
To: "Andrews, Scott TAC:EX" <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Media req CBC governments ant racism initiatives

Hi Scott,

Just following up as per our conversation what time would work best for MAK tomorrow.

Will send KM's bright and early in the morning.

thanks
Carla

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

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2020 2:10 PM
To: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Media req CBC governments ant racism initiatives

Thanks Carla, I'll ask Minister Kang. We can maybe talk about it during our meeting at 4.

Who is the reporter?

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

From: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 15, 2020 2:09 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX
<Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Media req CBC governments ant racism initiatives

Hi Scott,

CBC Vancouver is hoping to speak to Minister Kang for a 5 min Skype interview before end of day tomorrow about governments anti racism initiatives. It will be used for tv, radio and web.

"Premier has said Government is working on solutions, hoping to discuss with Minister Kang what those are".

I think we have lots to speak about following the town hall, resiliencebcnetwork website lunch and updated Resilience hub announcement.

Let me know if this is something she would like to do. Ideally we can get back to them today.

Thanks
Carla.

Sent from my iPhone

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 15, 2020 9:48 AM
To: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX
Subject: Accepted: Office Safety Plan

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 15, 2020 9:48 AM
To: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX
Cc: Girn, Naveen PREM:EX
Subject: RE: Request for your Minister's Community Engagement during the COVID-19 Pandemic
Attachments: Community Engagement Document - Minister Kang Multiculturalism.xlsx

Hi Debbie and Naveen,

Enclosed are the stakeholder engagements for Minister Kang on the Multiculturalism file from March 6 – June 12th.

Best regards,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: Wade, Debbie PREM:EX <Debbie.Wade@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 11, 2020 9:40 AM
To: LP Senior Ministerial Assistants <SRMINAST@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>; LP Ministerial Assistants <LPMAs@Victoria1.gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Girn, Naveen PREM:EX <Naveen.Girn@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Request for your Minister's Community Engagement during the COVID-19 Pandemic

Hello everyone;

As discussed on the MA call yesterday afternoon, the Premier's Office is requesting information on all the community engagement activities your Minister has undertaken during the COVID-19 pandemic. This request is from March 6 to June 12th. The attached document highlights the information we're seeking, specifically information that includes:

- *Your Ministry*
- *Date of Meeting*
- *Stakeholder organizations/ individual names*
- *Location of participants*
- *Sectoral groups/industry*

This information will support the Premier as he speaks to British Columbians about the continual work of thoughtful engagement you've led during the COVID-19 pandemic.

If you have any questions, contact Naveen (or myself). Please send this information to Naveen by **Sunday evening at 5:00pm**.

Best wishes,

Amber Hockin
Deputy Chief of Staff to the Premier

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 12, 2020 1:30 PM
To: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: FOR APPROVAL: TAC Media Request: Anti Racism efforts and Resilience BC
Attachments: MR_Vernon Morning Star_Resilience BC_June 10, 2020.docx; ATT00001.htm

approved

From: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX <Anne.Kang@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 12, 2020 1:29 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL: TAC Media Request: Anti Racism efforts and Resilience BC

Approved

Sent from my iPhone

On Jun 12, 2020, at 10:59 AM, Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Anne,

For your approval is a written statement in response to the Vernon Morning Star's media request.

It looks good to me.

From: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 12, 2020 9:44 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>; Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX <Rachel.Nesbitt@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR APPROVAL: TAC Media Request: Anti Racism efforts and Resilience BC

Hi Scott,

The Vernon Star reporter followed up in writing with his question on Resilience BC. Our suggested response below for you and Minister Kang's approval.

Thanks
Carla

Reporter

Brendan Shykora, Reporter
Vernon Morning Star
brendan.shykora@vernonmorningstar.com
250-215-0666

Deadline ASAP

Request

My name is Brendan Shykora, I'm a reporter with the Morning Star in Vernon BC. I'm reaching out with the hope of learning more about the province's new anti-racism network, Resilience B.C. It officially replaced Organizing Against Racism and Hate earlier this year, and with all that has transpired since then (starting in Minneapolis) it's a good time to look back at the decisions that prompted the change, and how the new network may be more impactful than the last.

I'm curious regarding how this new program plans to serve local communities. The old program was "a coordinated community approach ... in 36 member communities." While a Resilience BC hub has been established in Victoria, it would be great to see how that hub will help connect other communities in the province to anti-racism resources.

I understand Ravi Kahlon was in charge of leading the community dialogues that in turn led to the new Resilience BC. I'm not sure if he is available to speak, but if so I'd like to request an interview.

If anyone else who is involved or is knowledgeable about the program is available for an interview, that would be great as well.

Background

Recommendation

Since Brendan requested to speak to Minister Kang, suggest we send the answers as a statement from her to be able to be quoted.

1) Is there a rough timeline for when those spokes will be in place?

The Call for Proposals for the spokes closed on May 22. We are now in the process of selecting the community spokes, which will be announced this summer.

2) What will those spokes look like? As in, what services might they provide?

The spokes are community-based branches that help see through service delivery.

The spokes will:

- Represent communities and work with local organizations.
- Identify local priorities and move projects forward.
- Spokes can choose to organize themselves at the municipal level (e.g. Prince Rupert) or at the regional level (e.g. North Coast).

3) What will have changed or been improved upon in comparison to the phased out OARH model?

- The main difference is that Resilience BC is a province-wide anti-racism network that will be delivered through a hub and spokes model.
- This model will allow for a more systemic and collaborative approach to improve community capacity to respond to emerging trends and incidents of racism and hate.

- Under Resilience BC, individual communities will receive new supports from a centralized “Hub” service provider with specialized expertise in addressing racism. The program will provide better coordination and training as well as make best practices and education more available to communities.

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 12, 2020 8:08 AM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: Final KMQA for townhall
Attachments: 2020.06.12 KMQA Anti-Racism Townhall - FINAL.docx

Good morning Anne,

For your reference, Leila incorporated a bit more information on the recent review of policing. Let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers,

Scott

From: Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX <Leila.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 12, 2020 8:05 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Parmar, Ravi FLNR:EX <Ravi.Parmar@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Final KMQA for townhall

Good morning Scott and Ravi,

Please see attached for the final KMQA for today's townhall (includes one new QA on review of policing in BC)

A big thank you to Chris, Carla and the entire TAC comms team for all their work on this.

Thanks,

Leila Farmer
Issues Manager
250-208-9547

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 12, 2020 8:01 AM
To: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX
Subject: Accepted: MO Team Meeting

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 11, 2020 6:12 PM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: (Sorry) Last Copy of Speaking Notes
Attachments: SN_MAK_Anti-Racism townhall_June 12 2020_FINAL.docx

Hi Anne,

My apologies, the last version still had Leila's edits pending. This is the final copy.

Cheers,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 11, 2020 2:26 PM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: 11:00-12:00pm - [TAC] - Details to come

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 11, 2020 9:45 AM
To: Chang, Stephanie JEDC:EX
Subject: FW: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Hi Stephanie,

I'll be quarterbacking this from TAC.

Are you waiting for confirmation from MLB for July 3rd at 10am?

s.13

Cheers,

Scott

From: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 6:04 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Hey Scott,

Can you help us with the below?

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Daniela Gardea
Senior Ministerial Assistant
Office of the Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture and responsible for Sport and Multiculturalism

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Chang, Stephanie JEDC:EX" <Stephanie.Chang@gov.bc.ca>
Date: June 9, 2020 at 17:08:37 PDT
To: "Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX" <Melissa.Peters@gov.bc.ca>, "Avison, Claire TAC:EX" <Claire.Avison@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX" <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>, "Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX" <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Hi Melissa,

PO is holding Friday, July 3 at 10am. We're just waiting for approval from MLB to confirm.

Thanks,

Stephanie Chang

Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable George Chow, Minister of State for Trade
Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development and Competitiveness
British Columbia Parliament Buildings | 501 Belleville St, Victoria, BC V8V 2L8
Stephanie.Chang@gov.bc.ca | Office: 250-387-9142 | Cell: 250-886-5442

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

From: "Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX" <Melissa.Peters@gov.bc.ca>
Date: 2020-06-09 4:14 p.m. (GMT-08:00)
To: "Avison, Claire TAC:EX" <Claire.Avison@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX" <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>, "Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX" <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>, "Chang, Stephanie JEDC:EX" <Stephanie.Chang@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Claire – I believe Chinese Cultural Heritage Week is July 20-26. Given the House will be sitting, would the Friday, July 24 be a good day to plan for the event?

Melissa Peters
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
250-213-1634

From: Avison, Claire TAC:EX <Claire.Avison@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 8, 2020 4:34 PM
To: Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX <Melissa.Peters@gov.bc.ca>; Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Chang, Stephanie JEDC:EX <Stephanie.Chang@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Hi Missy and Carla – Stephanie & met with MGC today re: the CCM announcement timing. He likes the idea of doing something in both Victoria (with PJH if possible at the Victoria Chinatown Society pocket gallery in Fan Tan Alley) and MLB and him at the Hon Hsing in Vancouver Chinatown – announcing the CCM Society establishment, government funding, and possibly an MOU between the CCMSBC and Victoria Chinatown Society as the first regional hub and generating interest in the pocket gallery opening and SAT temporary exhibit later that month, ideally during Chinese Heritage Week.

Stephanie said she would check in the PO. Let me know if I've missed anything Stephanie.

Thoughts?

Claire Avison | Assistant Deputy Minister | Ministry of Tourism Arts and Culture | Cell: 250-217-9059 | claire.avison@gov.bc.ca

From: Peters, Melissa GCPE:EX <Melissa.Peters@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 4, 2020 3:03 PM
To: Jonker, Brian TAC:EX <Brian.Jonker@gov.bc.ca>; Avison, Claire TAC:EX <Claire.Avison@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Warwick, Alexei TAC:EX <Alexei.Warwick@gov.bc.ca>; Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CCM Launch - July 2-3

Brian, Claire,

We've heard back from MO and it sounds like we're a go for launching the CCM temporary exhibit on July 2-3. MLB and MGC in Vancouver and Premier virtually participating from Victoria. GCPE can lead the event planning and news release.

I've attached a very draft event plan for your consideration. Not sure how to incorporate Victoria pop-up? Trying to be mindful of physical distancing requirements.

We're meeting with our events team on Monday to get the ball rolling. Please let me know what details come out of tomorrow's meeting.

Thank you,

Melissa Peters
Senior Public Affairs Officer
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
250-213-1634
melissa.peters@gov.bc.ca

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 10, 2020 9:53 AM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX
Subject: RE: For MLB's Review - 39813

Hi Marina,

s.13

Cheers,

Scott

From: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 3:16 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: For MLB's Review - 39813

Hey Scott,

s.13

Marina

From: White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 3:02 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLB's Review - 39813

Hey Marina,

Attached is a letter for MLB's review.

Thanks,

Sydney White
Administrative Assistant
Office of the Minister of Tourism, Arts and Culture
P: 250-953-0905
E: sydney.white@gov.bc.ca

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 10, 2020 9:38 AM
To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: Accepted: Townhall Technical Test- Minister Kang

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 9, 2020 1:59 PM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: Virtual TH -tech check in with Minister Kang

Hi Kathleen,

Can you put this Virtual Townhall technical test in Minister Kang's calendar for Thursday at 1pm?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 1:30 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Virtual TH -tech check in with Minister Kang

Sure, that works! I'll send a calendar invite with the zoom link.

Merci!

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 9, 2020 12:57 PM
To: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Virtual TH -tech check in with Minister Kang

Hi Joleen,

How about Thursday at 1pm?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 9, 2020 12:50 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Virtual TH -tech check in with Minister Kang

Hey Scott!

I wanted to check in about a technical test with the Minister. Do you know when she has time in her schedule for this? Tomorrow from 12:30-5:30pm works, or anytime Thursday.

I know her setup is usually pretty good, but we did make some adjustments last time when we did a town hall with her. Also, please note that she should do the technical check from the exact spot she plans to do the announcement.

Let me know if you have any questions about the setup. I have re-attached the best practices guide.

Thanks!
Joleen

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 9, 2020 12:13 PM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: 4:00-5:00pm - [TAC] - Details to come

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 8, 2020 4:11 PM
To: MINCAL, CITZ CITZ:EX
Subject: Accepted: HOLD - [TAC] - Details to come

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 8, 2020 11:40 AM
To: 'Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX'; Maartman, William PSSG:EX; Douglas, Andrew PSSG:EX; Meehan, Patrick PSSG:EX
Subject: FW: Anti-Racism Virtual Townhall
Attachments: Anti-Racism Virtual Townhall DRAFT Plan June 06.docx; VTH Countdown with PJH- 3pm VTH June 03 2020.docx

Hi team PSSG, details of this Friday's townhall are enclosed.

Let me know if you have any questions.

Cheers,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 8, 2020 11:33 AM
To: Twynstra, Tanya L GCPE:EX <Tanya.Twynstra@gov.bc.ca>; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Thaw, Sara GCPE:EX <Sara.Thaw@gov.bc.ca>; Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Girn, Naveen PREM:EX <Naveen.Girn@gov.bc.ca>; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX <Leila.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX <Carla.Wormald@gov.bc.ca>; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX <Elena.Banfield@gov.bc.ca>; Acton, Erin GCPE:EX <Erin.Acton@gov.bc.ca>; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX <Rachel.Nesbitt@gov.bc.ca>; Massoud, Simone GCPE:EX <Simone.Massoud@gov.bc.ca>; Young, Emily GCPE:EX <Emily.Young@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Anti-Racism Virtual Townhall

Hi all,

Here is the updated workplan and countdown before Friday's VTH on anti-racism.

The online form and digital posts have gone live this morning at 10am.

Thanks,
Rosa

-----Original Appointment-----

From: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX
Sent: May 28, 2020 4:49 PM
To: Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX; Twynstra, Tanya L GCPE:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX; Thaw, Sara GCPE:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Andrews, Scott TAC:EX; Girn, Naveen PREM:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX

Cc: Wormald, Carla GCPE:EX; Banfield, Elena GCPE:EX; Acton, Erin GCPE:EX; Nesbitt, Rachel GCPE:EX; Massoud, Simone GCPE:EX; Young, Emily GCPE:EX
Subject: Anti-Racism Virtual Townhall
When: June 8, 2020 12:00 PM-12:30 PM (UTC-08:00) Pacific Time (US & Canada).
Where: Skype Meeting

Setting up a recurring (every other day) huddle to plan the anti-racism Virtual Townhall.

Thanks,
Rosa

s.15; s.17

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 5, 2020 10:47 AM
To: Acton, Erin GCPE:EX; Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX
Cc: Thaw, Sara GCPE:EX; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX; Twynstra, Tanya L GCPE:EX; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX; Nash, Amber PREM:EX; Girn, Naveen PREM:EX; Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL by 12p: Anti-Racism Townhall

Hi Erin,

This is approved.

Thank you,

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: Acton, Erin GCPE:EX <Erin.Acton@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 5, 2020 10:29 AM
To: Harbord, Chris GCPE:EX <Chris.Harbord@gov.bc.ca>; Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Thaw, Sara GCPE:EX <Sara.Thaw@gov.bc.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>; Twynstra, Tanya L GCPE:EX <Tanya.Twynstra@gov.bc.ca>; Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>; Nash, Amber PREM:EX <Amber.Nash@gov.bc.ca>; Girn, Naveen PREM:EX <Naveen.Girn@gov.bc.ca>; Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca>; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX <Leila.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL by 12p: Anti-Racism Townhall
Importance: High

Hello:

I could have been clearer with my request. To clarify, seeking Chris Harbord's and Scott Andrew's approval on the below.

Deadline: noon at the latest. We will need to push through advertising approvals after this so that ads can begin this weekend.

Title:
Virtual townhall on Anti-Racism in BC

Description

In recent months we've seen a rise in racism and hate-related incidents in BC, Canada and beyond our borders. This virtual townhall will focus on ways people, organizations, and communities can fight racism and make sure BC is a safe and welcoming place for everyone. We're placing a special focus on ways to take action and address systemic racism.

Thank you in advance,
Erin

Erin Acton
Digital Communications Officer
Government Communications and Public Engagement
236-478-2011
250-812-0915 (cell)

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 4, 2020 10:14 AM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX
Subject: RE: FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS AND APPROVAL: TAC-2020-02438 (Minister's EA calendar Jan to Mar 2020) 35 pages. Please respond by Tuesday, June 9

Hi Vicki,

This is approved to go out.

Thanks,

Scott

Scott Andrews | Ministerial Assistant
Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture
Cell – (250) 896-4532

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 8:30 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR REVIEW, COMMENTS AND APPROVAL: TAC-2020-02438 (Minister's EA calendar Jan to Mar 2020) 35 pages. Please respond by Tuesday, June 9

Please send comments/approval to FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca by **Tuesday, June 9, 2020**.

Request Wording:

A copy of the Minister's Executive Assistant's calendar, excluding attachments, in the Calendar Details Style format, where such a position exists and was staffed at any point during the time frame (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2020 To 3/31/2020)

Note to Reviewers:

- Records were provided by the MO.
- Severing has been applied as per the calendar guidelines.
- As noted on the above approval form the applicant agreed to exclude phone numbers/moderator numbers/conference numbers, meeting rooms etc.

- The names of the moderators have been highlighted for release.
- Page 17, conference line number is to be redacted as NR.
- Once approved by the MO the package will move to A/ADM Jo White and the DMO for final review and approval.
- These records will be posted to Open Information.

Thank you,

Vicki Hudson, CIAPP P

Manager, Information Management and Strategic Initiatives

Management Services Division

T: 250-387-2044; E: vicki.hudson@gov.bc.ca;

Providing service to: Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development & Competiveness

Ministry of Municipal Affairs & Housing

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture

Ministry of Labour

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 3, 2020 12:58 PM
To: Dudley, Alison TAC:EX
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX; Bhat, Asha TAC:EX
Subject: RE: Filipino & Italian Heritage Month

Fantastic, thanks Alison!

From: Dudley, Alison TAC:EX <Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 3, 2020 12:49 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>; Bhat, Asha TAC:EX <Asha.Bhat@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Filipino & Italian Heritage Month

Hi Scott:

I'm confirming that the OIC office mailed 2 copies of the Filipino Heritage Month proclamation to MLA Elmore's office yesterday.

The proclamation has also been posted on line at:

<http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/proclamations/proclamations/FilipinoHeritageMonth2020>

The proclamation for Italian Heritage Month is also now online at:

<http://www.bclaws.ca/civix/document/id/proclamations/proclamations/ItalianHeritageMonth2020>

All the best,

Alison

Alison Dudley

Executive Director | Multiculturalism Branch |

Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture and

Ministry Responsible for Sport & Multiculturalism |

Suite 301 – 865 Hornby St., Vancouver, BC V6Z 1T9

Traditional territories of the xʷməθkʷəy̓əm (Musqueam), skwxwú7mesh (Squamish), and sel̓ilwítlh (Tsleil Waututh) peoples

Email: Alison.Dudley@gov.bc.ca Cell: 236-818-1150

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 3, 2020 12:43 PM
To: Girn, Naveen PREM:EX
Subject: FW: For review: s.13 (TBC release next Friday)

Hi Naveen,

I would love to get your feedback on s.13 when you have a moment.

Thanks!

Scott

From: Bhat, Asha TAC:EX <Asha.Bhat@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 3, 2020 10:23 AM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Gardea, Daniela TAC:EX <Daniela.Gardea@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For review: s.13 (TBC release next Friday)

Hi Scott -

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Don't hesitate to touch base if you have any Qs.

Many thanks!

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 4:18 PM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Subject: RE: Week of June 8th

Could we squeeze in a 30 minute pre-brief before the town hall? Ideally we will be all prepped on Thursday, but some review is always nice.

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 4:13 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Week of June 8th

Yes/no?

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 4:09 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Week of June 8th

Yes you bet. Are you sure you don't want to hold an additional time on Friday for a pre-brief?

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 4:08 PM
To: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Week of June 8th

Hi Kathleen,

Can we take the first two? Wednesday and Thursday?

Thanks!

Scott

From: Fleurant, Kathleen CITZ:EX <Kathleen.Fleurant@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 4:03 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Week of June 8th

Hi Scott

Here are options for x2 one hour holds as discussed this morning:

- Wed., June 10 – 4:00 to 5:00 pm
- Thurs., June 11 – 12:45 to 1:45 pm
- Frid., June 12 – 8:30 to 9:30 am
- Frid., June 11 – 11:15 to 12:15 pm

I've been advised that you may also need time for a pre-brief for Friday's announcement. Please select from the list above as well.

I will send you times for the following week shortly.

Thanks,

Kathleen Fleurant | Administrative Coordinator
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From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 3:29 PM
To: MINCAL, TAC TAC:EX
Subject: Accepted: MIN/DM/MA Meeting

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 3:25 PM
To: Bhat, Asha TAC:EX
Subject: RE: s.13

Fantastic, thanks Asha!

I think a text-only site would be worth announcing as soon as it's available, and then perhaps the videos can follow.

Cheers,

Scott

From: Bhat, Asha TAC:EX <Asha.Bhat@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 2:52 PM
To: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: s.13

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From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: June 2, 2020 2:35 PM
To: Bhat, Asha TAC:EX <Asha.Bhat@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: I s.13

Hi Asha,

I hope all is well.

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Thanks!

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 2:35 PM
To: Bhat, Asha TAC:EX
Subject: s.13

Hi Asha,

I hope all is well.
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Thanks!

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Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 12:53 PM
To: Kang, Anne CITZ:EX
Subject: FW: IN_USA Events
Attachments: IN_USA Events_June FINAL.docx

Hi Anne,

Attached is some further messaging and background on current events in the USA.

Cheers,

Scott

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 2, 2020 11:22 AM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX; Holding, Marina TAC:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Subject: RE: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03223 (Minister SMS/Text messages, Apr 2020) : Pls respond by June 5

Hi Erin,

No responsive records.

Thanks,

Scott

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From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: May 29, 2020 12:36 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03223 (Minister SMS/Text messages, Apr 2020) : Pls respond by June 5

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Thank you,

Erin Towner

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The Ministry of Jobs, Economic Development and Competitiveness;

The Ministry of Labour; and

The Ministry of Tourism, Arts and Culture.

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 1, 2020 11:44 AM
To: s.17
Subject: Filipino Heritage Month Proclamation Wording

Hi MLA Elmore,

Below is the wording of the proclamation.

Filipino Heritage Month

WHEREAS British Columbia is a culturally diverse province comprised of many people and communities; and

WHEREAS British Columbians of Filipino descent include more than 158,000 people, with a population that continues to grow, making British Columbia home to the second-largest Filipino community in Canada; and

WHEREAS On October 18, 2018 the House of Commons unanimously adopted June as Filipino Heritage Month in recognition of Canadians of Filipino descents; and

WHEREAS With its rich heritage and history, the Filipino community has made and continues to make outstanding social, economic, political, and cultural contributions to British Columbia; and

WHEREAS Filipino Heritage Month offers an opportunity to learn more about the history of British Columbians of Filipino heritage and to celebrate their contributions to the prosperity of our province.

NOW KNOW YE THAT We do by these presents proclaim and declare that June 2020 shall be known as

“Filipino Heritage Month”
in the Province of British Columbia.

Andrews, Scott TAC:EX

From: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX
Sent: June 1, 2020 9:54 AM
To: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX; Holding, Marina TAC:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX; White, Sydney TAC:EX; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX
Subject: RE: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03212 (MA SMS/Text messages, Apr 2020) : Pls respond by June 4

Hi Erin,

No responsive records.

Thanks,

Scott

From: FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Thursday, May 28, 2020 3:55 PM
To: Holding, Marina TAC:EX <Marina.Holding@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Andrews, Scott TAC:EX <Scott.Andrews@gov.bc.ca>; Dunnett, Jennifer TAC:EX <Jennifer.Dunnett@gov.bc.ca>; White, Sydney TAC:EX <Sydney.White@gov.bc.ca>; Berkes, Andrea TAC:EX <Andrea.Berkes@gov.bc.ca>; FOI Economy Sector MAH:EX <FOI.Inbox@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: CALL FOR RECORDS - New FOI Request: TAC-2020-03212 (MA SMS/Text messages, Apr 2020) : Pls respond by June 4

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