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From: Skulmoski, Jesse L TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 11:51 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Fact Sheet on Low-powered vehicles

Hi Melanie, this if the fact sheet I referenced:

<https://www.icbc.com/vehicle-registration/specialty-vehicles/Low-powered-vehicles/Documents/low-powered.pdf>

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From: Delaney, Alex EMBC:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 12:17 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Satellite Handsets

Melanie,

To follow up on our conversation today.

Ministers were issued with new Iridium Satellite handsets in June of 2019

- The Iridium handsets were selected for the following features not available with the Globalstar handsets.
 - Global Satellite Coverage
 - Two way SMS enabled
 - Ability transmit GPS Coordinates
 - Shock proof and dust proof

Here is a comparison of the specifications of the two phones.

	Globalstar	Iridium
Weight	370-454 grams	425-624 grams
Battery Life	3.5 hours (talk time) 19 hours (standby)	6.5 hours (talk time) 43 hours (standby)

Other points to consider that I neglected to cover in our conversation.

- The Globalstar handsets are approaching three years of age
- Globalstar has discontinued all voice handsets, as such parts and replacement units will become an issue.

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Hope this helps, if you require any additional information please let me know.

Alex

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To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: Final IB - Coastal Ferries Contract - & tweet!
Attachments: 2019TRAN0122-001423.pdf

Hi to Min office –
Reminder that this IB went out province-wide today at 12:30 PM.
Here is the final PDF & a suggested tweet below.
Many thanks

TWEET:

The Province has renewed its service contract with @BCFerries for the next four years. The contract reflects additional funding to support affordable fares and more round trips for passengers.

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0122-001423>

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Sent: July 10, 2019 2:30 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: Final Info Bulletin: Chilcotin River flood repairs - & tweet!
Attachments: FINAL IB_Chilcotin River flood repairs.pdf; Gaspard.jpeg

Hi to MO –

Here is the final IB that went out on the flooding and the mitigation work.

**Please note there are still system errors to our BC Gov News page – and we cannot link pictures to our news releases.

So if you want a pic for social media – you will have to attach it yourself to the tweet. Pic attached.

TWEET for social media:

Chilcotin River flooding affecting #Cariboo local roads SW of #WilliamsLake. Assessments and repairs underway as water recedes. <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20218>

Thanks!

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From: Bowness, Lisanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 10:42 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: NR - Final - Highway 99 resurfacing in Surrey - & tweets!
Attachments: NR-Hwy 99 resurfacing at 6 interchanges.pdf

Hi to MO –

Here is the final NR (as requested) on Highway 99 resurfacing projects – which is going out tomorrow morning at 7 AM to all lower mainland media.

Please share with MLA Sims as well as any other interested MLAs

Danielle – for TRAN proactive

TWEETS:

We're improving access at 6 interchanges on #BCHwy99 to make travel smoother and safer for people in #SurreyBC @clairetrevena

Night work starts Monday on #BCHwy99 in #SurreyBC - check @DriveBC for the latest highway travel information @TranBC

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From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 1:20 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR/ BG - Electric Vehicle Charging Sites

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On Jul 12, 2019, at 12:48, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Minister,

Quote for your approval on EV charging sites press release:

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PR also includes quotes from Min. Mungall and Min. Heyman, and we'll give the Greens a heads up. I'll send you the graphic map of all the sites once it's ready.

Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 2:53 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR/ BG - Electric Vehicle Charging Sites

Hi to all – here is the beautifully crafted NR/ BG from Sukhi on the electric vehicle charging stations. FYI (good news!) the Buckley Bay site is running now (I guess that part came in faster than they thought it would) so that means all 12 sites are up & running. We will send you the Graphic Map once it's ready/ polished. This is lined up for Tuesday July 16 – BC wide release. Over to you for Minister QUOTE approval – and if you need it – approval from the Greens.

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Thanks!

<NR_EVChargingStations.docx>

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 3:30 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: FINAL - News Release: NR - Intercity Transportation Service for Northern BC - RFP - & tweets!
Attachments: NR - Intercity Transportation Service for Northern BC - RFP.pdf; QA-KM - BC Bus North -FINAL.docx

Hi to MO – here is the final NR, the KM/ QA and the permalink to the NR
<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0125-001441>

FYI this went out this afternoon – as there were some technical issues with posting the RFP to BC Bid – so later in the day than we would have liked.

Here are 2 tweets to use if you wish to:

As part of the fair and competitive procurement process, @BCTransit has posted a RFP on #BCBid, welcoming proposals from those interested in providing long-haul bus services in #northernBC.
<https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0125-001441>

@BCTransit is now seeking proposals from the private sector for a safe, affordable, and reliable transportation service for people who live and work northern #BC. #BCBid <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0125-001441>

Thanks!

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 10:50 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: KMs - E-scooters

Hi Melanie & Aaron – as requested – here is what we are planning to send to the Kelowna based reporters who are asking about this subject.

Danielle can forward you the reporters who are asking.

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Thanks!

Pre-approved messaging:

- At this point in time, the Motor Vehicle Act does not permit people to use certain devices, such as e-scooters, solowheels, hoverboards, electric skateboards, etc. on public roads or on sidewalks. This is true for all cities and communities in B.C.
- The Province is advancing its Active Transportation Strategy – Move.Commute.Connect. As we developed this strategy, we have heard from people that they would like to see new and emerging transportation technologies recognized.
- As such, the Province continues to evaluate the legislative, regulatory and policy frameworks, including the Motor Vehicle Act, to ensure that they help support and acknowledge all road users, and emerging active transportation modes, while maintaining overall safety.
- The initiatives and policies in the strategy, including the renewed criteria for grants, are intended to support and enable active transportation use across the province with an aim to double the percentage of active transportation trips by 2030.
- Community planners will benefit from a new Active Transportation Design Guide, designed to make it easier for communities to incorporate active transportation into their infrastructure planning.
- Over time, the policies, programs and initiatives set out will change how we travel, safely and conveniently, in B.C.

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 9:04 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: Final - NR - Electric Vehicle Charging Stations - & tweets
Attachments: Final NR_BG_EV_Charging Stations_July 16 2019.pdf

Final NR (going out this morning at 9:30 AM)

TWEETS

British Columbia's provincewide electric vehicle charging network continues to grow, with the completion of 12 charging sites and several more on the way. (Link) #BC #ActiveBC #ActiveTransportation

We're making it more convenient for people who drive electric vehicles to travel across the province, with 12 additional charging sites being added to the network, and more on the way. These include some fast chargers that allow drivers to charge their vehicles in 30 minutes or less. (Link) #BC #ActiveBC #ActiveTransportation

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From: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 9:59 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Active Transportation Files
Attachments: NR_CleanBC_Move.Commute.Connect. BC's Active Transportation Strategy FINAL.pdf;
QA_Active Transportation Strategy.docx; Message
Frame_Move.Commute.Connect_Active Transportation Strategy_GCPE HQ.docx

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From: Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 12:10 PM
To: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Ergonomics Assessment

Hello team,

Apologies for not getting this done sooner but here is an outline of what needs to happen in order to get an ergonomic assessment done:

- 1) Complete the Computer Workstation Self Setup E-tool:
<https://www.bcpublicservice.gov.bc.ca/ergotools/login.aspx>
- 2) If you find that the Self Setup was not able to make an ergonomically safe station for yourself, contact your supervisor (I believe this may be Will) who will send in an Ergonomics Assessment Request to MyHR (steps found on the right hand side at the bottom of the page)
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/careers-myhr/managers-supervisors/occupational-health-safety/ergonomics>

That's it! Let me know if you want any further info.



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From: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 5:09 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Thursday July 18 Announcement

Hi all

Here is the basic itinerary. Joleen will be on site in case anything comes up, or you have any questions.

Thanks
Rick

From: Van Gerven, Kate <Kate.VanGerven@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>
Sent: Wednesday, July 17, 2019 4:40 PM
To: Richards, Erin GCPE:EX <Erin.Richards@gov.bc.ca>; Hage-Moussa, Vanessa <Vanessa.Hage-Moussa@pmo-cpm.gc.ca>; Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX <Rick.Devereux@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Badger, Joleen GCPE:EX <Joleen.Badger@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Thursday July 18 Announcement

Hi all,

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Thanks all,
Kate

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From: D'Eith, Bob <s.17>
Sent: July 17, 2019 5:52 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX; Connor, Tamara LASS:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Ok. All good to go then. B

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 17, 2019 at 5:35:51 PM PDT
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Cc: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

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From: D'Eith, Bob <s.17>
Sent: July 17, 2019 5:29 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX <Bob.Deith.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Connor, Tamara LASS:EX <Tamara.Connor@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

What happened to my advocacy bit?

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 17, 2019 at 5:24:37 PM PDT
To: D'Eith, Bob <s.17>, D'Eith.MLA, Bob <Bob.Deith.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, Connor, Tamara <Tamara.Connor@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Here's the last version I have. Good to go?

"For too long, we've heard tragic stories of crashes along the stretch of Highway 7 between Maple Ridge and Mission, often resulting in loss of life. The complete four-laning of this stretch of Highway 7 isn't just about easing congestion, it's about improving safety on the roads our community use every day. I'm pleased the federal and provincial governments are taking this next step to make life better for people who rely on this important roadway."

From: D'Eith, Bob^{s.17}

Sent: July 17, 2019 5:07 PM

To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX <Bob.Deith.MLA@leg.bc.ca>; Connor, Tamara LASS:EX <Tamara.Connor@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Not sure where we are with this quote? Can I see final? I was fine with last draft

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>

Date: July 17, 2019 at 2:33:15 PM PDT

To: D'Eith, Bob^{s.17} D'Eith.MLA, Bob <Bob.Deith.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, Connor, Tamara <Tamara.Connor@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Draft invite attached. 1pm start time confirmed. See note on lack of photographer below.

Invites will go out momentarily. Please call me asap if any concerns.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX

Sent: July 17, 2019 11:20 AM

To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Hi Melanie – here is the invitation that we'd like to get out today. Any concerns? Also – will MLA D'Eith have staff to assist him at the event? Media relations is no longer able to support and I was unsuccessful in the request for a photographer as well (Sian from events has offered to take pictures, but would be nice to have a backup).

Thanks!

~Leanne

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From: Dean, Mitzi s.17
Sent: July 18, 2019 10:14 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Madevon, Solenn LASS:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: QUOTE approval - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Thanks – looks fine –^{s.13}
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Date: Thursday, July 18, 2019 at 10:05 AM
To: Mitzi Dean^{s.17}
Cc: "Madevon, Solenn" <Solenn.Madevon@leg.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: QUOTE approval - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Good morning MLA Dean,

Below is a quote for your approval, for inclusion in the attached CRD press release that's slated for July 23.

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Thanks,

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Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
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From: Dean, Mitzi s.19
Sent: July 18, 2019 10:50 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: QUOTE approval - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Lovely thanks.

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Cc: Madevon, Solenn LASS:EX <Solenn.Madevon@leg.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
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Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: Final NR & Tweets! - New investments to improve public transit for British Columbia
Attachments: 2019PREM0085-001479.pdf; Picture1.png; Picture2.jpg

Hi to all -

Here is the final NR which will be posted on our TRAN Newsroom site and PREM Newsroom site today at 4:45 PM Also - 2 tweets and pictures if you would like them for social media Reminder that our newsroom site is technically down for photos at the moment - so if you want photos you will need to post on Twitter

Here is the final NR with BG (permalink: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20273>)

Suggested tweets:

Thx to #GoC for helping #transit in BC to go green! 118 new buses - including our 1st electric! - to help get people out of their personal vehicles & on buses, easing congestion for faster commutes & lower carbon emissions. @CanadianPM @INFC_eng @BCTransit <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20273>

I'm thrilled at this investment – another 118 new buses for @BCTransit to meet rising #transit demand, attract new riders, and put public #transit in BC on a solid road towards a truly sustainable future. #CleanBC @CanadianPM @INFC_eng <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20273>

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To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: Info on GHG emission reduction

Hi to Min office – as requested (sorry for the delay) – here is the info given to us from Andrea Mercer

Out of 118 buses, why are only 10 battery electric and 26 CNG? Why are the rest diesel and gas vehicles?

- 63 are light duty buses - **there are extremely limited offerings of battery electric or CNG light duty buses available today. BC Transit will look to invest in electric light duty buses when the technology matures.**
- 19 are double decker high capacity buses - **there are extremely limited offerings battery electric or CNG models commercially available today. BC Transit will look to invest in electric double decker buses when the technology matures.**
- 6 are medium duty buses - there are CNG medium duty models available, and all 6 medium duty buses will be CNG. **There are extremely limited electric medium duty buses commercially available today. BC Transit will look to invest in electric medium duty buses when the technology matures**
- 30 of these buses are heavy duty buses. **All of these heavy duty buses will be electric (10) or CNG (20). BC Transit has purchased its very last heavy duty diesel bus.**
- **BC Transit will be looking to move to lower carbon alternatives for each of their different bus types in its fleet as the technology matures and more models become available.**

What sort of GHG reduction can we expect with the 10 battery and 26 CNG buses?

- Compressed Natural Gas (CNG) buses reduce GHG emissions by **6-8% over diesel buses**
- Moving to Renewable Natural Gas (RNG) reduces GHG emissions by **60-80% over diesel buses**. BC Transit is working with Fortis to source as much RNG as possible for its natural gas fleet.
- Battery Electric buses (BEBs) will provide a 95% reduction in GHG emissions compared to diesel. These first 10 BEBs will allow BC Transit needs to better understand how to integrate greater numbers of electric buses into their fleet.
- **Combined, these 36 CNG and BEB buses combined will produce 920 tonnes less GHG emissions per year than 36 heavy duty diesel buses. (the equivalent to taking approximately 200 cars off the road).**

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Thanks very much Andrea s.13

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Melanie

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Sent: July 18, 2019 1:54 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Powell River / Sunshine Coast - Additional Information for MLA Simon's

Melanie –

As discussed, a bit of extra information for MLA Simons if you wouldn't mind passing this on:

Sunshine Coast Connector (SCC)

- SCC's current authorization requires them to provide 3 round trips per week between the City of Powell River and the Langdale Ferry terminal
- SCC has an application that is in front of the Passenger Transportation Board for decision:
<https://www.ptboard.bc.ca/applications/2019/20190626/6041-19-Application-Summary.pdf>. The deadline for submissions regarding this application was July 10, 2019.
- SCC's application seeks to reduce service on the Powell River to Langdale Ferry terminal from year round to only 4 months (only operating between May 15th to Sept 15th)
- SCC co-owner has been quoted in the media as being amenable to continuing to provide service between Langdale and Earls Cove ferry terminals (3 days/week round trip during low season and daily round trip during

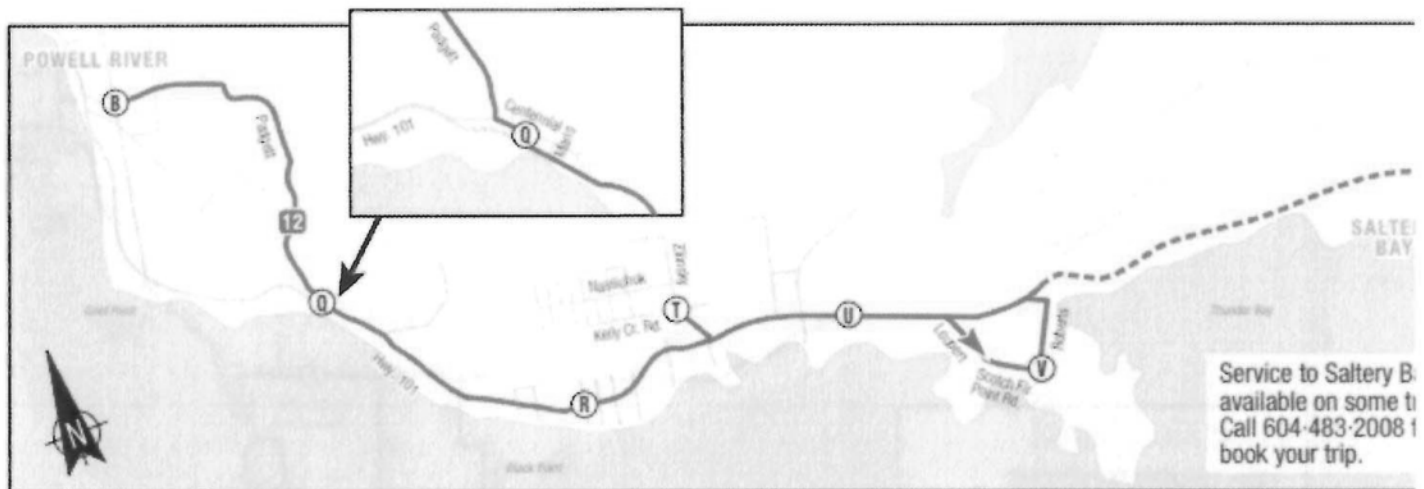
summer high season) with Earls Cover being the terminus (instead of carrying on to Powell River) and then relying on BC Transit to increase/provide service from Salter Bay Ferry terminal to Powell River (at matching frequency). There is no revised application to reflect this on the PTB website. I have asked the PT Branch to alert me if they do receive a revised application from SCC.

- NOTE: in September 2017, the PTB approved an application from SCC to eliminate / reduce service (most notably eliminating service into West Vancouver and Vancouver, and making the terminus of the route to be Powell River and Langdale) <https://www.ptboard.bc.ca/applications/2017/20170920/220-17-Decision.pdf>

BC Transit Services

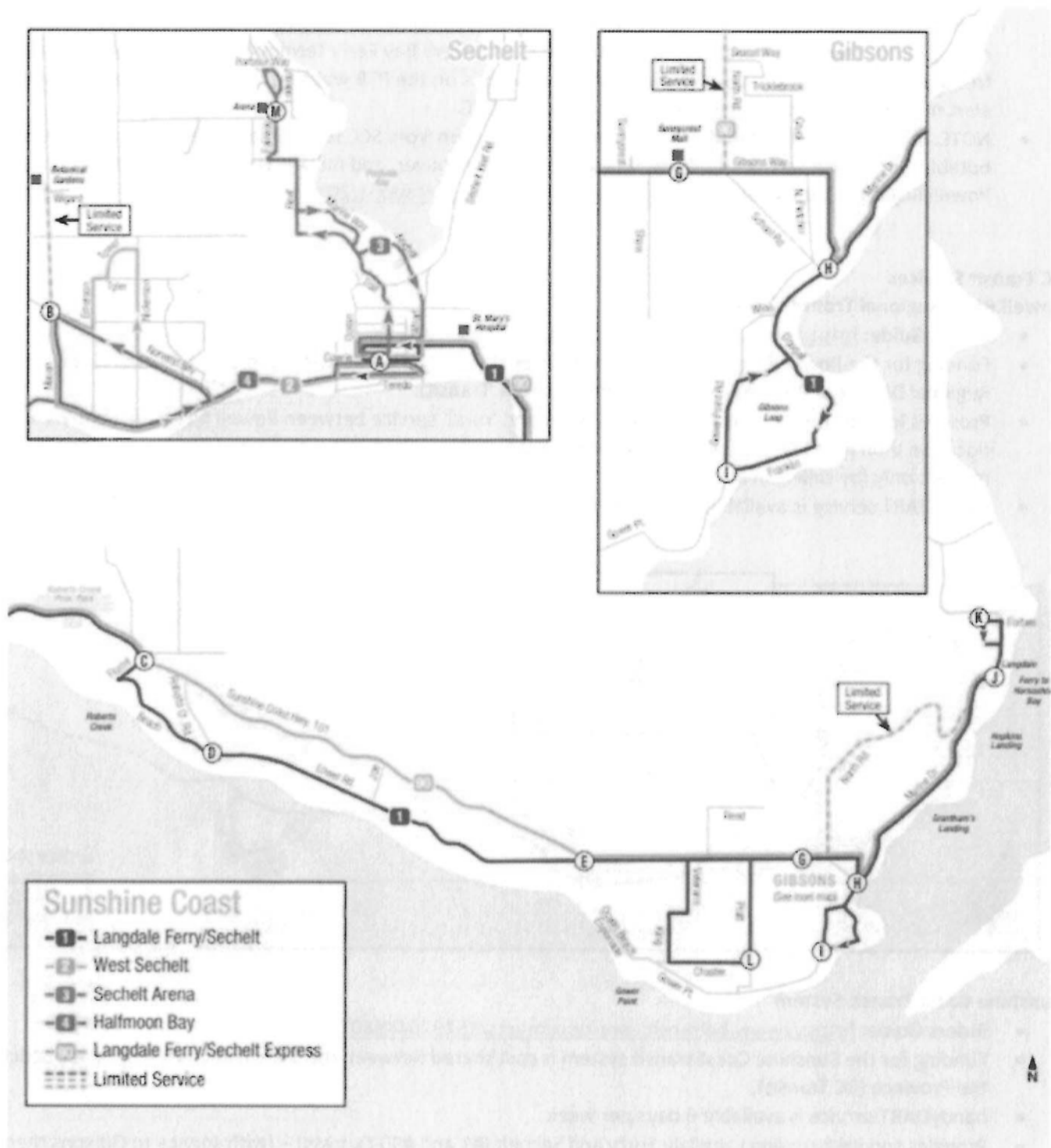
Powell River Regional Transit System

- **Riders Guide:** <https://www.bctransit.com/documents/1507215490375>
- Funding for the Powell River Regional Transit system is cost shared between the City of Powell River, the Regional District of Powell River and the Province (BC Transit).
- Provides local transit service within Powell River and 'rural' service between Powell River and Scotch Fir Pt. Road (location V on map inset below) 4 days per week (Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri) with limited service to Salter Bay on request only (by calling in advance)
- handyDART service is available 6 days per week



Sunshine Coast Transit System

- **Riders Guide:** <https://www.bctransit.com/documents/1529704498075>
- Funding for the Sunshine Coast transit system is cost shared between the Sunshine Coast Regional District and the Province (BC Transit).
- handyDART service is available 6 days per week
- Provides service between Langdale Ferry and Sechelt (#1 and #90 Express) – (with service to Gibsons then on to Sechelt with limited service to Halfmoon Bay) 7 days per week. There is NO BC Transit Service that connects Sechelt to Earls Cover ferry terminal.



Health Connections

- Vancouver Coastal Health generally does not provide transportation services for Powell River
<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/health/accessing-health-care/tap-bc/health-connections> "Vancouver Coastal Health (VCH) focuses its funding on the Central Coast and Bella Coola Valley. Bella Coola Valley Health Services has established a local HandyDART bus service in the Bella Coola Valley to provide transportation to medical appointments, adult day programs, foot clinics, etc."

TransLink

- TransLink provides regular/frequent service to Horseshoe Bay. This was one of the reasons cited by SCC in its 2017 application to eliminate its service south of Langdale. <http://www.transitdb.ca/route/257/>

Andrea Mercer, Executive Director

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Where ideas work

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:12 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Hi Melania



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ect program area for an answer, I will reply back once received.

Thank you,

Katrina Maki

A/Executive Administrative Assistant
to Kevin Volk, Assistant Deputy Minister
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Major Projects, Infrastructure and Properties Department
Mobile: (778) 679-2415 | Work: (778) 974-4565

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 12:57 PM
To: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX <Katrina.Maki@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Hi Katrina,

I received an inquiry from MLA Nicholas Simons on behalf of the Sunshine Coast Regional District regarding an infrastructure funding application for Coopers Green Hall Replacement project. They are wondering about the timeline for a provincial decision to be made. This info would help them in efforts to secure additional funding for the project. Are there any details on the decision making timeline that we could provide?

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson

Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:20 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
Sensitivity: Confidential

Melanie, as discussed I'll reach out to Fred and invite him to be the event's emcee. Please advise as soon as you hear if there will be another speaker from the City and we'll update the SN and itinerary. Thanks!

~Leanne

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

From: Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:13 PM
To: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; 'Bugorski2, Maya (INFC)' <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
Sensitivity: Confidential

I know Fred Armstrong from an event I did a few weeks back in Maple Ridge. He works for the town,^{s.22} and emcees a lot of the city events in MR :)

Sian

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

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:12 PM
To: 'Bugorski2, Maya (INFC)' <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
Sensitivity: Confidential

Thanks Maya - sounds good to our MO and the MLA. We'll reach out.

~Leanne

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

From: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:08 PM
To: Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
Sensitivity: Confidential

Hi,

Sent from my iPhone

> On Jul 18, 2019, at 5:23 PM, Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

>

> Hi Maya,

>

> I just got off the phone with Leanne - MLA D'Eith will be our MC tomorrow. Please see attached itinerary - if you have any changes do let me know!

>

> Best,

> Sian

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>

> Sent: July 18, 2019 12:53 PM

> To: Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>

> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement

> Sensitivity: Confidential

>

> I probably just missed it- did you confirm an MC for this event?

>

> Thanks,

> Maya

>

> Maya Bugorski

> Tel: 613-941-2717

> Cell: 343-542-8079

>

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX [mailto:Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca]

> Sent: July 18, 2019 2:18 PM

> To: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>

> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement

> Sensitivity: Confidential

>

> Hi folks,

>

> I can print them this afternoon if you get it to me before 4:45pm.

>

> Sian

>

> -----Original Message-----

> From: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>

> Sent: July 18, 2019 8:44 AM

> To: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>

> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement

> Sensitivity: Confidential

>

> Sounds good. Getting everything translated. When is the latest I can get the NRs to you for printing?

>

> Thanks,

> Maya

>

> Maya Bugorski

> Tel: 613-941-2717

> Cell: 343-542-8079

>

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> -----Original Message-----

> From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX [mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca]

> Sent: July 18, 2019 10:54 AM

> To: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>

> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX
<Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>

> Subject: Re: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement

> Sensitivity: Confidential

>

> Edited & approved quote:

>

> "For too long, we've heard tragic stories of crashes along the stretch of Highway 7 between Maple Ridge and Mission, often resulting in loss of life. The complete four-laning of this stretch of Highway 7 isn't just about easing congestion, it's about improving safety on the roads our community use every day. I'm pleased the federal and provincial governments are taking this next step to make life better for people who rely on this important roadway."

>

> All others edits stand; this is now signed off at our end.

>

> Possible to see the final draft when you are able? Thanks!

>

> Leanne Flood | Senior Public Affairs Officer Government Communications and Public Engagement Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure

> Telephone: 250 356-9048<tel:250%20356-9048> | Mobile: 250 480-6765<tel:250%20480-6765>

> Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca> | @LeanneFlood

>

> On Jul 18, 2019, at 6:36 AM, Bugorski2, Maya (INFC)

<maya.bugorski2@canada.ca<mailto:maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>> wrote:

>

> Hi Leanne,

>

> Do we have approval for the quote?

>

> Thanks,

> Maya

>

> Maya Bugorski

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> Cell: 343-542-8079

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> From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX [mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca]

> Sent: July 17, 2019 2:17 PM

> To: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca<mailto:maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>>
> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>>
> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
> Sensitivity: Confidential
>
> Thanks Maya! Did you hear if 1 p.m. is confirmed?^{s.13}

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> Here is our draft invitation and guest list for your review (our MO is currently taking a look).
>
> I should have our final NR edits to you shortly. Thanks!
>
> ~Leanne
>
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> From: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca<mailto:maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>>
> Sent: July 16, 2019 2:30 PM
> To: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>>
> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>>
> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
> Sensitivity: Confidential
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>
> Thanks,
> Maya
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> Maya Bugorski
> Tel: 613-941-2717
> Cell: 343-542-8079
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> From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX [mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca]
> Sent: July 16, 2019 1:07 PM
> To: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca<mailto:maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>>
> Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>>
> Subject: RE: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
> Sensitivity: Confidential
>

^{s.13} ...and the MA just needs the directions added. Please send updated when available & thank you!

>
> ~Leanne
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> From: Bugorski2, Maya (INFC) <maya.bugorski2@canada.ca<mailto:maya.bugorski2@canada.ca>>
> Sent: July 16, 2019 6:22 AM
> To: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>>
> Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca<mailto:David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>>; Vachon, Kathryn (INFC) <kathryn.vachon@canada.ca<mailto:kathryn.vachon@canada.ca>>
> Subject: Draft products: B.C. Highway 7 announcement
> Sensitivity: Confidential
>

> Good morning,
>
> These are drafts for the news release, media advisory and scenario note for Friday's event with MP Ruimy.
>
> Could you please provide the parking instructions and directions that were mentioned during the call? If I could get those today that would be great – I'll need to get them translated for the MA.
>
> For the news release, can we get your feedback and quotes by 10:00 a.m. tomorrow (PDT)?
>
> Thanks,
> Maya
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> <DRAFT IT_MOTI Highway 7 Announcement_July 18, 2019 105PM.docx>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 4:13 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Hi Melanie,

See Doug's response below.

Please let me know if you need any further information and I'll reach out.

Thanks,

Katrina Maki
Mobile: (778) 679-2415

From: Harms, Doug TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 4:11 PM
To: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX <Katrina.Maki@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Katrina,

It is important to note this application was submitted to a federal/provincial funding program. Final decisions are made in Ottawa.

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Hope this helps. Let me know if you have further questions.

Doug

From: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:11 PM
To: Harms, Doug TRAN:EX <Doug.Harms@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Hi Doug,

I was advised that this request should be sent to you. Please could you assist with providing an answer for Melanie?

Thanks so much,



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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

Sent: July 18, 2019 12:57 PM

To: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX <Katrina.Maki@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

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Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson

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Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 10:13 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Post - E-Bus announcement

I think^{S.13}

On Jul 19, 2019, at 10:04, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Tweet/FB post for your approval, with attached photos:

Tweet:

Strong public transit is key to making B.C. communities more affordable and livable for people. I was thrilled to see @jjhorgan @justintrudeau @BCTransit announce 118 more buses to help meet rising transit demand and put B.C. on a solid road towards a greener future.

Facebook:

Strong public transit is key to making B.C. communities more affordable and livable for people. I was thrilled to see Premier Horgan, Prime Minister Trudeau & BC Transit announce 118 more buses – including 10 electric buses – to help meet rising transit demand and put B.C. on a solid road towards a greener future.

More photos at: <https://www.flickr.com/photos/bcgovphotos/48319159002/in/feed>

Melanie Sanderson

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Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 10:37 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: With tweets: Final TRAN IB - McKenzie interchange takes shape with bridge beam placement
Attachments: 2019TRAN0128-001487.pdf

Hi to Min office – as promised – here is the final Info Bulletin – which will go out to local media and press gallery at 12:30 PM today.

Please feel free to share with the PO and with local MLAs.

Also – the MLAs are welcome to check out the activities over the weekend as they wish to.

Danielle is letting the local TV stations know as well – they will send out cameramen to get visuals.

2 tweets below:

Thirty concrete beams lifted to form two spans across #BCHwy1 at McKenzie this weekend as project takes shape.
#saanich #yyjtraffic <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20281>

Next step in the #Saanich McKenzie interchange project underway this weekend - with two spans constructed to bridge #BCHwy1. #yyjtraffic <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20281>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 1:43 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Peace Flood Recovery

Ok

On Jul 19, 2019, at 12:03, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Another quote for your approval (edited from what's below and attached):

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Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Peace Flood Recovery

Hi to Min office – here is another NR/ BG for Minister QUOTE approval please.
This one goes out next Wednesday.

s.13

Thank you!

<NR - Peace Flood Recovery 2019 - DRAFT (with BG).docx>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 1:43 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR - Resurfacing projects in Northern BC

Good to go

On Jul 19, 2019, at 12:02, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Quote for your approval (edited from what's above and attached):

"We are hard at work in northern B.C. this summer, paving roadways and building essential infrastructure," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "These important projects will make a big difference to local people and those travelling through the region."

Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 9:30 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR - Resurfacing projects in Northern BC

Hi to MO –

This NR/ BG has been approved at all levels (just pending ADM approval now).
It is set to go out on Monday – mid-morning if possible.

Over to you for Minister QUOTE approval please & thanks

s.13

Lianne

<NR - resurfacing projects in northern bc FINAL DRAFT.docx>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 3:04 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: Communications Package for E&N Rail Trail Event (July 23)
Attachments: SN_BikeBC_EN Rail Trail_MLA Dean.docx; QA - EN Rail Trail Humpback Connector.docx; QA - BC Transit View Royal handyDART Facility - updated.doc; Event Invite.pdf

Hi to Min Office – here is the communications package for the upcoming event to celebrate the E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector.

s.13

Over to you for sharing with MLA Mitzi Dean, who is attending and speaking at this event.

Please let us know of any questions.

Thanks & have a great event!

Tweet:

The Province is a proud funding partner in the E&N Rail Trail, a multi-use pathway that connects #activetransportation commuters in Victoria to the Western Communities. #CleanBC #MoveCommuteConnect #BikeBC

Approved quote:

“The E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector is a wonderful multi-use pathway that connects communities and neighbourhoods to the places where people work, play and learn,” said Mitzi Dean, MLA for Esquimalt - Metchosin on behalf of Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. “Our government is pleased to be a funding partner to help build this pathway. We will continue to work with regional, local and Indigenous governments to build safe active transportation infrastructure to give people of all ages and abilities more choices to get around in healthy, environmentally friendly and affordable ways.”

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 10:51 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: Pattullo Bridge overnight lane closures beginning July 28
Attachments: 2019-07-18 Pattullo Bridge Info Bulletin.pdf

FYI to MO – an info bulletin from TransLink re: Pattullo maintenance work.
As an FYI & you may want to share with local MLAs.
Thanks!

From: media@translink.ca <media@translink.ca>
Sent: July 22, 2019 10:29 AM
To: media@translink.ca
Subject: Pattullo Bridge overnight lane closures beginning July 28

Pattullo Bridge overnight lane closures beginning July 28

Maintenance enhances bridge safety and functionality

July 22, 2019

NEW WESTMINSTER, BC — Starting July 28, the Pattullo Bridge will be closed in alternating directions for maintenance and annual inspection to improve and ensure bridge safety. **Traffic access will be either northbound or southbound only.**

Southbound Closures:

- Sunday, July 28, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am
- Monday, July 29, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am

Northbound Closures:

- Tuesday, July 30, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am
- Wednesday, July 31, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am
- Thursday, August 1, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am
- Friday August 2, 2019: 10 pm – 5 am

Affected N19 bus trips will be re-routed over the Queensborough Bridge.

The lane closures are required for the safety of the inspection crew and for people driving across the bridge.

Bridge users are encouraged to use the Port Mann or Alex Fraser Bridge as alternatives during the closures. Emergency vehicles, cyclists and pedestrians will be able to cross the bridge in both directions at all times.

The maintenance will involve the installation of early seismic warning and wind monitoring sensors. These sensors will improve safety for bridge users by detecting seismic activity and monitoring wind speeds at the bridge. The new system will allow us to block traffic to the bridge prior to a wind or seismic event occurring.

Installation includes:

- Early Seismic Warning and Monitoring System sensors

- Bridge closure devices
- Fibre-optic cables
- Advanced warning lights and signs

The annual inspection involves checking the underside of the bridge deck to ensure all equipment is functioning properly. The new system and our regular annual inspections help us to maintain the safety of the bridge until its replacement is completed in 2023.

We thank bridge users and neighbours for their patience during this time.

Learn more:

[TransLink Maintenance and Repair Program](#)

For interview and clip requests:

TransLink Media Relations

E: media@translink.ca

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 11:34 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: FINAL News Release: Nearly 390 KM of highway improvements in northern B.C.
Attachments: NR - resurfacing projects in northern bc FINAL.pdf

Hi to MO - just sending you the final/ formatted NR that went out to all northern media at 10 AM today.

Here are 2 tweets if you would like them for the Minister's twitter account...

It's a busy construction season in #northernBC! Thanks to everyone working to maintain our highways and roads this summer - you help ensure the safe, reliable, and efficient movement of people and goods in #BC! #BCRoadBuilders <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20294>

It's a busy construction season this summer in #northernBC - maintaining high-quality roads and highways is important for everyone on the road! #BCRoadBuilders <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20294>

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 23, 2019 4:42 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: Comm Materials - BC Transit Event - NextRide Victoria
Attachments: 20190725_MR_NextRide_VIC_FINAL.pdf; SN Mitzi Dean - NextRide_VIC_FINAL.docx

Hi to Min office –

Here is the NR from BC Transit & the Speaking Notes for MLA Mitzi Dean at the NextRide event at UVic.

The event is on Thursday at 10 AM – at the University of Victoria, Transit Exchange (in front of Student Union Building). It will be about 20 minutes.

BC Transit reps will be at the event.

If you can pass these materials onto the MLA & let us know of any questions.

Thank you – and have a great event!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 11:35 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: FINAL - Highway 99 delays and closures during the Ironman triathlon
Attachments: 2019TRAN0132-001517.pdf

Hi to MO,

Here is the IRONMAN Traffic Advisory for the Whistler area - lined up to go out tomorrow (July 25) Please share with local MLAs as wished Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 1:35 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Subject: Alex Fraser Bridge website updated

FYI Will & Melanie – as requested the webpage on the Alex Fraser Bridge has been updated – with the speed limit change more front & centre.

Leanne is working on the QA and the Info Bulletin as requested. Will share these with you soon.

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 1:00 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: AFB website updated

FYI. <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/transportation/transportation-infrastructure/projects/alex-fraser-bridge>

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 4:41 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: As requested - KM-QA on Alex Fraser Bridge
Attachments: KM-QA - AFB speed limit and project update.docx

Hi to MO –

As requested, here is the KM/ QA doc on Alex Fraser Bridge – with QAs on the speed limit reduction/ reasons for it.

Please let us know of any questions, and share with MLA Ravi Kahlon.

We have an info bulletin in the works – we will share the draft shortly.

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 4:35 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: Final IB - Alex Fraser Bridge
Attachments: 2019TRAN0133-001526.pdf

Hi to Min office –

Just sending you the final IB that will go out tomorrow morning on the Alex Fraser Bridge (work creating space for seventh lane and speed limit reduction)

Feel free to share this with MLA Ravi Kahlon too.

Thanks!

Lianne Bowness | Communications Manager
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Direct: 250-356-7707
Cell: 250-889-1336

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 11:59 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: For Minister QUOTE approval - BC Transit Low Carbon NR

This is ok

On Jul 26, 2019, at 11:31, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Minister,
Quote below for your approval – for Monday press release on BC Transit’s low carbon fleet program.

"British Columbia's largest and fastest-growing source of carbon pollution is the transportation sector," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Changing that trend will be a challenge, but it's also a tremendous opportunity. Many of the actions we need to take to reduce carbon emissions - such as encouraging people to choose transit over their personal vehicles and moving to a fully electric fleet - are the exact same measures that will get us out of gridlock and make our neighbourhoods more liveable, now and for future generations."

Note, Min. Heyman will also have a quote in the release and there will be a line in the release on CleanBC plan and Green caucus support for it.

Min. Heyman’s approved quote:

"Through our CleanBC climate and economic plan, our government is making public transit clean, affordable and convenient for people by working together with local partners," said George Heyman, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy. "BC Transit’s commitment to a fully electric fleet is an important step towards zero-emissions travel in B.C., and will mean cleaner air, less congestion and a more comfortable experience for people who choose transit."

Melanie

<20190703_MR_COR_LowCarbon_DRAFT2.docx>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 12:19 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX
Subject: Final Info Bulletin and tweet: Peachland IB
Attachments: FINAL IB_Peachland route options.pdf; Peachland overhead.JPG

Hi to MO - Here is the final IB that will go out to regional media on Monday afternoon at 2 PM.

This will go to - Peachland, Summerland, Penticton and Kelowna media

Also attached is an image for you to include with the following tweet:

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 1:22 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: Fwd: 563579 - AG IBN - ICBA v. BC - Jurisdiction Decision
Attachments: 563579 - AG IBN - ICBA v BC - jurisdiction decision.pdf; ATT00001.htm

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Harder, Derrick AG:EX" <Derrick.Harder@gov.bc.ca>
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: 563579 - AG IBN - ICBA v. BC - Jurisdiction Decision

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Engelbrecht, Maya AG:EX" <Maya.Engelbrecht@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 26, 2019 at 12:11:56 PM PDT
To: "Harder, Derrick AG:EX" <Derrick.Harder@gov.bc.ca>, "Hughes, Candice AG:EX" <Candice.Hughes@gov.bc.ca>, "Normand, Nicole AG:EX" <Nicole.Normand@gov.bc.ca>, "Smith, Jessica C AG:EX" <Jessica.C.Smith@gov.bc.ca>, "Pinette, Celia AG:EX" <Celia.Pinette@gov.bc.ca>, "Bernard, Tabitha AG:EX" <Tabitha.Bernard@gov.bc.ca>, "Croteau, Caitlin AG:EX" <Caitlin.Croteau@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Ussery, Camas AG:EX" <Camas.Ussery@gov.bc.ca>, "Richter, Connie AG:EX" <Connie.Richter@gov.bc.ca>, "Duffus, Robert GCPE:EX" <Robert.Duffus@gov.bc.ca>, "Chu, Timothy GCPE:EX" <Timothy.Chu@gov.bc.ca>, "Panton, Ryan GCPE:EX" <Ryan.Panton@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: 563579 - AG IBN - ICBA v. BC - Jurisdiction Decision

Good afternoon,

Please see the attached briefing note approved by the Deputy and prepared for the Minister's Information, a copy of which is saved to the SharePoint.

No Briefing Scheduled - Please note that this briefing note was prepared at the request of the Premier's Office through our GCPE office. Ryan Panton, copied here will provide it forward. Thank you.

Best regards,
Maya Engelbrecht
Senior Executive Assistant
Deputy Attorney General's Office, Ministry of Attorney General
PO Box 9290 Stn Prov Gov't, Victoria, BC V8W 9J7

Ph: 778-974-3796

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sather, Kelly ENV:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 5:39 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Quote approval

Approved thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2019, at 5:22 PM, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Would this edit to Min. Heyman's quote be ok? Full release attached.

"Through our CleanBC climate and economic plan, **which is a shared priority with the BC Green Caucus**, our government is making public transit clean, affordable and convenient for people by working together with local partners," said George Heyman, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy. "BC Transit's commitment to a fully electric fleet is an important step towards zero-emissions travel in B.C., and will mean cleaner air, less congestion and a more comfortable experience for people who choose transit."

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 9:07 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Cc: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: FINAL NR - BC Transit - Low Carbon Strategy
Attachments: 20190729_MR_COR_LowCarbon_Final.pdf

Hi to MO –

As requested – here is the final NR from BC Transit for today's announcement.

This will go out province-wide just after the event starts at 1:30 PM.

Approved Claire Trevena and George Heyman quotes are within.

Please share with MLA Lana Popham too.

Many thanks, and have a great event!

Lianne

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 3:04 PM
To: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX; Handrahan, Kirk TRAN:EX
Subject: Draft Vision Statement of Work
Attachments: Vision Statement of Work - Ferry Vision Clean July 29.docx

Good afternoon Aileen and Melanie,

Attached, please find a draft Vision Statement of Work for review.

Regards,
Kim

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Transportation Policy & Programs Department
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 10:24 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: s.12; s.13

Got it - and ok

On Jul 30, 2019, at 10:16, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hope this helps – I outlined the edits below and tried to specify where the sections are found.

Melanie

s.12; s.13

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From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 9:26 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re:s.12; s.13

Hi Melanie

The trouble with iPad is there are no page breaks. Which sections need review?

Thanks

C

On Jul 29, 2019, at 17:10, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi Minister,

Please see note below from Lea re: edits to the s.12; s.13
s.12; s.13 . This requires your approval. Looks ok to me.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: July 29, 2019 11:36 AM

To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: s.12; s.13

s.12; s.13

Good morning:

Please note s.12; s.13

Ve will swap

out the two pages in the minister's signed version once we have your approval.

Please advise.

Thank you
Lea

s.12; s.13

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 11:42 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: Quick look: BC Transit's Low Carbon Fleet Program announcement

Hi to Min office – passing along this media summary done by Peggy in our office of the BC Transit announcement on their low carbon strategy.

Looks like lots of positive media coverage & social media too on this one.

Thanks to Peggy for a job well done, and also to MLA Lana Popham for attending & speaking at this event!

From: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 11:36 AM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; XT:Dyck, Jonathon GCPE:IN <Jonathon_Dyck@BCTransit.com>; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: My quick look: BC Transit's Low Carbon Fleet Program announcement

All:

Ref this announcement: <https://bctransit.com/victoria/news?nid=1529705248190>

Here is what came up from quick TNO and Google searches, supported by BC Transit's clips.

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I will share with Transit Branch and Deborah Bowman.

s.13

Peggy

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Coverage

BC Transit aims to have all-electric bus fleet by 2040 (*Quote by Minister Trevena*)
Black Press (65+ outlets)

E.g. <https://www.abbynews.com/news/bc-transit-aims-to-have-all-electric-bus-fleet-by-2040/>

Going electric: BC Transit aims to convert fleet to electric buses by 2040 *(Quote by Minister Trevena)*

CTV, online text and/or video repeated cross country eg VI, Vancouver, Edmonton, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Northern Ontario, Toronto, Atlantic

<https://bc.ctvnews.ca/going-electric-bc-transit-aims-to-convert-fleet-to-electric-buses-by-2040-1.4528519>

B.C. Transit aims to be all electric by 2040; electric buses joining fleet in 2021 *(Quote by Minister Popham)*

Times Colonist, repeated in BIV and Vancouver Courier

<https://www.timescolonist.com/news/local/b-c-transit-aims-to-be-all-electric-by-2040-electric-buses-joining-fleet-in-2021-1.23900291>

<https://biv.com/article/2019/07/bc-transit-aims-be-all-electric-2040-electric-buses-joining-fleet-2021>

<https://www.vancourier.com/2.2065/b-c-transit-aims-to-be-all-electric-by-2040-electric-buses-joining-fleet-in-2021-1.23900291>

B.C. Transit switching entire fleet to electric buses

CBC, repeated Yahoo News

<https://www.cbc.ca/news/canada/british-columbia/bc-transit-electric-bus-fleet-1.5229665>

<https://ici.radio-canada.ca/nouvelle/1241562/bc-transit-convertir-flotte-bus-electriques-transport>

<https://ca.news.yahoo.com/b-c-transit-switching-entire-014449835.html>

The electric company: B.C. Transit takes entire fleet electric

Vancouver Sun, repeated in The Province, Regina Leader Post, Edmonton Journal, Star Phoenix (Saskatoon)

<https://vancouver.sun.com/news/local-news/the-electric-company-b-c-transit-takes-entire-fleet-electric>

<https://theprovince.com/news/local-news/the-electric-company-b-c-transit-takes-entire-fleet-electric/wcm/cec29291-df60-41dc-ad65-b09abf3ddb39>

<https://thestarphoenix.com/news/local-news/the-electric-company-b-c-transit-takes-entire-fleet-electric/wcm/e8d13805-edca-4cf8-ac48-97da54bca741> (etc)

BC Transit announces plan to convert to fully electric-battery bus fleet

Daily Hive

<https://dailyhive.com/vancouver/bc-transit-electric-battery-buses-2040>

Kamloops city councillor applauds move by BC Transit to convert fleet to electric buses

CFJC Today (Kamloops)

<https://cfjctoday.com/2019/07/29/kamloops-city-councillor-applauds-move-by-bc-transit-to-convert-fleet-to-electric-buses/>

BC Transit plans to electrify its entire bus fleet by 2040

Radio NL 610 AM (Kamloops)

<https://www.radionl.com/2019/07/30/33636/>

http://newcap.leanstream.co/CHNLAM-MP3?args=3rdparty_01 (audio)

Expect to see electric transit buses in 3 or 4 years

Kelowna Daily Courier

http://www.kelownadailycourier.ca/news/article_96999972-b28a-11e9-9b22-57fa01e52ada.html

BC Transit Aims For Fully Electric Bus System By 2040 – Including Chilliwack And Abbotsford *(Quote by Minister Trevena)*

Fraser Valley News

<http://fraservalleynewsnetwork.com/2019/07/29/bc-transit-aims-for-fully-electric-bus-system-by-2040-including-chilliwack-and-abbotsford/>
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tUHVZQzHxY&feature=youtu.be> (video)

BC Transit to move towards fully electric provincial fleet (*Minister Trevena quote*)

EnergeticCity.ca (for northwestern BC)

<https://www.energeticcity.ca/2019/07/bc-transit-to-move-towards-fully-electric-provincial-fleet/>

YOU'LL BE RIDING AN ELECTRIC BUS SOMETIME BETWEEN 2023 AND 2040 (*Minister Trevena quote*)

AM 1150 (Kelowna)

<http://www.iheartradio.ca/am-1150/news/you-ll-be-riding-an-electric-bus-sometime-between-2023-and-2040-1.9582735>

BC transit to go electric on fleet of 1000 vehicles

Electrive.com (a "leading publication for the electric transport industry in Europe and abroad")

<https://www.electrive.com/2019/07/30/bc-transit-to-go-electric-on-fleet-of-1000-vehicles/>

BC Transit announces plan for fully electric bus fleet

Clean Energy Canada

<https://cleanenergycanada.org/bc-transit-announces-plan-for-fully-electric-bus-fleet/>

TNO only

CKNW (Vancouver)

Lamb - BC Transit electrification (transcript:

<http://tno.gov.bc.ca/tno/servlet/tno.otis.servlet?command=showstory&showtranscript=yes&rsn=425717351&type=Radio+News&publication=CKNW&series=CKNW>)

CHNL (Kamloops)

Lamb - electric bus fleet (transcript

<http://tno.gov.bc.ca/tno/servlet/tno.otis.servlet?command=showstory&showtranscript=yes&rsn=425714459&type=Radio+News&publication=CHNL&series=CHNL>)

CBC On the Island

Lamb - zero tailpipe emissions (audio available only in TNO)

Key Tweets

<https://twitter.com/bcInga/status/1156216349221425152?s=20>



BC LNG Alliance

@bc lnga

Follow

BC Transit will have an all electric bus fleet by 2040. In the meantime, their transition fuel to a lower carbon footprint is CNG - compressed natural gas. #bcpoli #cdnpoli #naturalgas



The electric company: B.C. Transit takes entire fleet electric

The switch will unfold over the next decades.

vancouver.sun.com

<https://twitter.com/clairetrevena/status/1155961073838645249?s=20>



Claire Trevena

@clairetrevena

Following

Thank you to @BCTransit for your low carbon fleet program released today. Helping #transit in BC move towards a green and low carbon future, creating a #CleanBC. @lanapopham bctransit.com/victoria/news?



2:59 PM - 29 Jul 2019

9 Retweets 30 Likes





Lisa Helps - Victoria Mayor

@lisahelps

Follow

As of 2023 @BCTransit will only purchase
#electric #buses!



2:30 PM - 29 Jul 2019



MyTransit Montreal

@MyTransit_MTL

BC Transit s'engage à convertir toute sa flotte en autobus électriques d'ici 2040 - ICI.Radio-Canada.ca: ici.radio-canada.ca/nouvelle/12415... #STMInfo #EXOInfo #RTLInfo #Transit #Montreal #Transportation #MTL

Translate Tweet



BC Transit s'engage à convertir toute sa flotte en autobus électriques d'ici 2040
La société de transport BC Transit dit que tous ses véhicules seront remplacés par des autobus électriques au cours des 20 prochaines années afin de réduire ses ...
ici.radio-canada.ca

Peggy

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 5:39 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX; Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX; Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX; House, Kevin TRAN:EX
Subject: s.13 - DRAFT Letter - CONFIDENTIAL ADVICE
Attachments: 287557 Final(2).docx

Hi Melanie –

s.13; s.14; s.16

Regards,
Andrea

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Where ideas work

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 8:57 AM
To: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: Tweets - Service Contracts for SA 21 and SA 28
Attachments: IB - New Service Contract - SA28.pdf; IB - New Service Contract - SA21.pdf

The attached two media products went out to media outlets in the Stikine and South Peace regions in northern B.C. at 8 a.m. (SA 21) and 8:15 a.m. (SA 28) am today.

E-versions are here:

* SA21: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0135-001542>

* SA28: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019TRAN0136-001544>

Please see tweets below:

Service Area 28 (Stikine)

A new highway maintenance contract comes into effect August 1 for #SouthPeace, which will make B.C. highways safer and more reliable during severe weather events. Learn more here:

<https://news.gov.bc.ca/20341> #Chetwynd #DawsonCreek #TumblerRidgeBC @TranBC_Peace

Congrats to @ArgoSouthPeace, the new highway maintenance contractor for #SouthPeace. Thank you for helping to keep B.C. highways safe during severe weather events. <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20341> #Chetwynd #DawsonCreek #TumblerRidgeBC @TranBC_Peace

Service Area 21 (South Peace)

A new highway maintenance contract comes into effect August 1 for #Stikine, which will make B.C. highways safer and more reliable during severe weather events. Learn more here: <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20339> #AtlinBC #CassiarBC #DeaseLakeBC @TranBC_BVLDS

Congrats to @LDMStikine, the new highway maintenance contractor for #Stikine. Thank you for helping to keep B.C. highways safe during severe weather events. <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20339> #AtlinBC #CassiarBC #DeaseLakeBC @TranBC_BVLDS

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 12:22 PM
To: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR APPROVAL: TRAN Media Request: CBC story on wheelchair accessible cabs

MO:

For your approval please prior to 4 p.m. today (Wed).

Peggy

Reporter

Bethany Lindsay, Reporter
CBC - Vancouver
Bethany.Lindsay@cbc.ca
604-662-6419 c: 604-346-9211

Deadline Wednesday, July 31, 2019 4:00 PM

Request

The reporter is working on a weekend feature for CBC Vancouver about the difficulties some wheelchair users have reported in getting wheelchair-accessible cabs. They are also looking into some of their concerns about how that might get worse once ride-hailing comes to B.C.

Their jumping-off point here is Gabrielle Peters' Twitter thread from last week about how even wheelchair accessible cabs were refusing to take her wheelchair after a music festival in Vancouver:
<https://twitter.com/mssinenomine/status/1152833461868122112>

Would like to interview Minister Trevena re. accessibility issues with cabs, and worries about the future as ride-hailing comes to B.C.

- * What regulations are there to prevent a situation like this -- ie accessible cabs turning down wheelchair users?
- * What can a wheelchair user do if they're frequently getting turned down for accessible cabs?
- * How are cab companies and drivers held accountable in a situation like this?
- * What's being done to improve the situation?
- * With ride-hailing coming to B.C., how are you going to insure that wheelchair-accessible rides are available in high enough numbers?
- * They understand there's going to be a surcharge for non-accessible vehicles, but how will that actually translate to more accessible cars and drivers who are actually willing to pick up people in wheelchairs?

Proposed response:

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Withheld pursuant to/removed as

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 12:29 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Subject: FW:s.14; s.16

Legal opinion, as requested...

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Where ideas work

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 12:39 PM
To: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW:s.14; s.16

Also as promised, sharing the legal opinion from Maria (you can see her track change edits below, received at 12:21), which I have incorporated into a clean version below for ease of reading. Happy to discuss if helpful.

s.14; s.16

Andrea Mercer, Executive Director

Transit Branch | Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure

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Where ideas work

From: D'Archangelo, Maria AG:EX

Sent: July 30, 2019 12:21 PM

To: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX <Andrea.Mercer@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Storm, Ed TRAN:EX <Ed.Storm@gov.bc.ca>; House, Kevin TRAN:EX <Kevin.House@gov.bc.ca>; Contzen, Kevin AG:EX <Kevin.Contzen@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: s.14; s.16

Hi Andrea, please see my notes / advice set out in red font below and incorporated into the body of your summary that has been cut and pasted below.

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s.14; s.16



Where ideas work

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 1:40 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX
Subject: FOR APPROVAL: TRAN Media Request: CBC story on wheelchair accessible cabs

Updated bullet as requested by Melanie

Reporter

Bethany Lindsay, Reporter
CBC - Vancouver
Bethany.Lindsay@cbc.ca
604-662-6419 c: 604-346-9211

Deadline Wednesday, July 31, 2019 4:00 PM

Request

The reporter is working on a weekend feature for CBC Vancouver about the difficulties some wheelchair users have reported in getting wheelchair-accessible cabs. They are also looking into some of their concerns about how that might get worse once ride-hailing comes to B.C.

Their jumping-off point here is Gabrielle Peters' Twitter thread from last week about how even wheelchair accessible cabs were refusing to take her wheelchair after a music festival in Vancouver:

<https://twitter.com/mssinenomine/status/1152833461868122112>

Would like to interview Minister Trevena re. accessibility issues with cabs, and worries about the future as ride-hailing comes to B.C.

- * What regulations are there to prevent a situation like this -- ie accessible cabs turning down wheelchair users?
- * What can a wheelchair user do if they're frequently getting turned down for accessible cabs?
- * How are cab companies and drivers held accountable in a situation like this?
- * What's being done to improve the situation?
- * With ride-hailing coming to B.C., how are you going to insure that wheelchair-accessible rides are available in high enough numbers?
- * They understand there's going to be a surcharge for non-accessible vehicles, but how will that actually translate to more accessible cars and drivers who are actually willing to pick up people in wheelchairs?

Proposed response:

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 1:45 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX; Klingspohn, Teresa TRAN:EX; Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX
Subject: VR - Supplemental
Attachments: Plan & Development report. Committee of the Whole.pdf

Will, Aileen, Melanie –

A few other supplemental pieces of information on VR (please note the large file size of the attachment):

Council composition:

- 2018 Municipal Elections saw 1 new Council member appointed - Gery Lemon.
- Returning Council members include Damian Kowalwich, Ron Mattson and John Rogers
- Mayor David Screech ran unopposed (first elected to Council in 2002, elected as Mayor in November 15, 2014)

BC Transit Rezoning and OCP Amendment Application Package

- See attached. Of note:
 - CAO and Director development services concurred with the recommendation to introduce the application for OCP amendment and that 'early and ongoing consultation of the OCP amendment be waived given the minor nature of the proposal'
 - Includes a letter of support from the Victoria Transit Commission signed by Susan Brice (p. 12)
 - Includes preliminary design drawings (depicting the location of buildings and bus storage (p. 4) – facility would be limited to 'already cleared area'. 12 trees would need to be removed, with plant to plant, 80 new

June 5, 2018 Council Meeting

- Council minutes: <https://viewroyalbc.civicweb.net/filepro/documents/?preview=22512>
- Moved by Councillor Mattson, Seconded by Councillor Rogers "THAT the Mayor write to BC Transit explaining that, in the face of significant community opposition, Council is not in favour of moving forward with the Official Community Plan and rezoning application for 2401 Burnside Road West"
- 7 letters / emails opposing the application were received for information at that meeting.
- On receipt of the letter, BC Transit subsequently withdrew its application (thereby preserving their ability to resubmit at a later date opposed to it having been defeated"

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 8:00 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Subject: s.13; s.16
Attachments: 287557 Final(3).docx

Melanie –

As promised (at the stroke of 8pm).

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s.13; s.14; s.16

This might need a bit of formatting from our WS folks in the morning....

Andrea

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 11:09 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: Re:s.13; s.16

Yep

On Jul 31, 2019, at 22:26, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Agreed. Ok to e-sig assuming no significant changes from legal?

On Jul 31, 2019, at 10:11 PM, Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX <Claire.Trevena@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

I think Andrea has captured it - kudos. You?

On Jul 31, 2019, at 20:07, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
<Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX"
<Andrea.Mercer@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 31, 2019 at 8:00:14 PM PDT
To: "Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX"
<Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX"
<Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: s.13; s.16

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 11:34 AM
To: Aaron, Sage PREM:EX; Smith, George PREM:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer PREM:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX
Subject: FW: EVENT PITCH - Kicking Horse Canyon NR and technical briefing
Attachments: EP KHCP4 technical briefing.docx

As pitched this morning. Note we are looking to secure Sept. 3rd date.

Melanie Sanderson

Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 1:20 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Weiss, Jamie GCPE:EX <Jamie.Weiss@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: EVENT PITCH - Kicking Horse Canyon NR and technical briefing

Hi to MO

Over to you (as requested) to pitch for Sept 3 NR & Event/ Tech Briefing

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 11:59 AM
To: Ashbourne, Craig MAH:EX
Cc: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: Potential TransLink event - Aug 7-8 - Brentwood SkyTrain Station Upgrades
Attachments: 2019-07-26 Annex B_signed - Brentwood Town Centre Upgrades.PDF; 2019-07-26 Annex A_signed - Brentwood Town Centre Upgrades.pdf

FYI

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 11:54 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Potential TransLink event - Aug 7-8 - Brentwood SkyTrain Station Upgrades

Hi Melanie – here is some further info on funding breakdown, as requested. I will add this to the 2 week look ahead as an FYI.

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To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX <Andrea.Mercer@gov.bc.ca>; Walman, Bart TRAN:EX <Bart.Walman@gov.bc.ca>; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
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Ed

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Sent: July 31, 2019 11:03 AM
To: Storm, Ed TRAN:EX <Ed.Storm@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Potential TransLink event - Aug 7-8 - Brentwood SkyTrain Station Upgrades

Hi Ed – hope you are doing well.

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This is regarding the SkyTrain station upgrades for Brentwood Centre.

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And, if there is TRAN funding, then I will add this to our 2-week look ahead as well.

Thanks!

Lisanne Bowness | Communications Manager

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 12:29 PM
To: s.17
Cc: D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Connor, Tamara LASS:EX
Subject: Draft Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)
Attachments: EP - Hwy 7 announcement.docx; SN_MLA Hwy 7 funding announcement.docx; KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement.docx

Good afternoon MLA D'Eith,

We wanted to share with you advanced draft copies of the event plan, speaking notes, and KM/QA for the upcoming Hwy 7 announcement. Please let me know if you have any suggested additions at this point.

Still to come are the draft press release (federal govt is writing), and the event guest list.

Our comms shop has drafted a quote for the press release, for your approval:

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Please let me know if you have any feedback/comments.

Thanks,

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 2:33 PM
To: s.17 D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX; Connor, Tamara LASS:EX
Subject: FW: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)
Attachments: DRAFT Provincial Government Invitation - July 19 2019.docx

Draft invite attached. 1pm start time confirmed. See note on lack of photographer below.
Invites will go out momentarily. Please call me asap if any concerns.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 11:20 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Madoc-Jones, Sian GCPE:EX <Sian.MadocJones@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Hi Melanie – here is the invitation that we'd like to get out today. Any concerns? Also – will MLA D'Eith have staff to assist him at the event? Media relations is no longer able to support and I was unsuccessful in the request for a photographer as well (Sian from events has offered to take pictures, but would be nice to have a backup).

Thanks!

~Leanne

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 12:05 PM
To: s.17 Ma.MLA, Bowinn LASS:EX; 'Chandra Herbert, Spencer'; Chandra Herbert.MLA, Spencer LASS:EX
Subject: FYI - Traffic Advisory: Lions Gate Bridge
Attachments: TA-Lions Gate Bridge Rehab Work.docx

Hello MLAs Ma and Chandra Herbert,

FYI – Traffic Advisory attached for weekend rehab work on the Lions Gate Bridge. This is going out to media tomorrow morning for work starting Saturday night (July 20). The Ministry has notified stakeholders.

Best,

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Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
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Thanks Lianne. I believe MAH will be lead.

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 5:43 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: Fwd: Quote approval

Hi Lianne,
Please see revised quote below from Min. Heyman. s.13

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Thanks,
Melanie

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Sather, Kelly ENV:EX" <Kelly.Sather@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 26, 2019 at 5:38:46 PM PDT
To: "Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX" <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: Quote approval

Approved thank you!

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 26, 2019, at 5:22 PM, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Would this edit to Min. Heyman's quote be ok? Full release attached.

"Through our CleanBC climate and economic plan, **which is a shared priority with the BC Green Caucus**, our government is making public transit clean, affordable and convenient for people by working together with local partners," said George Heyman, Minister of Environment and Climate Change Strategy. "BC Transit's commitment to a fully electric fleet is an important step towards zero-emissions travel in B.C., and will mean cleaner air, less congestion and a more comfortable experience for people who choose transit."

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 4:12 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL/CONSIDERATION - Interview request - TRAN Media Request: Ridehailing interview request

Hi Lianne,

FYI – MLA Ma is scheduled to do this interview next Monday July 29. I'll pass along the messaging below.

Melanie

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 11:46 AM
To: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL/CONSIDERATION - Interview request - TRAN Media Request: Ridehailing interview request

Great, thanks!

Danielle Pope | Media Relations
Government Communications and Public Engagement
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Telephone: 250-356-8241 | Mobile: 778-679-0133
Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca

From: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
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To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL/CONSIDERATION - Interview request - TRAN Media Request: Ridehailing interview request

We can connect with her.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2019, at 11:40 AM, Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Wonderful – thanks, Aileen. Lynne was setting these up before. Do you have someone in your shop who can connect directly with MLA Ma's office, or do you need me to?

Thanks,
Danielle

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Government Communications and Public Engagement
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Telephone: 250-356-8241 | Mobile: 778-679-0133
Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca

From: Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 11:38 AM
To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL/CONSIDERATION - Interview request - TRAN Media Request: Ridehailing interview request

I'm fine with MLA Ma doing the interview.

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 17, 2019, at 10:23 AM, Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Will/Melanie/Aileen,

Please see the below interview request for Minister/MLA Ma to take on ridehailing if available. If not, we could send the below written response (pre-approved messaging from the QA) if not. Flagging that this reporter says she has already been in touch with MLA Ma's office directly and says they setting up an interview time.

Please confirm how you'd like to proceed.

Thanks,
Danielle

Reporter

Jessica Wu, Other
LS Times TV
jessica.wu@longshong.com
604-231-1668

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview regarding ridehailing operations. Time is flexible: note -- she says she has been in touch with MLA Ma's office who is setting up a time for this. Time is flexible for an interview.

QUESTIONS

1. After fighting for years to introduce UBER to Vancouver, what was the final stretch to make it happen?
2. When will UBER be effective? Are other services, like LYFT, allowed?

3. How does insurance work for the people trying to work for UBER? What procedures must they follow?
4. Are there any regulations to ensure the safety of both the driver and the customer?
5. How will we be able to regulate UBER's operations?

Background

Recommendation

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 2:25 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR - Resurfacing projects in Northern BC

Edited and approved quote:

"We are hard at work in northern B.C. this summer, paving roadways and building essential infrastructure," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "These important projects will make a big difference to local people and those travelling through the region."

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 2:15 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR - Resurfacing projects in Northern BC

Hi Melanie – wondering if you have heard back on this one yet? Ideally would like to get this into the editors this afternoon for formatting.
Thanks!

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 9:30 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - TRAN NR - Resurfacing projects in Northern BC

Hi to MO –

This NR/ BG has been approved at all levels (just pending ADM approval now).
It is set to go out on Monday – mid-morning if possible.

Over to you for Minister QUOTE approval please & thanks

s.13

Lianne

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 11:05 AM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Interview with the Minister - email or phone

Lianne, could your team please follow-up on this media request?

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 8:26 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Interview with the Minister - email or phone

Good morning,

Below is a request for an email/phone interview with the Minister, from Industry Media.

Thanks,

Aaron Shepard

Manager | Corporate Writing Services
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
5B - 940 Blanshard Street | Victoria, BC V8W 9T5
Phone: 778 974-4976

From: Sara Kopamees <sara.kopamees@industrymedia.ca>
Sent: July 15, 2019 7:15 AM
To: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX <Minister.Transportation@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Interview with the Minister - email or phone

Hello,

We are interested in an email or phone interview with the Minister, to discuss major transportation and infrastructure projects that will ultimately boost economic development and improve communities.

Could you let me know who the media relations contact is?

Thank you!
Sara

Sara Kopamees
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 11:56 AM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Intercity Bus Service RFP - Friday, July 12

Approved. Good to go.

On Jul 12, 2019, at 10:27 AM, Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Double checking – are we good with the quote as is, or are there any edits? We have the NR processed now, waiting in the queue. Thanks!

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 7:40 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Intercity Bus Service RFP - Friday, July 12

Friendly reminder we need this quote signed off this morning before 10 am. Thanks!

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 11, 2019 at 3:48:08 PM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX" <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>, "Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX" <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Crebo, David GCPE:EX" <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>, "Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX" <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Intercity Bus Service RFP - Friday, July 12

Hi to Min office – this NR has been approved at multiple levels – although we are still double checking the 10 million reference to sure on that piece.

This one is slated to go out tomorrow at 10:45 AM (the RFP will be posted at around 10 or 10:15 AM)

Sorry for the rush – but this one was very complex, and needed many rounds of approvals

Now it's ready for Minister QUOTE approval please & thanks

"Many people depend on the bus in northern B.C. This is an important step towards creating and sustaining reliable inter-city bus service in the north,"

said Claire Trevena, B.C. Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "We remain committed to safe, reliable and affordable transportation, so people can get to work or school, access the services they need and have the freedom to travel."

<NR - Intercity Bus Service RFP - DRAFT (updated).docx>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 9:36 AM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL: TRAN Follow-up Media Request: BC Ferries contract numbers (rush request)

Approved.

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 4:35 PM
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Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL: TRAN Follow-up Media Request: BC Ferries contract numbers (rush request)

Hi to MO – hoping for quick signoff on this Rob Shaw request on BC Ferries contract info.
Just putting this at the top of the inbox for signoff.
Danielle will send this as soon as it is signed off.
Thanks!

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 2:29 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: FOR APPROVAL: TRAN Follow-up Media Request: BC Ferries contract numbers

Hi Will,

For your approval on the below follow up for clarity. Program staff and ADM Deborah Bowman have approved.

Thanks,
Danielle

Reporter
Rob Shaw, Reporter
Vancouver Sun
rshaw@postmedia.com
250-953-5932 c: 250-893-0841

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter is following up:

- How does funding for the last year of PT4 (the current fiscal year) compare to the first year of the new contract PT5 that government has announced today? Same number? \$X more? Or what?
- The funding for the current fiscal 2019/20 (final year of pt4) is: \$(total and breakdown from BCgov/fed) The funding for next year, pt5 first fiscal year is: \$(total and breakdown BCgov/fed)
- And the funding for each year of the Pt5 up to 2024 please.

Background

This is a follow-up to a media request from July 10, 2019.

REQUEST:

BLACKPRESS: Reporter is seeking clarity on the BC Ferries contract numbers.

In the release it states: Compared to the PT4 contract, the renewed contract reflects increased annual funding from the Province to BC Ferries of \$32.5 million to support fare affordability and another \$5.8 million annually to support the increase of 2,700 round trips on 10 minor and northern routes announced earlier this year.

QUESTIONS:

- Is the \$32.5 million all new money, or what portion of this is new? (As in, how much did the province dedicate to BC Ferries last year?)
- Confirming the "another \$5.8 million" is entirely brand new funding?

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QUESTIONS:

- When is that comparison being made? PT4 was many years long.
- How does this compare to the current BC Ferries fiscal year, how much more money annually does this contract provide?

RESPONSE:

Provided Background

The additional funding is incremental to the original contract values for PT4.

Each performance term is 4 years long. Fiscal 2019/20 is the last year of PT4.

The Province has already substantially increased funding to support its fare reduction and service increase initiatives. This additional funding is being continued to maintain these initiatives through PT5.

Contributions to BC Ferries from the provincial government is approximately \$210 million per year with federal funding at approximately \$30 million.

Recommendation

- The Ferry Transportation Fee is \$194 million for each year of PT5. This will be approximately \$2 million higher in the first year of PT5 (\$194 M) compared to the last year of PT4 (\$192 M). This contribution supports fare affordability (reductions and freezes implemented in 2018), additional services on minor and northern routes (partially implemented in 2019/20) and the seniors discounts.
- The total actual funding contributed by government varies each year. While some costs are fixed such as the Ferry Transportation Fee and the federal contribution which is adjusted annually by inflation, others vary like the social program discounts for students, the disabled and medical travel, fuel cost contributions, and funding to support unregulated ferry routes.

- In 2019/20, the Province's total contribution is expected to be around \$210 M and the federal contribution will be \$31 M.
- The actual costs for the first year of PT5 will depend on the adjusted federal contribution and actual costs for social programs, fuel and unregulated routes.

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 2:28 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Peace Flood Recovery

Edited and approved quote:

"The 2016 floods caused a lot of hardship for people in the Peace District, and we're taking action to ensure roads can withstand future flooding," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "These bridges are part of our flood recovery program, and will boost safety and reliability for people travelling on Highway 97."

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 9:45 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - NR - Peace Flood Recovery

Hi to Min office – here is another NR/ BG for Minister QUOTE approval please.
This one goes out next Wednesday.

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Thank you!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 12:34 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: For MLA QUOTE approval please - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Edited and approved quote:

"The E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector is a wonderful multi-use pathway that connects communities and neighbourhoods to the places where people work, play and learn," said Mitzi Dean, MLA for Esquimalt - Metchosin on behalf of Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Our government is pleased to be a funding partner to help build this pathway. We will continue to work with regional, local and Indigenous governments to build safe active transportation infrastructure to give people of all ages and abilities more choices to get around in healthy, environmentally friendly and affordable ways."

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 9:59 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: For MLA QUOTE approval please - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Hi to all – friendly reminder on this QUOTE for approval (needs to go into MLA Dean for signoff) – thanks!

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 12:20 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For MLA QUOTE approval please - CRD NR - E&N Rail trail Event

Hi to MO – can one of you please forward onto MLA Mitzi Dean to ask her to approve this quote (or make any necessary edits)?

The CRD communications team has drafted the release (attached) that will go out on July 23rd.

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Thanks!

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Sent: July 15, 2019 8:52 AM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: For QUOTE approval - NR - EV charging stations

Edited and approved quote:

"We're making it convenient for people who drive electric vehicles to travel across the province," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Our government is committed to reducing our carbon footprint; investing in green infrastructure is a necessity when it comes to tackling climate change and reducing greenhouse gas emissions."

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Sent: July 15, 2019 8:28 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For QUOTE approval - NR - EV charging stations

Hi to all – friendly reminder that this NR requires Min Trevena QUOTE approval today (it goes out tomorrow AM at 9:30 province-wide). All other quotes have now been approved. Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 3:28 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: Communications Package for E&N Rail Trail Event (July 23)

Thanks Lianne, and thanks Sukhi for all your work on this! I've shared with MLA Dean.

Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 3:04 PM
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Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Communications Package for E&N Rail Trail Event (July 23)

Hi to Min Office – here is the communications package for the upcoming event to celebrate the E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector.

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Over to you for sharing with MLA Mitzi Dean, who is attending and speaking at this event.

Please let us know of any questions.

Thanks & have a great event!

Tweet:

The Province is a proud funding partner in the E&N Rail Trail, a multi-use pathway that connects #activetransportation commuters in Victoria to the Western Communities. #CleanBC #MoveCommuteConnect #BikeBC

Approved quote:

"The E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector is a wonderful multi-use pathway that connects communities and neighbourhoods to the places where people work, play and learn," said Mitzi Dean, MLA for Esquimalt - Metchosin on behalf of Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Our government is pleased to be a funding partner to help build this pathway. We will continue to work with regional, local and Indigenous governments to build safe active transportation infrastructure to give people of all ages and abilities more choices to get around in healthy, environmentally friendly and affordable ways."

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 12:49 PM
To: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: For Minister QUOTE approval - BC Transit Low Carbon NR

Approved as is.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 2:18 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For Minister QUOTE approval - BC Transit Low Carbon NR

Hi to MO – here is the suggested quote for MO approval please – for Monday's transit announcement

"British Columbia's largest and fastest-growing source of carbon pollution is the transportation sector," said Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Changing that trend will be a challenge, but it's also a tremendous opportunity. Many of the actions we need to take to reduce carbon emissions - such as encouraging people to choose transit over their personal vehicles and moving to a fully electric fleet - are the exact same measures that will get us out of gridlock and make our neighbourhoods more liveable, now and for future generations."

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 11:26 AM
To: 'Caroline Andrewes'
Cc: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: ACEC-BC: October 22 Lunch

Hi Caroline,

Thanks for your note. We will pencil this into the Minister's calendar in hopes she can attend, and will watch for further updates. Will this be for all MLAs or just the NDP caucus?

Best,
Melanie

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From: Caroline Andrewes <caroline@acec-bc.ca>
Sent: July 26, 2019 10:51 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: ACEC-BC: October 22 Lunch

Hello Melanie –

I hope you are well, and enjoying summer –

By way of re-introduction, we met in early May when I attended a meeting with the Minister along with two members of the ACEC-BC Board.

I have been in touch with Teresa Scambler, and we have been allocated a lunch date on the caucus calendar for the fall session. Given the close relationship between ACEC-BC members and the Ministry, I wanted to give you & the Minister the 'heads up' of the lunch, and ask if perhaps the Minister would be available to attend and bring greetings on behalf of the government.

We have yet to sort venue and details, so there will certainly be more to work out. In the meantime, I hope to at least pencil this on the Minister's calendar.

Please let me know if you have any questions, otherwise, I will come back once we have further detail supporting the lunch.

Kind regards –
Caroline

Caroline Andrewes, P.Eng., CPA, CMA | President & CEO

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 4:46 PM
To: Connor, Tamara LASS:EX
Subject: TRAN Media Request: Ridehailing interview request

Hi Tamara,

Requested lines below (super speedy as our comms shop put this together last week when contacted by the same outlet about this request).

And can we touch base tomorrow about setting up a prep call?

Thanks,
Melanie

Reporter

Jessica Wu, Other
LS Times TV
jessica.wu@longshong.com
604-231-1668

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview regarding ridehailing operations. Time is flexible: note -- she says she has been in touch with MLA Ma's office who is setting up a time for this. Time is flexible for an interview.

QUESTIONS

1. After fighting for years to introduce UBER to Vancouver, what was the final stretch to make it happen?
2. When will UBER be effective? Are other services, like LYFT, allowed?
3. How does insurance work for the people trying to work for UBER? What procedures must they follow?
4. Are there any regulations to ensure the safety of both the driver and the customer?
5. How will we be able to regulate UBER's operations?

Background

Recommendation

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 5:43 PM
To: Connor, Tamara LASS:EX
Subject: FW: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Hi Tamara,

Would MLA Ma be available for this interview Monday morning between 7am and 12:45pm? If so, happy to set-up a quick pre-brief call.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 11:11 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Update regarding timing: reporter says the ride hailing interview today would have to happen by 12:45pm. Alternatively, it could also happen Monday from 7am-12:45pm.

Thanks,
Danielle

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Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Hi Lynne, Will and Melanie,

We have a media request for Minister or an MLA regarding the ride hailing legislation, timelines and Class 4 licencing. Let us know if available. If Minister or MLA is not available, recommend sending the below as a written statement from the Minister.

Please approve/confirm how you'd like to move forward.

Thank you!
Danielle

Reporter

Brendan Pawliw, Reporter
Vista Radio (Prince George)
bpawliw@vistaradio.ca
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Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview with someone from the ministry today in regards to the Class 4 license requirement for ridesharing services in the province like Lyft and Uber. Reporter is following this story:

<https://www.radionl.com/2019/07/11/32339/>

QUESTIONS:

- What is the technical requirement for the Class 4?
- How soon could we see ridesharing services become active? (Hearing a couple dates, like September 3rd and 16th)

Background

Recommendation

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Sent: July 11, 2019 1:54 PM
To: Crebo, David GCPE:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: Letter from Island Trustee Colbourne re: cycle route plan on roadwork
Attachments: colbourne_letter.pdf; ATT00001.htm

Hi Dave,
Could your team please look into putting together a response to the Gabriola Sounder on this issue?
I understand a response to the original letter is in the works, but I'm unable to access Cliff at the moment.
Thanks,
Mel

From: Derek Kilbourn <derek@soundernews.com>
Date: Thursday, July 11, 2019 at 11:41 AM
To: "Claire Trevena. MLA" <Claire.Trevena.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, Claire Trevena^{s.17}
Cc: Douglas Routley^{s.17} "Malcolmson, Sheila"^{s.17}
Subject: Letter from Island Trustee Colbourne re: cycle route plan on roadwork

Minister Trevena, as well as MLAs Routley and Malcolmson,

I've attached a letter sent by Gabriola Island Trustee Scott Colbourne to all of you on June 27. It was included in the agenda for today's Local Trust Committee meeting.

Summation: 13km of roads are going out to tender for new paving, MOTI does not, as far as anyone can tell, plan to add cycling lanes as per the 1992 MOU cited in Colbourne's letter.

Would any of you support a change in the work being done, such that those sections of road which are on the cycle plan do see the addition of shoulders as per the MOU?

If not - what is the threshold for adding shoulders? As much as islanders are being positive in seeing some of the worst sections of roads on Gabriola getting attention, there is some confusion on why those sections named in the MOU plan are not having shoulders added for cycling safety. Especially, as Colbourne notes, given MOTI's active transportation goals.

Thank you,

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 4:20 PM
To: s.17
Subject: FYI - Response to Letter from Island Trustee Colbourne re: cycle route plan on roadwork
Attachments: FW: Ministry response

Hi MLA Routley,

In response to the email below, our media shop sent out the attached response on Friday. In short, the tendered contract is for maintenance work (seal coating), not repaving or redesigning which is why adding bike lanes wasn't considered. A response to Trustee Scott Colbourne's original letter is in the works, and we'll also update MLA Malcolmson on the media response. Please let me know if you require more.

Best,

Melanie Sanderson

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From: Derek Kilbourn <derek@soundernews.com>
Date: July 11, 2019 at 11:41:22 AM PDT
To: Trevena.MLA, Claire <Claire.Trevena.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, Trevena, Claire^{s.17}
Cc: Routley, Douglas^{s.17}, Malcolmson, Sheila^{s.17}
Subject: Letter from Island Trustee Colbourne re: cycle route plan on roadwork

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Thank you,

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 9:24 AM
To: 'Dean, Mitzi'
Subject: Draft Agenda - BC Transit handyDART Facility
Attachments: July 25th BC Transit handyDART facility (View Royal) DRAFT AGENDA.docx

Hi MLA Dean,

Attached please find a proposed draft agenda for today's meeting. Our office will share it with all meeting invitees. I will plan to attend in person. Feel free to give me a call in advance if any questions or concerns.

Best regards,

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 3:54 PM
To: 'Dean, Mitzi'
Subject: Final CRD NR & Guest List - E&N Rail trail event
Attachments: Guest List _ E&N Rail Trail Event.docx; 07-23-2019-MR-crd-thanks-funders-partners-e-n-rail-trail.docx

Attached is the final news release & guest list for tomorrow's E&N Rail Trail event.

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 2:10 PM
To: 'Dean, Mitzi'
Subject: Additional info
Attachments: QA - EN Rail Trail Humpback Connector.docx; IN - South Island Transportation Strategy.docx; NR-Highway 14 upgrades.pdf; FINAL NR - Highway 14 & Leigh Rd - EN.pdf

Hi MLA Dean,

Attached:

- Updated QA
- Issue Note – South Island Transportation Strategy
- 2 Press Releases related to work on Hwy 14 (more info also in email below)

Still to come:

- Updated guest list

Please let me know if there's anything else you're expecting.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 1:42 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Jimmy GCPE:EX <Jimmy.Smith@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Highway 14 Information

Hi Melanie & Jimmy – as noted, the Highway 14 improvements were announced by Premier John Horgan in January 2018.

I have attached the NR from when he made the original announcement about the Highway 14 upgrades. A great deal of them have already been completed now.

There was also a more recent highways announcement made about Hwy 14 and Hwy 1 upgrades (NR is attached) & these were critical spots where safety needed to be upgraded so the ministry is moving forward on these projects as they are necessary projects to increase safety for drivers.

*In Sooke, improvements will be made to the Highway 14 corridor along the southern coast of Vancouver Island. Approximately 1.5 kilometres of road will be widened and realigned with a median barrier between Glinz Lake Road and Connie Road, a new park and ride will be constructed on Gillespie Road, and wider shoulders will be built between Otter Point Road and Woodhaven Road.

*In Langford, the stretch of Highway 1 between Leigh Road and Westshore Parkway will be widened from three lanes to four and a new median barrier to separate traffic will be added. A new northbound through lane will also be constructed at the Westshore Parkway intersection.

Feel free to share with MLA Mitzi Dean as background info. Thanks!

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 3:27 PM
To: 'Dean, Mitzi'
Cc: Dean.MLA, Mitzi LASS:EX
Subject: FW: Communications Package for E&N Rail Trail Event (July 23)
Attachments: SN_BikeBC_EN Rail Trail_MLA Dean.docx; QA - EN Rail Trail Humpback Connector.docx; QA - BC Transit View Royal handyDART Facility - updated.doc; Event Invite.pdf

Hi MLA Dean,

Here is the communications package for the upcoming event to celebrate the E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector. Suggested tweet included below.

Note I've worked with Nubwa to set-up a pre-brief conference call on Monday at 1pm, where we hope to review the event plan and materials, and prep you for media questions. Also on the call will be Jimmy, our issues manager, and Sukhi from our GCPE comms shop (who put all the materials together).

Thanks,
Melanie

Tweet:

The Province is a proud funding partner in the E&N Rail Trail, a multi-use pathway that connects #activetransportation commuters in Victoria to the Western Communities. #CleanBC #MoveCommuteConnect #BikeBC

Approved quote:

"The E&N Rail Trail Humpback Connector is a wonderful multi-use pathway that connects communities and neighbourhoods to the places where people work, play and learn," said Mitzi Dean, MLA for Esquimalt - Metchosin on behalf of Claire Trevena, Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure. "Our government is pleased to be a funding partner to help build this pathway. We will continue to work with regional, local and Indigenous governments to build safe active transportation infrastructure to give people of all ages and abilities more choices to get around in healthy, environmentally friendly and affordable ways."

Melanie Sanderson

Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 2:24 PM
To: 'Dean, Mitzi'
Subject: FW: TRAN IB - McKenzie interchange takes shape with bridge beam placement
Attachments: 2019TRAN0128-001487.pdf; IN - McKenzie Interchange timeline.docx

Hello again MLA Dean,

One more from me today!

Heads up on the attached Info Bulletin, which was just sent out to local media and press gallery at 12:30pm today. Over the weekend, concrete beams will be going up at the Hwy 1 McKenzie project.

Local media have been invited to send cameras over to the site for filming the work being done and to show the progress. **If interested, you are welcome to stop by over the weekend to check out the progress.** (I've also let Ministers Fleming, James and Popham know.)

I'm not sure when cameras would be there, but please note that if you do drop by there's a chance you'd run into media. Please direct specific questions to our media shop, but as background, I've attached our relevant Issue Note.

Two areas for viewing that will be available circled in red below (on Saturday/Sunday). Access will be via Portage Road or the Galloping Goose Trail. The Galloping Goose location is probably the best – it's being modified to accommodate camera operators as it is currently fenced off.

Please let me know if any questions. My cell is 250-880-9508.

Thanks,
Melanie

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 4:49 PM
To: 'D'Eith, Bob'
Cc: Connor, Tamara LASS:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Draft Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)
Attachments: SN_MLA Hwy 7 funding announcement - EDITED.docx; KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement - EDITED.docx; EP - Hwy 7 announcement.docx; Guest List_Hwy 7.xls; 01 - NR - Highway 7 Corridor Widening - EN - BC edits-DRAFT.DOCX

Hello again MLA D'Eith,

Attached for Thursday's announcement:

- Your speaking notes (edited)
- KM/QA (edited)
- Event plan
- Guest list – for your input
- Press release – draft

We've made a few suggested tweaks to your quote – for your approval:

s.13

Bob D'Eith, MLA for Maple Ridge-Mission, on behalf of Transportation and Infrastructure Minister Claire Trevena

Could you please send me your approval and any guest list feedback early tomorrow?

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 12, 2019 at 12:29:34 PM PDT
To: D'Eith, Bob <s.17
Cc: D'Eith.MLA, Bob <Bob.Deith.MLA@leg.bc.ca>, Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>, Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, Connor, Tamara <Tamara.Connor@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Draft Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Good afternoon MLA D'Eith,

We wanted to share with you advanced draft copies of the event plan, speaking notes, and KM/QA for the upcoming Hwy 7 announcement. Please let me know if you have any suggested additions at this point.

Still to come are the draft press release (federal govt is writing), and the event guest list.

Our comms shop has drafted a quote for the press release, for your approval:

Please let me know if you have any feedback/comments.

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson

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250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 9:16 AM
To: 'D'Eith, Bob'; D'Eith.MLA, Bob LASS:EX
Subject: Final Hwy 7 materials
Attachments: 01 - NR - Highway 7 Corridor Widening - EN - Final update.docx; KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement.docx; Guest List_Hwy 7.xls; DRAFT IT_MOTI Highway 7 Announcement_July 18, 2019.docx; SN_MLA Hwy 7 funding announcement.docx

Hello MLA D'Eith,

Please see attached for updated materials:

- Itinerary
- SN for MLA D'Eith
- NR (English)
- KM-QA
- Guest list

Note Fred Armstrong is confirmed as emcee, and Mayor Morden is confirmed as 3rd speaker.

Our comms shop has done a call-around to local media and will be following up on voicemails this morning.

Melanie

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 23, 2019 12:22 PM
To: Devereux, Rick GCPE:EX; Smith, George PREM:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer PREM:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: EVENT PITCH - BC Transit - Release of Low Carbon Program
Attachments: EP - Release of Low Carbon Program.docx

Hi Rick & George,

Apologies for the short notice on the attached pitch – it's an event planned for Monday July 29 at 1:30pm in Victoria. Following the Premier and Prime Minister's bus announcement last week, BC Transit is keen to move ahead with announcing their Low Carbon Fleet Program (their transition plan – similar to what TransLink announced a few months ago).

We have reached out to Min. Heyman's office to see if he could be available for this. We will also follow up with CASA on the Greens' participation.

Please let us know if any concerns with moving ahead for this date.

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson

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250.880.9508

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 3:10 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: EVENT PITCH - BC Transit - Release of Low Carbon Program

Hi to MO – BC Transit is asking – does this date work for this event? (July 29 at 1:30 PM)

And, is Minister Trevena able to attend & speak?

What about the Greens?

If we can – let's nail this down in the corp cal. Thanks so much! (Peggy will write the Speaking Points for the Minister)

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 1:47 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: EVENT PITCH - BC Transit - Release of Low Carbon Program

Hi to Min Office – Happy Friday to all

As discussed – BC Transit is super keen to get out with their low carbon strategy by the end of this month.

Jonathon from BC Transit communications has given us this event pitch for it, and FYI that Erinn Pinkerton is away at the moment, so they would have Aaron Lamb as their spokesperson.

They have slotted July 29, 2019 at 1:30 p.m. for this event, at the Victoria transit centre.

Will this time work for Minister Trevena to attend & speak? Or, an MLA in lieu? And would the Greens be available to attend & speak as well?
Please advise as soon as possible so we can get this one rolling.
Peggy has already added it to the corp calendar.
Thank you!!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 5:56 PM
To: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Fwd: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)
Attachments: KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement - EDITED.docx; ATT00001.htm; SN_MLA Hwy 7 funding announcement (003) - EDITED MJS.docx; ATT00002.htm

Hi Leanne,

Attached – edits to KM/QA and SNs.

Edited & approved quote:

"For too long, we've heard tragic stories of crashes along the stretch of Highway 7 between Maple Ridge and Mission, often resulting in loss of life. The complete four-laning of this stretch of Highway 7 isn't just about easing congestion, it's about improving safety on the roads our community use every day. I'm pleased the federal and provincial governments are taking this next step to make life better for people who rely on this important roadway."

Thanks,

Melanie

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 9:28 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Guest list for review please, and updated event materials are attached.

The federal news release was just received this morning and is being reviewed, and will come shortly.
Has the MLA quote been approved?

Thanks!

~Leanne

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 3:22 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>; Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Draft Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Hi Will, Melanie, & Lynne –

As requested here is the draft comms package for this event.

As mentioned, the federal govt is holding the pen on the NR, and we have requested it (hopefully we will see it by tomorrow).

Here is the event pitch, Speaking Notes, and KM/ QA as written by Leanne.

These are all still going through ADM approvals – we will send an updated/ clean copy once it is finalized.

Leanne has also written a draft QUOTE for the MLA to approve...

Draft NR quote:

s.13

Over to you for feedback/ comments

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 4:00 PM
To: Fogg, Bruce PREM:EX
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FYI - E&N Rail Trail Event tomorrow
Attachments: 07-23-2019-MR-crd-thanks-funders-partners-e-n-rail-trail.docx

FYI on the attached NR – tomorrow the CRD is hosting an event marking completion of Phases 1 & 2 of the E&N Rail Trail-Humpback Connector. MLA Mitzi Dean will be attending and speaking on behalf of Min. Trevena.

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250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 9:12 AM
To: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX
Subject: Fwd: FINAL NR - BC Transit - Low Carbon Strategy
Attachments: 20190729_MR_COR_LowCarbon_Final.pdf; ATT00001.htm

Final NR attached

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX" <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 29, 2019 at 9:07:25 AM PDT
To: "Beale, William TRAN:EX" <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>, "Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX" <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>, "Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX" <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>, "Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX" <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>, "Waters, Leah TRAN:EX" <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>, "Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX" <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: "Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX" <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>, "Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX" <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FINAL NR - BC Transit - Low Carbon Strategy

Hi to MO –

As requested – here is the final NR from BC Transit for today's announcement.

This will go out province-wide just after the event starts at 1:30 PM.

Approved Claire Trevena and George Heyman quotes are within.

Please share with MLA Lana Popham too.

Many thanks, and have a great event!

Lianne

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 2:41 PM
To: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX
Subject: FW: REVISED: Event Package - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event
Attachments: QA - Release of Low Carbon Program - Updated.docx; SN - Release of Low Carbon Program - MLP - UPDATED.docx

Importance: High

Updated notes attached (to reflect correct timelines).
PR still to come.

From: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 2:11 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>; Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: REVISED: Event Package - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event
Importance: High

Hi everyone – the speaking notes and the QA document have been revised. There was an incorrect timeline in the previous information.

Please pass our apologies to MLA Popham's office and provide them with the updated documents for Monday's event.

Thank you,

Sukhi Tomana | Senior Public Affairs Officer
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Cell: 250-886-1221

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 11:18 AM
To: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX
Subject: FW: Updated Event Plan - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event
Attachments: EP - Release of Low Carbon Program.docx

Hi Sam,

Here's the updated EP. Could you pls share with your admin staff? I don't have their contacts handy.

Note: The event is outside. Minister Popham will go the entrance off Gorge, park, be met by an BC Transit escort, who will take her down the outside steps to the actual yard, and to the event itself.

Full package coming soon, including SNs, KM/QA & PR.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 9:54 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Updated Event Plan - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event

Hi Melanie & Lynne – here is the updated EP for MLA Lana Popham.
Full package coming once it is signed off.
Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 9:47 AM
To: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX
Subject: EVENT PITCH - BC Transit - Release of Low Carbon Program
Attachments: EP - Release of Low Carbon Program.docx

Hi Sam,

Would Min. Popham be available to attend & speak at this BC Transit event on Monday July 29 at 1:30pm? It would be on Min. Trevena's behalf as she's not available to attend.

Apologies for the short notice. Feel free to give me a call to discuss. My cell is 250-880-9508.

Thanks,

Melanie

Melanie Sanderson

Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 10:07 AM
To: Kesteven, Torey LASS:EX
Subject: Active Transportation Files
Attachments: NR_CleanBC_Move.Commute.Connect. BC's Active Transportation Strategy FINAL.pdf;
QA_Active Transportation Strategy.docx; Message
Frame_Move.Commute.Connect_Active Transportation Strategy_GCPE HQ.docx

Please see attached for MLA Glumac.

Best,

Melanie Sanderson

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Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 4:45 PM
To: s.17
Cc: Beare.MLA, Lisa LASS:EX; Ranjan, Ramesh TAC:EX
Subject: Invitation - Friday July 17- Hwy 7 event in Maple Ridge-Mission
Attachments: Federal - Provincial Government Invitation - July 19 2019.pdf; KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement - EDITED.docx

Hello Min. Beare,

Attached is in invitation (which you should be receiving through official channels) to an announcement this Friday in Maple Ridge regarding Highway 7. MLA D'Eith will be speaking on behalf of Min. Trevena. Also attached is the draft KM-QA, which provide more details on the announcement.

Kind regards,

Melanie Sanderson
Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 12:57 PM
To: Maki, Katrina TRAN:EX
Subject: Timeline on infrastructure funding application

Hi Katrina,

I received an inquiry from MLA Nicholas Simons on behalf of the Sunshine Coast Regional District regarding an infrastructure funding application for Coopers Green Hall Replacement project. They are wondering about the timeline for a provincial decision to be made. This info would help them in efforts to secure additional funding for the project. Are there any details on the decision making timeline that we could provide?

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson
Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 11:40 AM
To: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: View Royal handyDART facility Project Manager - contact info

No concerns from me

From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 10:01 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fwd: View Royal handyDART facility Project Manager - contact info

Any concerns with one more invite?

Andrea Mercer
Executive Director, Transit Branch
BC Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure
Email: Andrea.Mercer@gov.bc.ca
778-974-4992 (office)
250-812-5486 (mobile)

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

From: "Timmermans, Levi" <Levi.Timmermans@BCTransit.Com>
Date: 2019-07-25 9:56 a.m. (GMT-08:00)
To: "Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX" <Andrea.Mercer@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: View Royal handyDART facility Project Manager - contact info

Andrea, it would be beneficial to have Lori Beaulieu included in today's VR meeting. Can you please confirm if she can attend. Her contact info is below.

Lori Beaulieu
Project Manager, Capital Projects, Infrastructure, Planning & Projects
Lori_Beaulieu@BCTransit.Com

Thanks in advance,
Levi

Levi Timmermans
Director, Infrastructure Management
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 31, 2019 6:06 PM
To: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX; Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Subject: Fwd: view royal
Attachments: MCT EDITED_287557 Final(2).docx; ATT00001.htm; CCF20190731.pdf; ATT00002.htm

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX" <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Date: July 31, 2019 at 11:43:49 AM PDT
To: "Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX" <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: view royal

Hi Mel,
In case there is a decision to send the View Royal ltr – the minister edited it.
I made the edits – see attached.
Call me if you have any questions
Lynne

Lynne Stone
Executive Assistant to Hon. Claire Trevena
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
Phone: 778-676-3562

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 30, 2019 10:29 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: TB Sub - s.12; s.13
s.12; s.13

Hi Lea,
Minister has reviewed and approved.
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 5:27 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: TB Sub -s.12; s.13

Sounds good. Thank you.
Lea

Sent from my iPhone

On Jul 29, 2019, at 5:06 PM, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Not yet. I'll try to confirm tomorrow morning.

M

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 5:05 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: TB Sub -s.12; s.13

Hi Melanie/Lynne –s.12; s.13
s.12; s.13

Thank you

Lea

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 12:39 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: TB Sub s.12; s.13

Looks fine to me. Do you need the Minister's approval for this too?

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: July 29, 2019 11:36 AM

To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: TB Sub - s.12; s.13

Good morning:

Please note TBS requested 2 edits to the sub (1st page and Appendix D). We will swap out the two pages in the Minister's signed version once we have your approval.

Please advise.

Thank you
Lea

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 3:44 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Apologies for delay but 2 flags from us:

- s.13

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Thanks
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 5:01 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Hi Melanie – I'm sending this in for Grant for sign-off as I have most ADMs approvals.

Let me know if any concerns.

Thank you
Lea

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 1:11 PM
To: Phillips, Holly TRAN:EX <Holly.Phillips@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

fyi

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 3:33 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Subject: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Hi Lea,

Please find attached the revised redline with severing added to the bottom of page 9.

Thanks,

Michelle Tang | Information Analyst
Information Management & Privacy
Information Management Branch

Ministry of Transportation & Infrastructure
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Victoria BC V8W 9T5
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From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Sent: July 9, 2019 3:23 PM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Subject: For Review and Approval Due: July 16 | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Hi Lea,

Please find attached the redline records (32 pages) and sign form for final approval.

Ministry harms were identified within the records. The FOI analyst reviewed the records and applied the recommended harms. See attached approval form for further information.

Request wording from a *Political Party* applicant:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed. (Date Range for Record Search: From 12/01/2018 To 12/07/2018) (Date Range for Record Search: From 12/01/2018 To 12/07/2018)

Please return the signed approval on or before July 16th, so the IAO has time to complete the processing of the file.

FYI - this file will be posted on Open Information.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

Michelle Tang | Information Analyst
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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: June 13, 2019 1:44 PM

To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Narrowed Date Range - Gather Recs Due: June 20 | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Thank you. I have forwarded on.

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Sent: June 13, 2019 1:34 PM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: Narrowed Date Range - Gather Recs Due: June 20 | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Apologies the date range is:

(Date Range for Record Search: From 12/01/2018 To 12/07/2018)

Thanks,

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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: June 13, 2019 10:06 AM

To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Subject: RE: Narrowed Date Range - Gather Recs Due: June 20 | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Thank you!

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Sent: June 13, 2019 10:01 AM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Narrowed Date Range - Gather Recs Due: June 20 | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Hi Lea,

The applicant has narrowed their date range to one week:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed. (Date Range for Record Search: From 12/01/2018 To 12/08/2018)

Please proceed to gather the records and provide to us with completed harms by June 20th.

Thanks,

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From: Transportation, Deputy Minister TRAN:EX
Sent: June 7, 2019 5:05 PM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: MO - Fee | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

There will be a fee

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: June 7, 2019 4:53 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: | TRA-2019-93500 | Minister's MA records (excluding attachments) December 2018

Good afternoon Lea,
(this file is assigned to Michelle Tang)

We've received a new FOI request from a *Political Party* as an applicant seeking the following records:

*Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – **excluding attachments** – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed. (Date Range for Record Search: From 12/01/2018 To 12/31/2018)*

Note: This is a x-gov request.

Please complete the fee estimate below:

1. Will you have responsive records? Y/N _____
2. If yes? How much time in hours? (best guess**) _____
** **Note:** if more than 3 hours, please provide rationale below:
3. Approximate number of pages? (5, 50, 500) _____
4. Are you aware of any other program areas or other public bodies that should be advised of this FOI? If yes, please provide _____

The fee estimate is due by **June 14**. If MTI FOI advises 'no fee', records are due by **June 19**.

The LDD is **July 16**.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know if I can be of assistance.

Thank you,

Rachelle Hartley **on behalf of Michelle Tang** | Information Analyst
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 12:14 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: July 12 | TRA-2019-93916 | All communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff

No records for me either.

Melanie

From: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 12:10 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: July 12 | TRA-2019-93916 | All communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff

Hi Lea,

MCT has no records.

Leah

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 8:50 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: July 12 | TRA-2019-93916 | All communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff

Good morning:
Records required from the Minister.

Thank you
Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 5, 2019 1:55 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: July 12 | TRA-2019-93916 | All communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff

Good afternoon,

(this file is assigned to Rachelle Hartley)

We've received a new FOI request from a *Political Party* as an applicant seeking the following records:

*Provide copies of all communication between Andrew Weaver and the Minister/Premier/Minister of State or their staff.
Restrict search to the Premier/Minister/Minister of State Offices.*

(Date Range for Record Search: From 02/01/2019 To 06/30/2019)

This is a cross government request: XGR-2019-93873 (all Ministries)

Please complete the fee estimate below:

1. Will you have responsive records? Y/N _____
2. If yes? How much time in hours? (best guess**) _____
** **Note:** if more than 3 hours, please provide rationale below:
3. Approximate number of pages? (5, 50, 500) _____
4. Are you aware of any other program areas or other public bodies that should be advised of this FOI? If yes, please provide _____

The fee estimate is due by July 12. If MTI FOI advises 'no fee', records are due by July 17.

The LDD is August 15.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know if I can be of assistance.

Thank you,

Brianne Hauff **on behalf of Rachelle Hartley** | Information Analyst
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 9:29 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Recs Due: July 15 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)
Attachments: s.13

Records attached.

Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 4:35 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Recs Due: July 15 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Mel – will you be able to bring these records with you on Monday as well?

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 3:48 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Recs Due: July 15 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

Just a friendly reminder the records are due on Monday.

Thanks,

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From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 11:02 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Gather Recs Due: July 15 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

Please proceed to gather the records and provide to us with completed harms by July 15th.

Thanks,

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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 9:28 AM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Fee Estimate Due: July 10 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

I don't believe there will be on this one.

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 9:17 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Fee Estimate Due: July 10 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

Will there be a fee for this request?

Thanks,

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From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 3, 2019 1:28 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: July 10 | TRA-2019-93837 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Good afternoon,
(this file is assigned to Rachelle Hartley)

We've received a new FOI request from a *Political Party* as an applicant seeking the following records:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages – excluding attachments – sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s), where such a position existed and was staffed
(Date Range for Record Search: From 03/01/2019 To 03/31/2019)

Please complete the fee estimate below:

1. Will you have responsive records? Y/N _____
2. If yes? How much time in hours? (best guess**) _____
** **Note:** if more than 3 hours, please provide rationale below:
3. Approximate number of pages? (5, 50, 500) _____
4. Are you aware of any other program areas or other public bodies that should be advised of this FOI? If yes, please provide _____

The fee estimate is due by **July 10**. If MTI FOI advises 'no fee', records are due by **July 15**.

The LDD is **August 14**.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know if I can be of assistance.

Thank you,

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 4:20 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

I'm planning to pop by MOTI on Monday at 10 to meet with Aaron Shepherd. I could just bring this with me?

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 3:53 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Hi Melanie – do you want to call me when you have a moment? I'm here until 5:00 today....
Lea

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 5:10 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Thank you. Let's chat in the morning.

Lea

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 11, 2019 2:18 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Hi Lea,
I have reviewed and noted several concerns that I can relay tomorrow.
Thanks,
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 1:30 PM
To: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Good afternoon.

Please let me know if any concerns with this release.

Thank you
Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 5, 2019 12:51 PM
To: Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX <Kim.Pilkington@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>; MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Revised Redline | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Hi Kim,

Further to your note below, please find the revised redline.

Thanks,

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From: Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX
Sent: July 4, 2019 9:58 AM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Cc: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: For Review and Approval Due: July 4 | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Hi Michelle,

s.13

Thanks,
Kim

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: June 27, 2019 9:44 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>; Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX <Kim.Pilkington@gov.bc.ca>; Shang, Cindy TRAN:EX <Cindy.Shang@gov.bc.ca>; Shust, Susan D TRAN:EX <Susan.Shust@gov.bc.ca>; Smith, Victoria TRAN:EX <Victoria.Smith@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: For Review and Approval Due: July 4 | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 201

Hi Lea,

Please find attached the redline records (158 pages) and sign form for final approval. Ministry harms were identified within the records. The FOI analyst reviewed the records and applied the recommended harms. See attached approval form for further information.

Request wording from a *Political Party* applicant:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2019 To 01/31/2019)

Please return the signed approval on or before July 4th, so the IAO has time to complete the processing of the file.

FYI - this file will be posted on Open Information.

Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns.

Thank you,

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From: Transportation, Deputy Minister TRAN:EX

Sent: April 10, 2019 9:37 AM

To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX ; Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX ; Ostropolski, Melissa TRAN:EX ; Shang, Cindy TRAN:EX ; Shust, Susan D TRAN:EX ; Chislett, Dallas TRAN:EX

Subject: MO clean recs (158pgs) sent to MDO's for harms | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 2019

Good morning:

Please find records attached for redlining. I have a printed version on my desk (158 pages) if anyone wants to use.

Thank you
Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Sent: March 28, 2019 9:27 AM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: New FOI Request - Fee Estimate Due: Apr 3 | TRA-2019-91775 | Records of any and all emails, text messages,

BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) Jan 2019

Good morning,
This file is assigned to Michelle Tang

We've received a new FOI request from a *Political Party* as an applicant seeking the following records:

Records of any and all emails, text messages, BBMs, slack messages, and WhatsApp messages - excluding attachments - sent from Minister/Minister of State's Executive Assistant(s) - where such a position existed and was staffed (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2019 To 01/31/2019)

Please complete the fee estimate below:

1. Will you have responsive records? Y/N _____
2. If yes? How much time in hours? (best guess**) _____
** Note: if more than 3 hours, please provide rationale below:
3. Approximate number of pages? (5, 50, 500) _____
4. Are you aware of any other program areas or other public bodies that should be advised of this FOI? If yes, please provide _____

The fee estimate is due by April 3rd. If advised by MTI FOI 'no fee', records are due by April 8th.

The LDD is May 8th.

If you have any questions or concerns, please let me know if I can be of assistance.

Thank you,

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 5:28 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Narrowed Date Range: Jan - Third Week | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Confirmed.

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 4:52 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Narrowed Date Range: Jan - Third Week | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Mel – can you please confirm the attached records are the only records you have for the new narrowed date range below.

Thank you
Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 1:42 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Narrowed Date Range: Jan - Third Week | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

The applicant has now narrowed the date range to the week of January 14th through 20th.

We previously provided records within that date range. Would there be more though? Please confirm.

- ~~Page 1: January 31~~
- Page 2: January 18th
- Page 3: January 16th
- Page 4: January 15th
- ~~Page 5: December 21st~~
- ~~Page 6: December 19th~~

Thanks,

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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 5:01 PM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: No MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

No records.

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 4:26 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Are there no records for the week of January 8th – 14th? Was she also away on holidays?

Thanks,

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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 4:23 PM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

I just realized these are not in the date range....

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 2:13 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

I just have 3 records of sent messages for the month of January – attached.

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 12:06 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Mel – were you also away Jan 8 – 14 or would you have records?

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:59 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Yes

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:55 AM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Can you please clarify the exact dates? 8th to the 14th would be the next 7 days...(Tues – Mon)

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:50 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

Would she hold any records for the following week?

Thanks,

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From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: July 8, 2019 2:53 PM

To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: MO No Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

No records for this one.

Thank you

Lea

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

Sent: July 8, 2019 2:13 PM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: ACTION: Incorrect MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

I have no records from that time frame as^{s.22}

Melanie

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX

Sent: July 4, 2019 5:04 PM

To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

Subject: FW: ACTION: Incorrect MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Importance: High

Hi Melanie:

Please see below. Can you please send the requested records as soon as you have a chance.

Thank you

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX

Sent: July 4, 2019 12:07 PM

To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

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Importance: High

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Sent: June 12, 2019 12:22 PM

To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: MO fee estimate | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 2:13 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)
Attachments: RE: Calendar mtg; FOI correspondence; RE: Invitation to Attend: George Massey Tunnel - Next Steps w/ Minister Trevena

I just have 3 records of sent messages for the month of January – attached.

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 12:06 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Mel – s.22 or would you have records?

Lea

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:59 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Yes

From: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:55 AM
To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Can you please clarify the exact dates? 8th to the 14th would be the next 7 days...(Tues – Mon)

From: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 11:50 AM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Ques re: MO Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

Hi Lea,

Would she hold any records for the following week?

Thanks,

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To: MTI FOI REQUESTS TRAN:EX <mtifoirequests@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: MO No Recs | TRA-2019-93536 | Records of any and all emails sent from the Minister's Ministerial Assistant(s)

No records for this one.

Thank you
Lea

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 5:30 PM
To: Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Minister's Council Agenda

Hi Lea,

Requested additions from MO:

- Active transportation – next steps
- Ride-hail (if Steve H. on vacation, substitute is fine)
- CBA update from Grant on TB subs, CBO work

Thanks
Melanie

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Sent: July 12, 2019 8:59 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Minister's Council Agenda

Good morning:

Please find attached the draft Minister's Council Agenda.

Let me know if you would like anything added.

Happy Friday!

Lea Plamondon
A/Director, Executive Operations
Deputy Minister's Office
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
(778) 974-5310

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 10:34 AM
To: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX
Subject: Re: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Unfortunately MLA Ma is no longer available. Could you please let the station know?

Thanks
Melanie

On Jul 15, 2019, at 9:53 AM, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Can you confirm if 11:30am today will work for the outlet?

On Jul 15, 2019, at 9:01 AM, Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Checking and will keep you posted.

M

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 9:00 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Any update on this one, Melanie?

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Sent: July 12, 2019 5:43 PM
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Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Thanks Danielle. Apologies for delay. Checking to see if MLA Ma available Monday morning, and will keep you posted.

Melanie

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 11:11 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
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Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Update regarding timing: reporter says the ride hailing interview today would have to happen by 12:45pm. Alternatively, it could also happen Monday from 7am-12:45pm.

Thanks,
Danielle

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Subject: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Hi Lynne, Will and Melanie,

We have a media request for Minister or an MLA regarding the ride hailing legislation, timelines and Class 4 licencing. Let us know if available. If Minister or MLA is not available, recommend sending the below as a written statement from the Minister.

Please approve/confirm how you'd like to move forward.

Thank you!
Danielle

Reporter

Brendan Pawliw, Reporter
Vista Radio (Prince George)
bpawliw@vistaradio.ca
250-564-2524 x 234 c: 306-530-0984

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview with someone from the ministry today in regards to

the Class 4 license requirement for ridesharing services in the province like Lyft and Uber. Reporter is following this story: <https://www.radionl.com/2019/07/11/32339/>

QUESTIONS:

- What is the technical requirement for the Class 4?
- How soon could we see ridesharing services become active? (Hearing a couple dates, like September 3rd and 16th)

Background

Recommendation

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 17, 2019 5:36 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)
Attachments: KM-QA Highway 7 funding announcement - EDITED.docx; SN_MLA Hwy 7 funding announcement (003) - EDITED MJS.docx

Hi Leanne,

Attached – edits to KM/QA and SNs.

Edited & approved quote:

"For too long, we've heard tragic stories of crashes along the stretch of Highway 7 between Maple Ridge and Mission, often resulting in loss of life. The complete four-laning of this stretch of Highway 7 isn't just about easing congestion, it's about improving safety on the roads our community use every day. I'm pleased the federal and provincial governments are taking this next step to make life better for people who rely on this important roadway."

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 9:28 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: For review: Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Guest list for review please, and updated event materials are attached.

The federal news release was just received this morning and is being reviewed, and will come shortly. Has the MLA quote been approved?

Thanks!

~Leanne

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Subject: Draft Communications Package - Highway 7 4-laning funding announcement (Maple Ridge)

Hi Will, Melanie, & Lynne –

As requested here is the draft comms package for this event.

s.13 and we have requested it (hopefully we will see it by tomorrow).

Here is the event pitch, Speaking Notes, and KM/ QA as written by Leanne.

These are all still going through ADM approvals – we will send an updated/ clean copy once it is finalized.

Leanne has also written a draft QUOTE for the MLA to approve...

Draft NR quote:

s.13

Over to you for feedback/ comments

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 29, 2019 9:12 AM
To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: 20190729_MR_COR_LowCarbon_Final.pdf
Attachments: 20190729_MR_COR_LowCarbon_Final.pdf; ATT00001.txt

Final NR to go out at 1:30 today

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 22, 2019 3:56 PM
To: Sanford, Donna L GCPE:EX
Subject: Final CRD NR - E&N Rail trail event
Attachments: 07-23-2019-MR-crd-thanks-funders-partners-e-n-rail-trail.docx

Hi Donna,

Attached is an embargoed copy of the CRD's news release for tomorrow's E&N rail trail event. The event is scheduled to begin at 11am, so I assume the release will go out around that time.

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson
Ministerial Assistant to the Hon. Claire Trevena,
Minister of Transportation and Infrastructure
250.880.9508

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 11:36 AM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Question re: 286907 Chair Mumford - Upcoming Meeting

The call^{s.13}

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Hope this is helpful.
Melanie

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Hi Aaron,

We have a conference call scheduled with the FAC on Tuesday August 30th at 11AM.

Mel/Lynne.. perhaps you're able to advise on agenda items?

Thanks,

Leah

From: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 9:54 AM
To: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Question re: 286907 Chair Mumford - Upcoming Meeting

Good morning, Leah:

I understand the Minister will be meeting in the near future with Diana Mumford, Chair of the Southern Sunshine Coast Advisory Committee.

We're currently revising a written response to Chair Mumford, and the response will reference the meeting.

Are you able to advise when the meeting will be, and what issues will be discussed?

I've included a copy of the Chair's letter for context.

Thanks very much,

Aaron Shepard

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Phone: 778 974-4976

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 24, 2019 2:39 PM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Pilkington, Kim TRAN:EX; Klingspohn, Teresa TRAN:EX; Handrahan, Kirk TRAN:EX; Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: For Attention: 287427 - Draft letter to Board Chair Horning

Thanks Aaron. Letter approved. Could you pls prepare a copy for the Minister to sign tomorrow morning? If timeline too tight we can discuss using her e-signature.

Thanks,
Melanie

On Jul 23, 2019, at 3:10 PM, Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX <Aaron.Shepard@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello,

Please find attached a copy of a draft letter to BCF Board Chair John Horning for the Minister's review in advance of her meeting with ADM Bowman and Kirk tomorrow afternoon.

Everyone, please let me know if you require anything further.

Thanks very much,

Aaron Shepard

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 4:07 PM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Subject: Speed limits by Quathiaski Cove
Attachments: FW: Quadra Island - 40 Km Quathiaski Cove Speed Limit Request; FW: Quadra island traffic management ; FW: Speed limit; FW: Changing speed limits

Hi Aaron,

For the attached 4 emails, could you please send the response below? And I'll slide the emails into the "4-Ministry reply direct" folder for you.

Thanks,
Melanie

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Melanie Sanderson, Ministerial Assistant
Office of the Minister
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 2:20 PM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: Re: Question re: 285584 Myers Ross / Area 17 Highway Maintenance Contract Award

Thanks Aaron, I think it's fine to send now.

Thanks
Melanie

On Jul 10, 2019, at 2:10 PM, Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX <Aaron.Shepard@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hello Will,

The attached response has been approved and signed by Associate DM Richter. Before proceeding with the response^{s.13}

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Thanks very much,

Aaron Shepard

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<285584 Response.pdf>

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 8:50 AM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX
Cc: Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA

Thanks Aaron. Yes let's have the Minister review asap. Leah could you please coordinate?

Thanks,
Melanie

From: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Sent: July 15, 2019 8:45 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA
Importance: High

Good morning,

Just wanted to follow up on the email below. GCPE has advised that several media outlets from the Kelowna area are asking about the ministry's response to Mayor Basran's letter. s.13

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If the Minister is reviewing correspondence this afternoon, could we bump this one to the top of the pile?

Thanks very much,

Aaron Shepard

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From: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 3:11 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>; Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA

Hi Melanie,

Hello,

Just wanted to give you a heads up that this drafted response to Mayor Basran's letter regarding electric scooters and the MVA, was sent to the MO for Minister's Approval via hard copy yesterday afternoon. I've attached a copy for your review.

Thanks, and apologies for the delay,

Aaron Shepard

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 11:51 AM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX <Aaron.Shepard@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA

Great thanks Aaron, much appreciated. Could I please see the response before it goes to the Minister?

Melanie

From: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 11:48 AM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA

Hi Melanie,

Policy is finalizing wording around the MVA; we've asked them to expedite so that ADM Bowman can review one more time. I'll ensure the file is with the ADM today.

Thanks, and apologies,

Aaron Shepard

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From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 10, 2019 11:21 AM
To: Shepard, Aaron TRAN:EX <Aaron.Shepard@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: 285735 - E Scooters & the MVA

Hi Aaron,

The City of Kelowna has inquired about the status of a response to their letter (Cliff 285735). I see folks are working on it, but could you please do what you can on your end to help speed it along? The original was received back on May 8th.

Thanks,

Melanie Sanderson

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250.880.9508

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 11:24 AM
To: Simons, Nicholas
Cc: Hill, Robert LASS:EX; Tournat, Kim LASS:EX
Subject: FW: Powell River / Sunshine Coast - Additional Information for MLA Simon's

Hi MLA Simons,

Further to yesterday's meeting, below please find additional info provided by MOTI. Unfortunately it looks like the PTB's deadline for submissions on the SCC's application was July 10, 2019. When a decision on the application is made, it will be posted to the board's website.

Regarding the Coopers Green Hall infrastructure funding application, here's more detail from MOTI on the decision-making timeline:

- We did review the regional district's request under the fed/prov Community, Culture and Recreation component of the Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program. We jointly administer that program along with Municipal Affairs and Housing. The reviews of applications submitted to this program have been completed. Once provincial priorities have been determined the requests will be brought forward to a federal/provincial oversight committee for consideration. This is expected to be done sometime late Aug. The final step is federal approval. It is expected that the list of projects recommended for approval will be provided to feds late Sept/early Oct. Given the pending federal election it is difficult to say when we may have an answer from the feds on final project approvals. Announcements may not occur until late Dec 2019/early Jan 2020.

Please let me know if any further questions.

Best,

Melanie Sanderson

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From: Mercer, Andrea TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 1:54 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowman, Deborah TRAN:EX <Deborah.Bowman@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Powell River / Sunshine Coast - Additional Information for MLA Simon's

Melanie --

As discussed, a bit of extra information for MLA Simons if you wouldn't mind passing this on:

Sunshine Coast Connector (SCC)

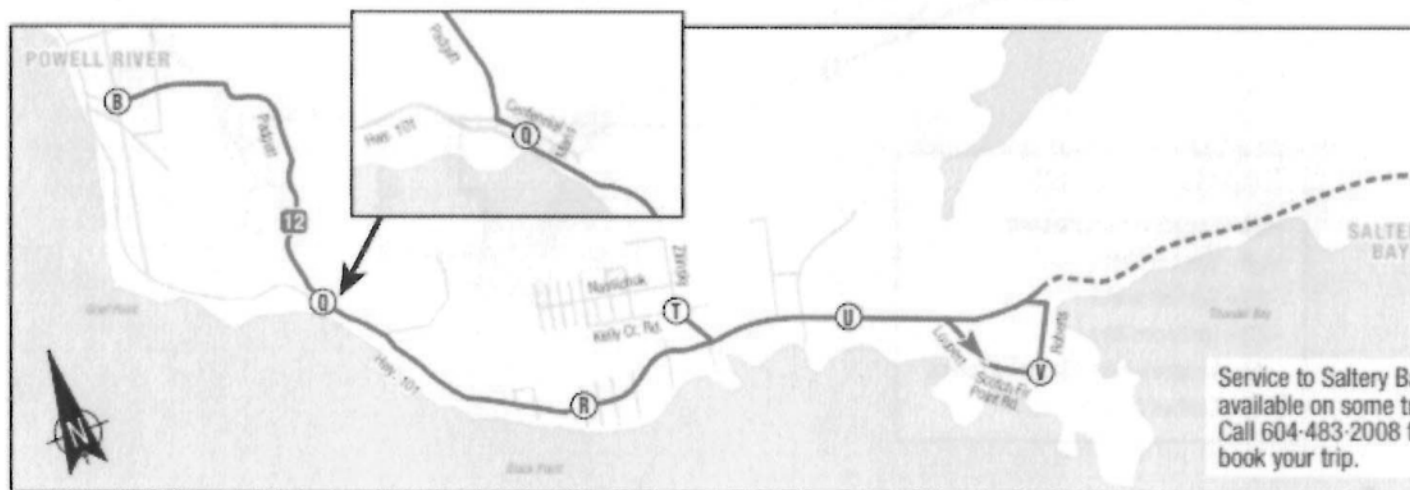
- SCC's current authorization requires them to provide 3 round trips per week between the City of Powell River and the Langdale Ferry terminal

- SCC has an application that is in front of the Passenger Transportation Board for decision: <https://www.ptboard.bc.ca/applications/2019/20190626/6041-19-Application-Summary.pdf>. The deadline for submissions regarding this application was July 10, 2019.
- SCC's application seeks to reduce service on the Powell River to Langdale Ferry terminal from year round to only 4 months (only operating between May 15th to Sept 15th)
- SCC co-owner has been quoted in the media as being amenable to continuing to provide service between Langdale and Earls Cove ferry terminals (3 days/week round trip during low season and daily round trip during summer high season) with Earls Cove being the terminus (instead of carrying on to Powell River) and then relying on BC Transit to increase/provide service from Salter Bay Ferry terminal to Powell River (at matching frequency). There is no revised application to reflect this on the PTB website. I have asked the PT Branch to alert me if they do receive a revised application from SCC.
- NOTE: in September 2017, the PTB approved an application from SCC to eliminate / reduce service (most notably eliminating service into West Vancouver and Vancouver, and making the terminus of the route to be Powell River and Langdale) <https://www.ptboard.bc.ca/applications/2017/20170920/220-17-Decision.pdf>

BC Transit Services

Powell River Regional Transit System

- **Riders Guide:** <https://www.bctransit.com/documents/1507215490375>
- Funding for the Powell River Regional Transit system is cost shared between the City of Powell River, the Regional District of Powell River and the Province (BC Transit).
- Provides local transit service within Powell River and 'rural' service between Powell River and Scotch Fir Pt. Road (location V on map inset below) 4 days per week (Mon, Tues, Wed, Fri) with limited service to Salter Bay on request only (by calling in advance)
- handyDART service is available 6 days per week



Sunshine Coast Transit System

- **Riders Guide:** <https://www.bctransit.com/documents/1529704498075>
- Funding for the Sunshine Coast transit system is cost shared between the Sunshine Coast Regional District and the Province (BC Transit).
- handyDART service is available 6 days per week
- Provides service between Langdale Ferry and Sechelt (#1 and #90 Express) – (with service to Gibsons then on to Sechelt with limited service to Halfmoon Bay) 7 days per week. There is NO BC Transit Service that connects Sechelt to Earls Cove ferry terminal.

Andrea Mercer, Executive Director
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Where ideas work

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 10:38 AM
To: Smith, George PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX
Cc: Dunnett, Jennifer PREM:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: EVENT PITCH for Keating X Flyover
Attachments: EP H17 Keating.docx

As pitched this morning.

Melanie Sanderson

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From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 25, 2019 12:26 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX <Craig.Chambers@gov.bc.ca>; Lowe, Sonia GCPE:EX <Sonia.Lowe@gov.bc.ca>; Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: EVENT PITCH for Keating X Flyover

Hi to all – sending again the EVENT PITCH for Keating X Flyover in Saanich.

Will was mentioning this might be on August 2nd now, so we are moving to finalize our materials & get an event planner secured.

I sent this to Rick – and he says it has to be formally pitched at the event pitch MA meeting – so over to you please & thanks

We will update the corp cal for Aug 2 TBC.

Thanks!

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 2:57 PM
To: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Subject: RE: REVISED: Event Package - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event

Could you change the last line on CleanBC to this:

CleanBC is a pathway to a more prosperous, balanced and sustainable future. CleanBC was developed in collaboration with the BC Green Party caucus and supports the commitment in the Confidence and Supply Agreement to implement climate action to meet B.C.'s emission targets.

From: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 2:18 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: REVISED: Event Package - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event

This is the most recent draft we have. Waiting on BC Transit to provide us with the Final.

Sukhi Tomana | Senior Public Affairs Officer
Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
Cell: 250-886-1221

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 26, 2019 2:17 PM
To: Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Re: REVISED: Event Package - Low Carbon Program - BC Transit Event

Press release coming?

On Jul 26, 2019, at 2:11 PM, Tomana, Sukhi GCPE:EX <Sukhi.Tomana@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Hi everyone – the speaking notes and the QA document have been revised. There was an incorrect timeline in the previous information.

Please pass our apologies to MLA Popham's office and provide them with the updated documents for Monday's event.

Thank you,

Sukhi Tomana | Senior Public Affairs Officer
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<QA - Release of Low Carbon Program - Updated.docx>

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 12:17 PM
To: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX; Waters, Leah TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Invitation to the E&N Rail Trail Funder Recognition Event - July 23

Thanks. Leah, could you please give regrets and let them know MLA Mitzi Dean will be attending on the Minister's behalf?

Melanie

From: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX
Sent: July 18, 2019 4:34 PM
To: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>; Leverman, Charly TRAN:EX <Charly.Leverman@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Invitation to the E&N Rail Trail Funder Recognition Event - July 23

Hello,

Heads up on a last minute invitation to the "E&N Rail Trail Funder Recognition Event," to celebrate the completion of the Humpback Connector phases 1&2. Takes place on July 23.

Thanks,

Aaron Shepard

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Phone: 778 974-4976

From: Trevena.MLA, Claire <Claire.Trevena.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: July 18, 2019 3:32 PM
To: Transportation, Minister TRAN:EX <Minister.Transportation@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Invitation to the E&N Rail Trail Funder Recognition Event - July 23

From: Karen Ward <kward@crd.bc.ca>
Sent: Tuesday, July 16, 2019 9:52 AM
To: Trevena.MLA, Claire <Claire.Trevena.MLA@leg.bc.ca>
Subject: Invitation to the E&N Rail Trail Funder Recognition Event - July 23

Attention: The Honourable Claire Trevena, M.L.A.

Dear Minister Trevena:

On behalf of Jeff Leahy, Senior Manager, CRD Regional Parks, I am pleased to extend an invitation to the E & N Rail Trail Funders' Recognition Event on Tuesday, July 23, 2019.

We hope you can join us for this exciting event.

Yours sincerely,

Karen

Karen Ward, MSc | Coordinator, Administrative Services
Visitor Services and Community Development
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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 2:27 PM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Subject: FYI: Final TRAN IB - McKenzie interchange takes shape with bridge beam placement
Attachments: 2019TRAN0128-001487.pdf

IB on McKenzie weekend work attached.

Melanie

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

From: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX
Sent: July 19, 2019 10:37 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Machell, Aileen TRAN:EX <Aileen.Machell@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Flood, Leanne GCPE:EX <Leanne.Flood@gov.bc.ca>; Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX <Craig.Chambers@gov.bc.ca>; Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX <Danielle.Pope@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: With tweets: Final TRAN IB - McKenzie interchange takes shape with bridge beam placement

Hi to Min office – as promised – here is the final Info Bulletin – which will go out to local media and press gallery at 12:30 PM today.

Please feel free to share with the PO and with local MLAs.

Also – the MLAs are welcome to check out the activities over the weekend as they wish to.

Danielle is letting the local TV stations know as well – they will send out cameramen to get visuals.

2 tweets below:

Thirty concrete beams lifted to form two spans across #BCHwy1 at McKenzie this weekend as project takes shape.
#saanich #yyjtraffic <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20281>

Next step in the #Saanich McKenzie interchange project underway this weekend - with two spans constructed to bridge #BCHwy1. #yyjtraffic <https://news.gov.bc.ca/20281>

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 4:08 PM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: FOR CONSIDERATION: TRAN Media Request: Northern bus routes

Hi Minister,
Media request below – the Goat on Inter-city Bus RFP that went out this afternoon.

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melanie

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 3:41 PM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Kulmala, Peggy GCPE:EX <Peggy.Kulmala@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR CONSIDERATION: TRAN Media Request: Northern bus routes

Will/Mel/Lynne,

Heads up for Monday or Tuesday, this reporter is hoping to interview Minister about the northern bus routes. Will loop back on messaging for Monday.

D

Reporter

Ethan Ready, Reporter
Vista Radio (Prince George)
eready@vistaradio.ca
250-564-2524 x 232 c: 519-535-5294

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview with someone in Prince George about how the bids might impact the future of transportation in the north, in relation to Friday's release.

Reporter will do a story with what's on the NR, but is looking for an interview Monday or Tuesday, with Minister or other who can speak to this.

Background

Recommendation

Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 12:08 PM
To: Trevena, Claire TRAN:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: FW: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Hi Minister,
Interview request below on ridehail for Vista Radio (Prince George)^{s.13}

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Thoughts?
Melanie

From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 11:11 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Update regarding timing: reporter says the ride hailing interview today would have to happen by 12:45pm.
Alternatively, it could also happen Monday from 7am-12:45pm.

Thanks,
Danielle

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Government Communications and Public Engagement
Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
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From: Pope, Danielle GCPE:EX
Sent: July 12, 2019 11:04 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>; Stone, Lynne TRAN:EX <Lynne.Stone@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Bowness, Lianne GCPE:EX <Lianne.Bowness@gov.bc.ca>; Crebo, David GCPE:EX <David.Crebo@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FOR APPROVAL - TRAN Media Request: Ridesharing follow up

Hi Lynne, Will and Melanie,

We have a media request for Minister or an MLA regarding the ride hailing legislation, timelines and Class 4 licencing. Let us know if available. If Minister or MLA is not available, recommend sending the below as a written statement from the Minister.

Please approve/confirm how you'd like to move forward.

Thank you!
Danielle

Reporter

Brendan Pawliw, Reporter
Vista Radio (Prince George)
bpawliw@vistaradio.ca
250-564-2524 x 234 c: 306-530-0984

Deadline ASAP

Request

Reporter would like an interview with someone from the ministry today in regards to the Class 4 license requirement for ridesharing services in the province like Lyft and Uber. Reporter is following this story:

<https://www.radionl.com/2019/07/11/32339/>

QUESTIONS:

- What is the technical requirement for the Class 4?
- How soon could we see ridesharing services become active? (Hearing a couple dates, like September 3rd and 16th)

Background

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 16, 2019 4:02 PM
To: Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX
Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: PST on electric bikes

Hi Susan,
Here are some bullet points you can use.
Best,
Melanie

E-Bikes & PST

- British Columbians are looking for cleaner, healthier ways to move around.
- As part of CleanBC, our government recently introduced *Move.Commute.Connect.* – B.C.'s first-ever Active Transportation Strategy – which aims to make walking, cycling, scootering, skateboarding and all other modes of active transportation more safe, convenient, and accessible for all users.
- Electric bikes (E-bikes) have become increasingly popular and the BC Scrap-it program includes an incentive that offers an \$850 credit towards electric assisted bicycles, purchased from participating retailers. Further details are available at: www.scrapit.ca
- Keep in mind that the BC Scrap-it program provides incentives for people who voluntarily retire automobiles early in favour of more environmentally friendly choices, like E-bikes.
- There may be opportunities to build upon the success of rebate programs like BC Scrap-It, and we are committed to looking at these.
- The Ministry of Finance reviews provincial taxes and considers changes annually in preparation of the provincial budget.
- The Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure is focused on reducing congestion and working in partnership with communities to improve our province-wide active transportation infrastructure to make our communities cleaner and more livable.

From: Vasilev, Susan <Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca>
Sent: July 15, 2019 12:17 PM
To: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: RE: PST on electric bikes

Thanks!

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Sent: Monday, July 15, 2019 12:10 PM
To: Vasilev, Susan <Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: PST on electric bikes

Hi Susan,

I'll have a few suggested additions in light of our recently released Active Transportation Strategy. Will try to get these to you tomorrow.

Thanks,
Melanie

Melanie Sanderson

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Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX

From: Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 2:33 PM
To: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX; Beale, William TRAN:EX
Subject: RE: Joint meeting with Saanich re McKenzie Interchange

William will attend.

Thx,
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From: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX
Sent: July 9, 2019 8:36 AM
To: Beale, William TRAN:EX <William.Beale@gov.bc.ca>; Sanderson, Melanie TRAN:EX <Melanie.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: FW: Joint meeting with Saanich re McKenzie Interchange

Would you like an MA to attend this meeting?

From: Grant, Lisa EDUC:EX
Sent: July 8, 2019 3:21 PM
To: Smith, Victoria TRAN:EX <Victoria.Smith@gov.bc.ca>; Plamondon, Lea TRAN:EX <Lea.Plamondon@gov.bc.ca>
Cc: Waters, Leah TRAN:EX <Leah.Waters@gov.bc.ca>
Subject: Joint meeting with Saanich re McKenzie Interchange

Hi Victoria,

I was able to confirm 3:30pm – 4:00pm on July 11 with the Mayor's office we can host in our office at the legislature (Rm 124)

Attendees:

- Minister Fleming
- Ministerial Assistants (I believe it will be Melissa Farrance)
- Mayor Haynes
- Paul Thorkelsson (CAO)
- Harley Machielse (Director of Engineering)
- Grant
- Kevin

Let me know if you need any additional information from me.

Cheers,

Lisa Grant

Administrative Coordinator
The Office of the Hon. Rob Fleming
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Sharmarke Dubow, Victory City Councilor & Victoria Regional Transit Commission member
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I've asked him to call to setup a 15 min phone call with MCT this week Wednesday or Thursday if possible.

Thanks,

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