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BUILDING PERMITS - YEARLY

	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC
2001	585,500	11,938,550	12,265,250	12,842,790	13,534,790	14,712,550	16,330,650	17,717,625	19,031,075	19,895,255	21,318,855	21,458,195
2002	585,500	1,952,500	3,340,850	3,821,240	5,455,840	6,411,690	8,844,690	10,932,510	15,780,890	16,705,600	17,738,200	17,923,700
2003	130,110	920,780	2,974,020	4,486,120	5,993,320	13,294,120	15,555,250	17,937,005	20,318,920	22,000,340	24,005,740	24,782,360
2004	430,700	1,506,500	5,903,780	8,379,104	10,122,768	12,086,319	14,779,343	21,598,763	30,371,023	33,614,173	34,957,458	35,881,343
2005	1,072,000	2,269,650	4,344,750	6,806,152	12,110,482	28,031,457	29,985,585	34,743,645	37,600,445	42,915,856	45,525,611	47,576,746
2006	815,550	3,224,468	8,012,449	11,501,929	16,084,809	20,066,533	23,714,194	26,370,890	36,479,806	37,278,358	42,332,995	43,077,170
2007	1,531,087	3,901,669	16,148,674	22,413,118	27,232,134	32,401,472	35,657,297	42,829,750	51,945,799	55,703,387	65,885,802	66,289,555
2008	1,797,604	4,203,429	12,947,058	27,647,379	33,857,533	36,582,025	39,759,375	42,395,454	45,412,474	50,699,301	53,383,541	53,522,880
2009	409,369	864,839	2,039,460	5,207,311	6,763,615	7,800,085	9,677,455	11,579,746	18,882,737	20,713,554	23,523,664	24,337,664
2010	1,518,563	2,708,062	5,931,546	10,081,816	12,260,236	13,526,546	16,597,121	18,790,511	19,848,804	21,174,632	22,953,692	27,249,702
2011	568,645	2,003,976	5,063,837	7,449,773	9,471,416	11,761,850	12,794,028	14,222,970	18,194,801	19,682,061	30,563,013	31,934,415
2012	2,189,660	3,128,562	4,794,040	6,337,260	10,000,544	12,120,246	17,883,185	24,375,078	26,118,787	26,493,820	28,130,500	28,666,430
2013	881,740	1,440,110	13,907,060	15,814,195	17,433,454	20,194,778	23,204,628	24,180,485	26,567,302	29,195,224	30,890,086	31,231,349
2014	665,304	2,806,404	8,075,941	20,789,869	27,574,834	29,877,686	33,456,523	41,971,923	42,784,769	44,804,191	46,460,471	47,707,993
2015	1,172,285	1,853,539	3,894,754	6,750,389	8,575,425	18,388,180	20,475,407	26,442,225	29,143,303	31,248,595	35,417,465	37,368,595
2016	1,268,865	2,298,280	4,987,625	8,904,610	12,253,660	16,279,464	19,265,124	23,811,029	29,823,014	36,084,949	40,154,959	41,418,659
2017	1,183,280	2,841,725										

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Sent: February 17, 2017 9:04 AM

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Subject: Contact Us Submission - Shuswap

The following data was submitted via the Contact Us form:

Type: suggestion

Transit System: Shuswap

First Name: Lydia

Last Name: Borkent

Email: lborkent@telus.net

Phone Number: 2508041128

Callback: Yes

Closest Stop or Intersection: Not Provided

Bus Number: Not Provided

Date of Incident: Not Provided

User Comment:

I think we need to add another bus route or extend one of the operating ones later in the evening so people have the option to do things at night. College courses, evening events, supporting the community without having to pay for a taxi. You'd be surprised how many people don't get out because they can't afford taxis and have the bus as their only option. Half of Salmon Arm wouldn't think to walk to their destination. We need more transit.

February 18, 2017

An open letter to Mayor Nancy Cooper:

I recently became aware of the City discussions to demolish a historic property in Salmon Arm. It seems odd that such discussion could even take place considering the value people put on places of historic value. I lived in Winnipeg until three years ago and ironically, it was only the coming to the City twenty years ago of American movie making that made Winnipeggers see the unbelievable riches in their historic buildings.... However, since then, many beautiful old properties have been saved and refurbished to their original splendour, assisted by the Winnipeg Historical Society and creative entrepreneurs.

Because Salmon Arm is a relatively young city, it is clear that we must be vigilant to retain older properties such as the historic house up near the current swimming pool. Setting a short deadline to oppose the destruction of this house is not seemly of a progressive City Council nor of Councillors who must listen to their citizens. I cannot help but admire the column "From the Archives" in The Observer each week, and the influence stores like Askew's has in this city over the years. Did they tear down their older store in order to build a more modern one? Not at all, because there is a sense of longevity in this community which they respected. I also notice the number of residences for elderly people here, and surely, these citizens deserve the satisfaction of seeing a new use for the house in question. Several times, the Piccadilly Mall has been the site of a thriving display of antique tools and crafts, and yet the stores in the mall thrive right alongside the displays of yesteryear items and activities.

In the February 8th Observer, I read the headline "Salmon Arm Celebrates Historic Roots", and the entire page is given to the accomplishments of the Haney Museum, and what a wonderful attraction it is for both visitors and residents of Salmon Arm. I would respectfully suggest that City Council may be missing the opportunity to create a thriving attraction for our City in Orchard House. Recently, friends in Kelowna celebrated their Valentine's Day with dinner at The Yellow House, a heritage building in downtown Kelowna. Surely there might be an entrepreneur in this town who would be interested in opening a tea room, even just in summer months, in Orchard House for visitors and residents who are attracted by the loveliness of this spot. Friends in Winnipeg can hardly wait to come here to visit me because I have told them bits and pieces about the landscape, the lake, the community of people, new friends, strawberry teas at First United, the exquisite summer floral show on so many streets executed by the City... we have a gem of a city here, and it's partly because of the historical areas and traditions of the city.

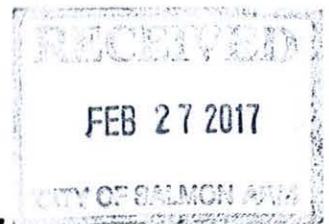
I am asking you, Mayor Cooper, to bring before Council a resolution to delay the demolition of Orchard House so that we can reconsider the true value of Orchard House property and get some ideas about future usage of the house and grounds. We have a diamond in the rough here, so let's not be hasty in destroying it, please.

Sheilah Land

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FEB 24/17
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Hello again Madame Mayor;

I was relieved to read that Council had delayed any decision on the Scott house for two months and a chance for the public to view the fine old building in March is very welcome. However I feel the limited time of two hours is far too short for the many citizens that may wish to attend. I think you could consider two full days on a weekend. I was also encouraged to see opinions by other supporters for a plan to relocate the large structure to another place on the lot and call upon interested people to donate to a fund to reduce some of the cost. We have already lost the Mcguire house last year and should attempt to make some effort to preserve what little history the town has left. Council must recognize that it was due to the great labour by our ancestors of the past that we can learn a wise design for our fair city in the future. If there is a call for public funding to preserve the Orchard treasure I'll gladly offer 500 bucks for a good start. Please think it over Nancy and debate same with your council.

The Observer just this week has further public complaints regarding accidents on our main street and number 1 highway! Two big semys involved and the sad death of a baby. There were a number of suggestions to increase traffic lights or to restrict left turns etc. and Council for lack of a better response agreed to revisit an ICBC study done in 1913. I myself have lived some ten years in Salmon Arm and over that time the main street congestion has at least doubled.

In Julytime in summer we have to suffer all the holiday traffic from Alberta together with 1000 Trailer-trucks a day on our main street. For safety alone Council will just have to plan with longtime vision to alleviate this problem which only grows worse every year. With a bypass across the bay as I have said often, we'll gain some valuable water front while the CPR and truckers will save endless time and money and traffic will avoid all the perils of stop lights and congestion. Use everyday safety as good reason to involve both the Feds and the Province. And please for heavens sakes forget about wasting a further half million dollars on that ridiculous engineered plan for the underpass.

Yours with best regards, C.H.(Dave) Dyke
Member with Council of Canadians

From: Nadine C. Erickson [mailto:naden_515@hotmail.com]

Sent: February-21-17 9:42 AM

To: Nancy Cooper; Chad Eliason; Kevin Flynn; Alan Harrison; Ken Jamieson; Tim Lavery;
wallacerichmond@salmonarm.ca

Subject: Dilkusha

Dear Mayor and Council,

In my opinion, it would be a very short-sighted thing to demolish the Orchard House/Dilkusha. Unlike cities like Armstrong, Nelson, Victoria and even little Enderby to the south, Salmon Arm really doesn't have that many heritage buildings. Some buildings like the old courthouse and the two old post offices have been preserved and they add a great deal to the character of Salmon Arm but, unfortunately, others have disappeared. A beautiful old house on Foothill Road that was destroyed when a subdivision went in on the same land is one example. There was also a beautiful house on Harris Street that was purposely neglected by the owner until it was in such disrepair that it had to be torn down.

I invite you to explore "big, bad Kelowna" and see for yourselves the number of houses that have been preserved. Many of them are quite modest dwellings but they have plaques in front of them with their names and information.

The old Bennett house is one example of a house that was preserved while upscale townhouses were built around it. An article in the February 15 issue of the Kelowna Capital News concerns an award given to the Central Okanagan Heritage Society which is celebrating its 35th year of "working to preserve the region's architectural history and to provide public education programs about heritage conservation and restoration." The article also talks about the Thompson House on Richter Avenue. A house adjacent to Sarson's Beach was donated to the city by its owners and now serves as a seniors' centre for the Mission area. While it is not as old as other houses here, it is a good example of a repurposed residence and someday its 1950's West Coast style may be valued as well.

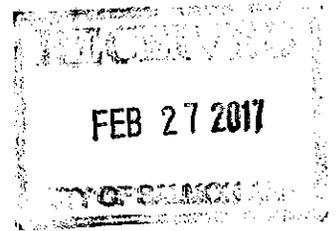
There is the Mackie House in Vernon as well as another one that was owned by an artist/teacher whose name escapes me at the moment. There is also the beautiful house that anchors the Sorrento Centre. Just yesterday, I happened to read an article in a publication for restaurant owners concerning the City of Calgary turning the Deane House there into a restaurant. Coincidentally, my older son recently mentioned that he and his wife had enjoyed lunch at a restaurant in a heritage house in Calgary. I am curious to find out if it was the Deane House.

The Orchard House is very close to the arena and curling rink and I think that a well-run, adult-oriented restaurant might be a viable option. (Perhaps Rickaby's could be enticed back to Salmon Arm.)

Please don't "disappear" another one of the few heritage buildings in Salmon Arm!

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Feb 27/17



To Mayor Nancy Cooper and council:

I've been meaning to write with my feedback on a couple of subjects and have now been inspired by the 'Open letter to Mayor' by Sheilah Land in the Feb 24/17 Shuswap Market News regarding saving the Orchard House property.

I will address this subject first.

I, like Sheilah, moved to Salmon Arm 3 years ago and couldn't help but notice the lack of 'heritage' homes when I was house hunting. I didn't want one but noticed there weren't many. I moved from Ladner, BC where restoration of heritage buildings was somewhat of a priority. In the early 90's I moved from Vancouver to Revelstoke and noticed a difference in mentality regarding older homes there. Many homes in Vanc at that time were being torn down whereas the older homes in Revelstoke were being restored and renovated.

I believe and support incorporating the Orchard House into the design of the expansion of the Rec Centre somehow. Could it be used in collaboration with Okanagan College? cooking classes? art classes? I am saying this not knowing the expansion plans for the Rec Centre.

The second, probably larger issue is the trucks rolling through town running red lights.

I live in the downtown core and cross the TCH all the time. My points on this will be made not knowing what plans or studies have been done regarding this in the past. Should the trucks be made to slow down to 30km? The flashing lights heading west to indicate the light is going to change are half a block away from the light! from what I can see. That doesn't give any driver much time to stop.

The other issue regarding traffic I would like to comment on is directed at other drivers who continuously make their left or right hand turns in front of pedestrians while the pedestrian walk sign is still up. Are they really in that much of a hurry. With these traffic issues, should there be a higher or more permanent presence of RCMP through this corridor to catch the offenders?

Thanks for your time,
Linda Jack

Feb 6, 2017

Attn: Rob Niewenhuizen
Director of Engineering and Public Works

Re: 2017 Salty Dog Street Fest, May 13th 2017
Street Closure 7 am to 5 pm

Several Partner Organizations including Shuswap Tourism, Economic Development Society, Shuswap Trail Alliance, Shuswap Cycling Club and Skookum Cycle are joining together to again provide our community with an exciting and fun family event in 2017. Branded as the Salty Street Fest, we will be seeking to more actively engage the 1200+ attendees of the Annual Salty Dog Enduro Mountain Bike event. Additionally, we want to well encouraging local Salmon Arm residents to come downtown and enjoy the festival and amenities.

The event will take place on Saturday May 13th from 10am to 3pm on Hudson Ave. We request the City's approval and assistance in order to create a safe and enjoyable event. Your support provides increased marketing opportunities for multiple local businesses, not-for-profits, local tourism and it will be a showcase of our downtown community. The event includes the Shuswap Bike Club's Bike Swap, Kids Run Bike Parade, In The Groove Kids & Shuswap's Children Association's Play Zone, Demille's Petting Zoo, 4H Club Scavenger Hunt, free outdoor concert 12-2pm, Pie Co Pie Eating contest, booths set up by Silver Star, Sun Peaks, Shuswap Trail Alliance, Shuswap Cycling Club, and various Bike Brand's and Vendors showing off 2017 product. A site map of the event has been attached.

For the 2017 event we request a street closure of the 100 and 200 blocks of Hudson Ave., between Shuswap St. and Alexander St, including the portion of McLeod St from Hudson Ave to the alley south from 7:00am to 5pm on Saturday May 13th. Streets will be barricaded and patrols will be set up to ensure the safety of participants and motorists.

Again this year, insurance for the event will be provided, coving programing, event participants, partners, volunteers, and the City of Salmon Arm.

Additionally, we request the use of the following safety equipment:

- 7 traffic barricades
- Any signage available to inform motorists of the pending street closure and parking restrictions throughout the day.
- DIA has lent the event Free Parking signs, pointing people to the inner core parking lot

Communication with the local downtown businesses will occur via a letter a month prior to the event. The letter's will be hand delivered in person, to better communicate the extent of the event, and answer any questions about the event.

The RCMP, Fire Dept and Ambulance Service will be contacted to provide additional coverage during the event. Should you require further information, please feel free to contact me at your convenience at 250-832-7368, or via email at tom@skookumcycle.com.

Sincerely,

Tom Peasgood

Skookum Cycle and Ski

Salty Dog Organizing Committee

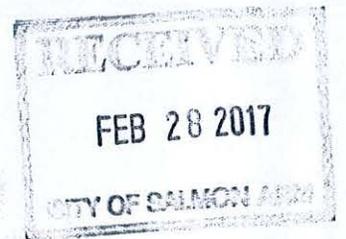
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FEB 23 2017
CITY OF SALMON AREA

You're invited
to celebrate...

**CANOE VICTORY
HALL'S GRAND
OPENING**
with us!

WHEN March 10, 2017
WHERE Canoe Victory Hall: 7210-51st Street NE
TIME 2:30 PM – Ribbon Cutting / Cake Cutting
DOORS OPEN 1:00 PM – 4:00 PM
RSVP TO Rae Cooper 250-515-2159
Email: canoevictoryhall@gmail.com

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gift from the heart
from Registered
Dental Hygienists
Saturday April 8th, 2017

Date: February 26, 2017

Mayor's Name: Nancy Cooper
Address: City of Salmon Arm, Box 40, 500 – 2nd Ave NE
Salmon Arm, BC V1E 4N2

Dear Mayor Cooper,

On **Saturday April 8, 2017**, Registered Dental Hygienists across Canada will open their hearts and clinics to provide oral health care to the public who may be financially unable to receive dental hygiene care or whom have difficulty accessing dental hygiene treatment.

My name is Liz-Ann Munro Lamarre and I am a Registered Dental Hygienist in your community. The **“Gift from the Heart”** was founded in 2009 by a colleague of mine as a one day event allowing Registered Dental Hygienists to give back to their communities by providing no cost dental hygiene care. My dental hygiene clinic, **the Smile People dental hygiene clinic**, will be participating again this year in the GFTH. This will be our 8th year of participation.

I would like to ask council to proclaim **Saturday April 8, 2017** as **“Gift from the Heart” Day** in the City of Salmon Arm. Next year, it will be on *Saturday, April 7, 2018*.

Thank you for supporting the profession of dental hygiene all across Canada and especially here in Salmon Arm.

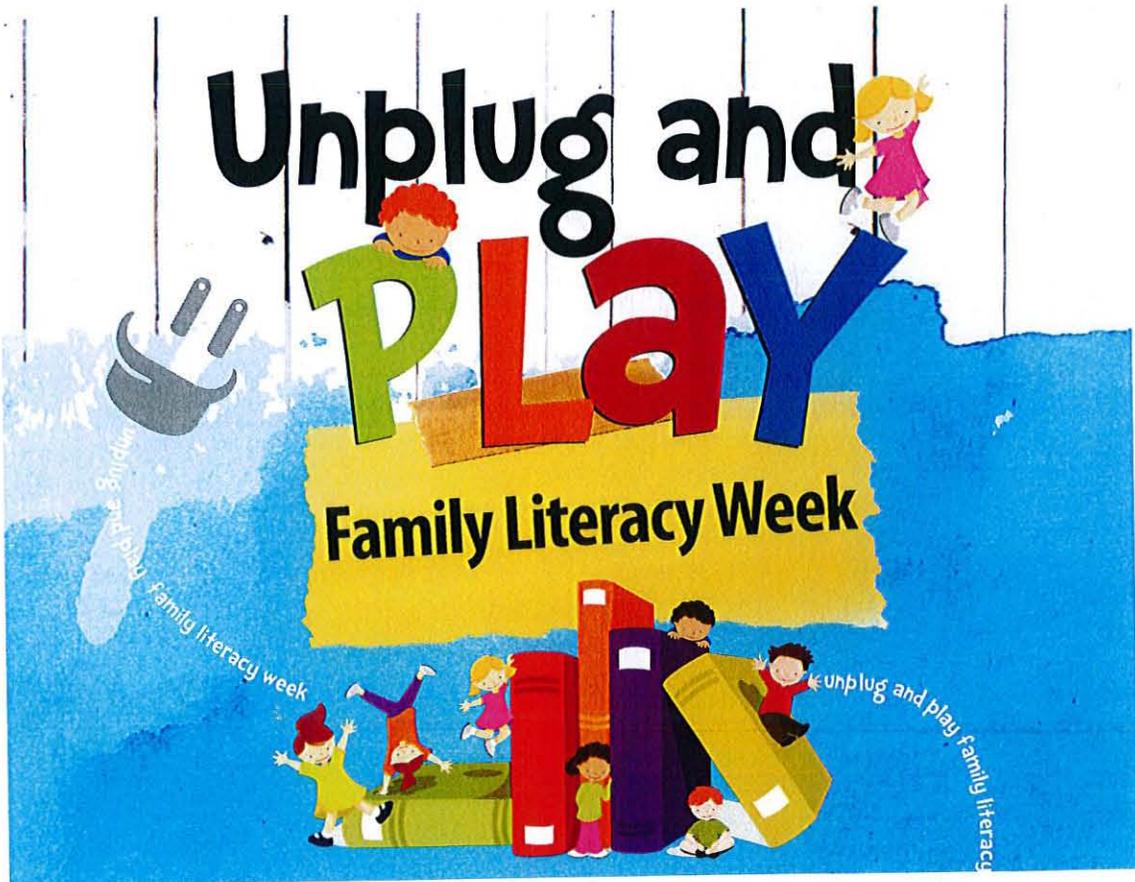
I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Professionally,

Liz-Ann Munro Lamarre & The Smile People, dental hygiene clinic
Box 39, 206 – 310 Hudson Ave NE, Salmon Arm, V1E 4N2
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CITY OF SALMON:

Thank You...

for participating in Unplug & Play Family Literacy Week.
Your support of community literacy is greatly appreciated!

Thank you so much for supporting both our
Salmon Arm Unplug & Play Events
and the special "Free Range Kids"
presentation with Lenore Skenczy!
The Literacy Alliance of the Shuswap Society



Violet

Daria

For Immediate Release | March 2, 2017

Carfentanil presence confirmed in Interior Health

The deadly drug carfentanil is now confirmed to be present in Interior Health. This comes following a positive carfentanil drug test in the Kootenay region reported by Health Canada and a positive carfentanil urine test in the Thompson Cariboo Shuswap region reported by LifeLabs. The drugs tested by Health Canada were illegal imitation oxycodone tablets with the markings CDN 80. The drug involved in the positive urine test is unknown.

“These recent findings confirm our suspicions and anecdotal reports that carfentanil is present in IH communities,” said Dr. Trevor Corneil, Chief Medical Health Officer with Interior Health. “Carfentanil has also been detected in other parts of B.C. and may be responsible for the spike in overdose deaths seen at the end of 2016.”

Carfentanil is a synthetic opioid normally used as a sedative for large animals like elephants. It is similar to fentanyl but can be 100 times more toxic; one or two grains the size of salt grains can be fatal to humans.

There is no reliable way for people to know with certainty if fentanyl, carfentanil or other potentially toxic components are in illegal drugs. People who use drugs are advised to abstain when possible, or to take measures to prevent overdose. Overdoses caused by carfentanil require larger quantities of naloxone and are more likely to be lethal.

Not using drugs at all is the best way to avoid overdose and other health impacts. Interior Health recommends people abstain from using any type of illegal drug, if at all possible. If abstaining is not an option, the following tips can help reduce the risk of overdose:

- Don't mix different drugs (including pharmaceutical medications, street drugs, and alcohol)
- Don't take drugs when you are alone, have a sober buddy with you. Leave door unlocked. Tell someone to check on you.
- Use less and pace yourself. Do testers to check strength - take a small sample of a drug before taking your usual dosage.
- Keep an eye out for your friends – stay together and look out for each other.
- Carry a Naloxone kit and know how to use it. A list of locations to get a kit can be found on the Interior Health [website](#).
- Recognize the signs of an OD: Slow or no breathing, gurgling or gasping, lips/fingertips turning blue, difficult to rouse (awaken), non-responsive.
- If someone thinks they may be having an overdose or is witnessing an overdose, follow the [SAVE ME steps](#) and call 9-1-1 immediately, do not delay.

For more resources and links related to overdose and substance use, visit:
<https://www.interiorhealth.ca/AboutUs/Leadership/MHO/Pages/PHEmergency.aspx>

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Media, for information:

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250-469-7070 ext. 12824



Reference: 227554

March 6, 2017

Via Email: ejackson@salmonarm.ca

Her Worship Mayor Nancy Cooper
City of Salmon Arm
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Dear Mayor Cooper:

Thank you for your letter of January 27, 2017, and the additional data on accommodation and vacancy rates in Salmon Arm. This information will be useful as we continue to monitor the situation closely over the coming months.

I am pleased that you, the City of Salmon Arm Council, and City staff were able to meet with Madeline Maley, Executive Director of BC Wildfire Service; Rob Schweitzer, Kamloops Fire Centre Manager; and Cliff Chapman, Kamloops Deputy Fire Centre Manager; on November 24, 2016. I understand that you found the tour of the Salmon Arm base useful.

Rob Schweitzer, Kamloops Fire Centre Manager, oversees the Salmon Arm base and will be in close contact with you as the season progresses. Mr. Schweitzer can be contacted by phone at 250 554-5500 or by email at Rob.Schweitzer@gov.bc.ca.

I thank you again for your correspondence and welcome the continued dialogue.

Sincerely,

Steve Thomson
Minister

pc: Greg Kyлло, MLA, Shuswap
Madeline Maley, Executive Director, BC Wildfire Service
Rob Schweitzer, Fire Centre Manager, Kamloops Fire Centre
Cliff Chapman, Deputy Fire Centre Manager, Kamloops Fire Centre

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Her Worship Nancy Cooper, and Council members of the City of Salmon Arm

Re: Request for partial exemption from District of Salmon Arm Noise Control Bylaw 1981 for Fishery Officer firearms training at Salmon Arm Fish and Game Club

Your Worship and Council members of the City of Salmon Arm

On behalf of the Federal Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO), I wish to respectfully request permission to have a limited exemption from the time requirements of the District of Salmon Arm Noise Control Bylaw, 1981, specifically with respect to exceeding the 10pm time limit to no later than 11:59pm on April 25, 26, 27 2017 for the purpose of conducting firearms training at the Salmon Arm Fish and Game Club.

Fishery Officers employed by the Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada are Peace Officers under the Canadian Criminal Code when conducting their duties under the Fisheries Act and/or its regulations. Fishery Officers are law enforcement officers that enforce Federal and Provincial laws related to the conservation of protection of fisheries resources in Canada. Fishery Officers are armed with sidearms and conduct standard annual training to maintain proficiency under the direction and supervision of trained firearms instructors, whom are also Fishery Officers employed by the Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada. Firearms training curriculum requires that Fishery Officers maintain proficiency by training for scenarios that could potentially occur during the course of a Fishery Officers duties. As Fishery Officers often work at night in remote areas, they may be required to use their sidearms or other firearms to defend themselves, and/or to ensure public safety and to protect the public when working in any condition, including during times when it is dark or there is limited light. A training component has been designed to teach Fishery Officers how to safely use their firearms in low light and dark environments to defend themselves and/or to ensure public safety and to protect the public.

The low light component of firearms training has been identified as a requirement of the firearms training for Fishery Officers. Fishery Officers have booked the Salmon Arm Fish and Game Club from April 24 to 28th, 2017. It is anticipated that the Department of Fisheries and Oceans Canada may require additional time beyond the 10PM deadline as specified within the District of Salmon Arm Noise Control Bylaw, 1981 to complete the required training to ensure that there is a dark training environment. On April 24 to 28th the sunset times are just after 8 pm and it will be pretty dark 1 hour after. It is

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anticipated that we will require an exemption from 10pm to 11:59pm on April 25,26, and 27th to complete the training.

Given the remote location of the Salmon Arm Fish and Game Club, there are very few residences within the close proximity of the range that could potentially be disturbed by the noise. Fisheries and Oceans Canada would be prepared to consult with the potentially affected residents to inform them of the dates, times and duration of the expected noise that may fall outside of the noise bylaw times specified in any manner the City feels appropriate including, including; posting notices in the area, sending information by mail or deliver information in person, and/or post notification in the local newspaper(s) if so requested.

In consideration of the foregoing, I respectfully request that Fisheries and Oceans Canada and it's employees be granted a temporary exemption from Section 4 of the District of Salmon Arm Noise Control Bylaw, 1981 on April 25, 26, 27 from 10:00 pm to 11:50 pm each day. And that the Salmon Arm Fish and Game Club not be held liable under Section 4(b) for noise made by Fisheries and Oceans Canada Fishery Officers as per the times and other details as provided above.

4. General Regulations

a) No person shall on any day before seven (7) o'clock in the forenoon or after ten (10) o'clock in the afternoon make or cause, or permit to be made or caused, any noise in or on a public or private place which disturbs or tends to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort, or convenience of any person or persons in the neighborhood or vicinity.

b) No person being the owner or occupier of any premises or of any real property shall on any day before seven (7) o'clock in the forenoon or after ten (10) o'clock in the afternoon allow or permit such real property to be used so that noise or sound which emanates therefrom, disturbs or tends to disturb the quiet, peace, rest, enjoyment, comfort, or convenience of any person or persons in the neighborhood or vicinity.

Please feel free to contact me personally for any additional information that may be required.

Sincerely,

Brian Levitt

Fishery Officer / Field Supervisor
Fisheries and Oceans Canada
Salmon Arm Field Unit
PO Box 1160, 1751 10 ave SW
Salmon Arm BC V1E 4P3
Ph: 250-804-7008
Fax: 250-804-7010

From: Ron Naidoo [<mailto:rnaidoo@walkforvalues.com>]
Sent: February-25-17 9:43 AM
To: Nancy Cooper
Subject: FW: Proclamation : Human Values Day April 24th 2017

Good Afternoon Mayor Cooper

On behalf of the Steering Committee and the large number of community volunteers at the Walk for Values, we like to express our deep gratitude to raise awareness to practice Human Values and to building the "Communities of Character". Canada is a great country and we are proud of its multiculturalism and the rich values we hold.

This is the **15th year** while we celebrate **Canada's 150 years** that we again take an important step walking together at the **Walk for Values 2017**, not for "fund" raising but taking a pledge to transform self and the community by practicing values. The Walk for Values started in 2003 when street violence took place in Malvern area of Toronto. Your support for this Walk and the proclamation of "**HUMAN VALUES DAY**" on **April 24, 2017** will bring greater awareness about human values that shape our lives and the future of our children. Please be rest assured, we will continue to work diligently to spread your message of living in harmony, caring for each other and our environment, in every city in Canada and around the world.

We have attached with this mail the following documents for your records:

- 1) A write up about the Walk for Values and how it is spreading the Values and helping us to be better citizens of this great country
- 2) Prime Minister's message from last year's event
- 3) Ontario Premier's message from last year's event
- 4) City's that issued Proclamations in the past

With your dynamic leadership, you have paved the path to a new wave of thinking, inspiring all of us to act lovingly, to do what's right for the city and the nation.

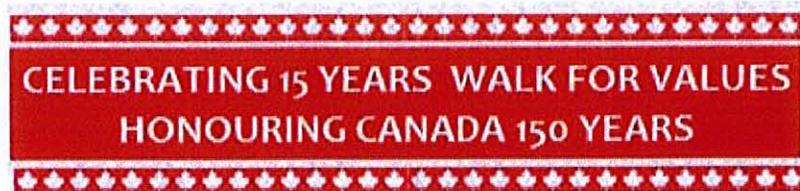
We look forward to your support in proclaiming **April 24, 2017** as the "**Human Values Day**".

Also if you have any suggestions in bringing the transformation and it will be very much appreciated. Through a separate invitation we will send to you the calendar of the Walk for Values to be held in 9 Cities across Canada.

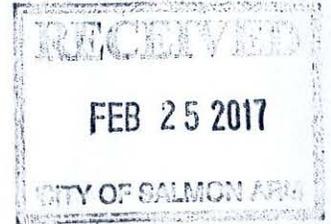
Kind regards.

Sincerely,

Ron Naidoo | rnaidoo@walkforvalues.com | phone 416 258 3708
www.walkforvalues.com | [Facebook](#) | [Twitter](#) | [Instagram](#) |



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PRIME MINISTER • PREMIER MINISTRE

June 19, 2016

Dear Friends:

I am delighted to extend my warmest greetings to everyone taking part in the 14th annual Walk for Values in Toronto.

What started as a community initiative in Malvern in 2003 has grown to an annual event in cities across Canada and around the world. Today, Canadians of all ages and from all backgrounds have taken a pledge to practice a basic human value that will enrich their personal lives and help make the world a better place. As they do so, they will have a wonderful opportunity to reflect on our blessings as a nation and on the values we hold dear: peace, freedom, respect, compassion and diversity.

I would like to commend all those walking today for their commitment to promoting unity and harmony, one step at a time. I would also like to thank the organizer, Sathya Sai School of Canada, for working together with community sponsors and volunteers to make this event such a success.

Please accept my best wishes for a memorable experience.

Sincerely,

The Rt. Hon. Justin P.J. Trudeau, P.C., M.P.
Prime Minister of Canada





Walk for Values

A Walk for me, my family and my community!



www.walkforvalues.com

Celebrating 15 Years of Walk For Values and Honouring 150 Years of Canada

What is Walk for Values?

This is a walkathon which was started in the town of Malvern, ON., in 2003 by the Parent Council of the Sathya Sai School of Canada, a private elementary school, registered with the Ontario Ministry of Education. The school's thrust is **Education in Human Values**, where the staff, parents, students and volunteers all focus on *integrating human values* into the regular curriculum.

In 2004, this Walk became a national event being conducted annually in the cities of Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary, and *Coquitlam* where representatives from Vancouver, Surrey, and Abbotsford join together with the City's Teddy Bear Parade. In 2007, it continued at Dundas Square, in downtown Toronto and in 2007, it also became *international* when it was done in Australia in 5 major cities on a national scale. Today it has spread over 4 continents in 30 major cities across the world. This is *the little Walk that grew* from just over 3000 walkers in Malvern in 2003 to over 5000 participants in 2010 at Yonge-Dundas Square, the heart of downtown Toronto, growing by the end of 2014 to an annual **international event** covering 28 major cities in 4 continents and counting! Since 2013, this Walk is being conducted from the prestigious **Nathan Phillips Square**, at Toronto City Hall.

This Walk is aimed at raising awareness of the importance of practicing **positive values** at helping in the eradication of violence, bullying, drugs, crime, disrespect and greed in our society. The uniqueness of the event is that **it is not a fundraiser**. Rather, each participant resolves to make the community richer **by pledging to practice a value of his or her choice**. In this way, it is a "walk of love" aimed at making our city, one citizen at a time, richer in our commitment to human values as a first step towards raising our social conscience.

Mission Statement

"Walk for Values" is a walk designed to raise awareness of *Human Values* and to promote individual and collective responsibility for the progress of humanity, one step at a time.

Vision Statement

A non-monetary, non-denominational event, this unique initiative, based on the five basic universal human values of Truth, Right Conduct, Peace, Love and Non-violence, is part of a global drive to seed human consciousness with timeless affirmations such as hope, kindness, patience and honesty, along with other positive values deemed integral to the sustenance and survival of mankind.

It calls for an honest self-examination from all its participants who identify areas for personal growth and pledge to practice associated values not only for self-transformation but also collectively for social, environmental and global reformation.

The Objective of the "Walk for Values"

The objective of the "Walk for Values" is to give members of the community, participating organisations and students a clearer understanding of the importance of a values-based life. Basic Human Values of truth, right conduct, peace, love and non-violence have been on the decline in our communities and our nations. We can see this in the daily reports in the newspapers, radio and TV news broadcasts. Guns, violence and drugs have infiltrated our streets, our communities and our families. By doing nothing we contribute to the increase of this decline. As responsible citizens, we simply must do something about it. This WALK is an opportunity to fulfil that responsibility in a positive way by raising the awareness of human values in our community.



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The Values we walk for are Values to live by

TRUTH - honesty, integrity, optimism, excellence

RIGHT CONDUCT - courtesy, gratitude, fairplay, perseverance, determination, responsibility, sacrifice, initiative, leadership, courage, duty, ethics

PEACE - contentment, discipline, humility, patience, satisfaction, self-control, self-confidence, self-respect, understanding, modesty

LOVE - caring, compassion, reverence, forgiveness, generosity, kindness, enthusiasm, tolerance, dedication, devotion, unity

NON-VIOLENCE - gentleness, consideration, moderation, cooperation, brotherhood, equality, cultural respect, social justice

Current Locations, touching the 4 A-continent of America, Australia, Asia and Africa:

Canada: Ottawa, Kingston, Toronto, Saskatoon, Winnipeg, Edmonton, Calgary Fort McMurray and Coquitlam.

Australia: Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Canberra, Perth and Brisbane. **USA:** New York, Austin, Houston, Dallas,

Raleigh, Seattle, Detroit, Ann Arbor, Chicago and Tempe. **India:** Chandigarh, Visakhapatnam New Delhi. **New Zealand:** Auckland. **Malaysia:** Kampala. **Hong Kong:** The city of Hong Kong. **Africa:** Cape Town and Johannesburg.

Event Highlights focusing on the Tenth Anniversary, 2013

- It's not a fund raiser, but an event to promote Human Values and Character Development.
- The only major public event that supports & promotes excellence in Character in communities
- Collection of non-perishable food items - **with goal of 10 tons** - on a **National** basis for the Food Banks across Canada
- Conducting a **National Blood Donation** drive in partnership with CBS
- Collecting new and re-usable **clothing** to be distributed to the needy
- Donated **108 Children's' beds to charity** through the agency of 'Furniture Bank'
- Colorful floats, music bands and participation by other local public schools
- Motivational keynote speakers from the various community organizations
- **"Go Green"** was the theme for 2009 and continues as an underlying goal of all events
- Promotion of family values with fun games and prizes for children
- Leaders from the three levels of Government and other community organisations lead the parade
- Ignite Partner of Pan Am Games
- Alliance Partner for Canada 150

Respectfully submitted,

Ron Naidoo (For Walk for Values, Toronto.)

Hosted by the Parent Council - Sathya Sai School, Sathya Sai International Organization, Canada
451 Ellesmere Rd., Toronto, ON., Canada M1R 4E5; T. 416-297-7970; F. 416-297-0945; www.sathyasaischool.ca
Values Without Borders!



Premier of Ontario - Première ministre de l'Ontario

June 19, 2016

A PERSONAL MESSAGE FROM THE PREMIER

On behalf of the Government of Ontario, I am delighted to extend warm greetings to everyone participating in the 14th Walk for Values.

Since its inception, the dedicated organizers of Walk for Values have inspired participants to make a conscious commitment to adopt one or more of the values of love, peace, truth, non-violence and good conduct. This event does much to raise awareness of the importance of tolerance, respect and understanding among citizens, communities and nations.

I commend everyone taking part in today's walk, as well as the organizers, sponsors and volunteers. Your participation demonstrates your commitment to making positive choices, and inspires others — of all ages and from all backgrounds — to do the same.

Please accept my sincere best wishes for a memorable and inspirational walk.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kathleen Wynne".

Kathleen Wynne
Premier

2015

Walk For Values

A walk for me, my family, and my community!

is proud to celebrate

“Walk For Values Day”

as proclaimed by the Mayors and Members of Council
in the following Canadian municipalities.



City of Edmonton
May 30th, 2015



City of Markham
May 31st, 2015



Town of Oakville
May 31st, 2015



City of Pickering
May 31st, 2015



City of Brampton
June 3rd, 2015



City of Ottawa
June 7th, 2015



City of Toronto
June 11th, 2015



City of Saskatoon
June 15-20th, 2015



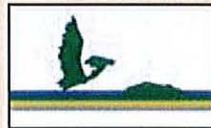
City of Oshawa
June 25th, 2015



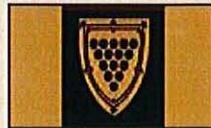
Town of Ajax
July 9th, 2015



Town of Whitchurch-Stouffville
July 16th, 2015



Cape Breton County
November 23rd, 2015



City of Cornwall
November 23rd, 2015



City of Estevan
November 23rd, 2015



Town of Gananoque
November 23rd, 2015



Town of Goderich
November 23rd, 2015



City of Nanaimo
November 23rd, 2015



Town of Parry Sound
November 23rd, 2015



Municipality of Port Hope
November 23rd, 2015



City of Prince Albert
November 23rd, 2015



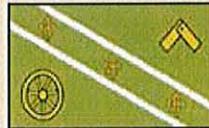
City of Quinte West
November 23rd, 2015



Town of Richmond Hill
November 23rd, 2015



City of Stratford
November 23rd, 2015



City of St. Thomas
November 23rd, 2015



City of Thunder Bay
November 23rd, 2015



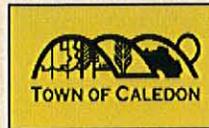
Town of Whitby
November 23rd, 2015



City of Yellowknife
November 23rd, 2015



Town of Aurora
November 26th, 2015



Town of Caledon
November 26th, 2015



City of Orillia
November 26th, 2015

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Values Without Borders!

Nancy Cooper

From: Elizabeth Murphy [emurphy@inclusionbc.org]
Sent: February-20-17 12:19 PM
To: Nancy Cooper
Subject: Help Celebrate Canada 150 Inclusively



Her Worship Nancy Cooper

City of Salmon Arm Box 40, 500 2 Ave. NE
Salmon Arm, BC
V1E 4N2

Dear Mayor Cooper:

This year Inclusion BC will present the first ever Disability Pride celebration and parade in British Columbia as part of Canada 150+. Disability crosses every demographic so on June 15th, 2017, thousands will gather to celebrate the pride we have for Canadian citizens of all abilities. Self-advocacy and family groups, youth, multi-cultural and community living organizations, the Chief Commissioner of the Canadian Human Rights Commission, Ministry of Canadian Heritage and various social movements will gather at Richmond, BC's City Hall and parade the streets moving to a location where we will host a huge pancake breakfast.

While we are excited to take it to the streets and celebrate the disability identity as part of sesquicentennial celebrations, our pride celebration is aspiring to be truly inclusive, self-determined by people with intellectual disabilities and their families, and a model of connectedness and belonging so, our celebrations are twofold. Throughout 2017 we will be giving grants to individuals, families, and community organizations to participate in existing celebrations, parades and marches in their own communities around the province. These grants will provide opportunities for people historically not included to become civically and socially engaged outside of our movement.

We are proud to lead the country in advancing a new culture of pride, strength and freedom for people with intellectual disabilities in Canada. We welcome Salmon Arm to be part of the celebrations.

In order to make the community granting dollars needed, we are asking every municipality in the province to make a contribution of \$1,000. Be an Inclusive Communities Partner with a contribution of \$1,000 and get included on our geo map at <https://www.disabilitypride.ca/> and have your local events featured. Your support will help build communities where we all belong and celebrate Canadians of all abilities throughout this anniversary year.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Faith Bodnar". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Faith Bodnar

Executive Director | Inclusion BC



From: EP.RPY / SAR.PYR (EC) [<mailto:ec.ep.rpy-sar.pyr.ec@canada.ca>]
Sent: February-22-17 2:41 PM
Subject: Proposed Recovery Strategies for Species at Risk

Hello,

Please note the following recovery documents have been posted as proposed on the Species at Risk Public Registry for a 60-day public consultation period.

- **Recovery Strategy for the Mormon Metalmark (*Apodemia mormo*) Southern Mountain Population in Canada**

The Mormon Metalmark is a butterfly found in the Similkameen Valley in the southern interior of British Columbia. It is listed as Endangered under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information and the proposed Recovery Strategy are available here:

http://www.registrelep-sararegistry.gc.ca/document/default_e.cfm?documentID=3115

- **Recovery Strategy for the Mexican Mosquito-fern (*Azolla mexicana*) in Canada**

The Mexican Mosquito-fern is a plant found in a small area in the southern interior of British Columbia. It is listed as Threatened under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information and the proposed Recovery Strategy are available here:

http://www.registrelep-sararegistry.gc.ca/document/default_e.cfm?documentID=3114

The following recovery documents will soon be posted as proposed on the Species at Risk Public Registry.

- **Recovery Strategy for Pygmy Short-Horned Lizard (*Phrynosoma douglasii*) in Canada**

The Pygmy Short-horned Lizard is a reptile that is only found near the town of Osoyoos. It is listed as Extirpated under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

http://www.sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=275

- **Recovery Strategy for Greater Sage-Grouse *phaios* subspecies (*Centrocercus urophasianus phaios*) in Canada**

The Greater Sage-Grouse is a bird that is found in the extreme south of British Columbia in the Okanagan and Similkameen Valley. It is listed as Extirpated under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

http://www.sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=291

- **Recovery Strategy for the Showy Phlox (*Phlox speciosa ssp. occidentalis*) in Canada**

The Showy Phlox is a plant found in south-central British Columbia. It is listed as Threatened under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

http://www.registrelep-sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=831

- **Recovery Strategy for the Pallid Bat (*Antrozous pallidus*) in Canada**

The Pallid Bat is found in a small area of the Okanagan Valley in southern British Columbia. It is listed as Threatened under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

http://www.sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=165#ot52

- **Recovery Strategy for the Tiger Salamander (*Ambystoma mavortium*) Southern Mountain population in Canada**

The Western Tiger Salamander, Southern Mountain Population is a salamander found in a small area in the southern Okanagan in British Columbia. It is listed as Endangered under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

https://www.registrelep-sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=697

- **Recovery Strategy for the Great Basin Spadefoot (*Pituophis catenifer deserticola*) in Canada**

The Great Basin Spadefoot is a frog found in south-central British Columbia. It is listed as Threatened under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

https://www.registrelep-sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=539

- **Management Plan for Lyall's Mariposa Lily (*Calochortus lyallii*) in British Columbia**

The Lyall's Mariposa Lily is a plant found in the Southern interior of British Columbia. It is listed as Threatened under the *Species at Risk Act*. Further information regarding the species is available here:

http://www.sararegistry.gc.ca/species/speciesDetails_e.cfm?sid=675

Thank you for your continued interest and participation in recovery planning for species at risk. Should you have any comments or questions please contact us at:

Conservation Planning Unit

Canadian Wildlife Service / Pacific Region

Environment and Climate Change Canada / Government of Canada

5421 Robertson Road, Delta, BC, V4K 3N2

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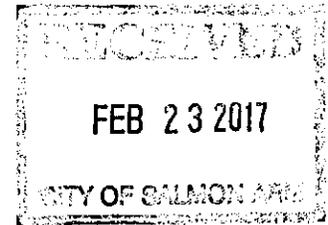


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February 21, 2017

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City of Salmon Arm
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Dear Mayor Nancy Cooper and Council:

RE: Highway Maintenance

JPW Road & Bridge Inc. (JPW) has been maintaining the Provincial highways and bridges in the Okanagan-Shuswap Service Area for the past four years. You are major stakeholders in this area and we are interested in your input and feedback. If you have any concerns related to maintenance of the highway system in your area please feel free to send us a letter or email us with your comments to joe@jpwrbc.ca or if you prefer, call us directly at 250-546-3765. If you would like to meet to discuss these or any other issues with which you feel we may be able to help, please let us know.

Please note that comments or questions related to standards, construction, rehabilitation, policy or regulations are outside our scope and are better directed to the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Joe P. Wrobel". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large loop at the end.

Joe P. Wrobel, P. Eng., G.S.C.
President & General Manager



DISTRICT OF COLDSTREAM

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"Rural Living At Its Best"

February 22, 2017

File: 0230-20 SILGA 2017 Resolution

The Honourable Christy Clark, M.L.A.
Premier of British Columbia
PO BOX 9041 STN PROV GOVT
Victoria BC V8W 9E1

VIA EMAIL: premier@gov.bc.ca

Dear Premier Clark:

Re: Provincial Private Moorage Program

At their meeting held February 14, 2017, The District of Coldstream Council adopted the following resolution:

THAT the Ministry of Forest, Lands and Natural Resource Operations amend the Provincial General Permission for the Use of Crown Land for Private Moorage to explicitly require that a General Permission for private moorage requires compliance with any local government regulation pertaining to the construction, placement and use of private moorage;

AND THAT Front Counter BC reinstate its practice of referring Private Moorage applications to municipalities;

AND FURTHER THAT if the Ministry does not amend the Provincial General Permission for the Use of Crown Land for Private Moorage, that the Thompson Okanagan area be designated an "Application Only Area".

The District has forwarded this resolution to the Southern Interior Local Government Association to seek support at the 2017 Annual Convention with the intention of presenting this resolution at the 2017 UBCM Convention. The District hopes that you will support our efforts to ensure that local government requirements are protected as they relate to the construction of docks in our communities.

Yours truly,

Jim Garlick
Mayor

ENCL. 2017 SILGA Resolution and Background Information

Pc:

- Eric Foster M.L.A. Vernon-Monashee, via email eric.foster.MLA@leg.bc.ca
- Honourable Steve Thomson, Minister of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operation, via email FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca
- Greg Kockx, Manager Land Tenures Branch, Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, via email Greg.Kockx@gov.bc.ca
- UBCM Member Municipalities

RESOLUTION TO THE

Southern Interior Local Government Association

(SILGA)

Provincial Private Moorage Program

District of Coldstream

WHEREAS the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations has amended the private moorage program permitting residential docks to be authorized under a "General Permission" rather than an application-driven Crown land tenure;

AND WHEREAS residential docks authorized under a "General Permission" will not require a referral to the local government for compliance with local government requirements:

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations amend the Provincial General Permission for the Use of Crown Land for Private Moorage to explicitly require that a General Permission for private moorage requires compliance with any local government regulation pertaining to the construction, placement and use of private moorage;

AND THAT Front Counter BC reinstate its practice of referring Private Moorage applications to municipalities;

AND FURTHER THAT if the Ministry does not amend the Provincial General Permission for the Use of Crown Land for Private Moorage, that the Thompson Okanagan area be designated an "Application Only Area".

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Under the previous process applications for a dock approval included a form of tenure for the area of the waterbody where the dock was to be located. Previously a person would receive tenure over the area, usually for a ten-year period of time. Through that process the local government would receive a referral to confirm compliance with use and dock dimensions. If the local government's requirements were satisfied and the dock met provincial guidelines, tenure would be granted and the dock permitted.

Under the new General Permission standards, tenure is not granted; the property owner has the right to install a dock on the water provided it meets the provincial guidelines.

One of the conditions to comply with the General Permission is that the dock has to comply with any local government requirements. Unfortunately there is no check at the provincial level to see if it complies, nor is there a referral to the local government for comments.

When an application is submitted to the province, provided it meets provincial requirements and environmental criteria, the owner will be advised that they can construct the dock. That approval is conditional to the dock meeting local government requirements.

The onus is then on the property owner to check with the local government to make sure the local government requirements are met.

This creates a scenario where people will believe they have what they need once the province "signs off" and may not check with the local government for their requirements.

It would be better for all parties if the province were to continue to refer applications to the local government prior to allowing the General Permission.

From: Toperczer, Richard E JTST:EX [<mailto:Richard.Toperczer@gov.bc.ca>]
Sent: March 3, 2017 9:58 AM
To: Nancy Cooper
Cc: Carl Bannister; 'Lana Fitt'
Subject: RE: International Trade and Investment Representatives - Coming to Vernon - March 17th

Good Morning Mayor Cooper.

Please accept this note as an invitation for yourself and your council who are welcome to attend.

As you likely know, the BC Ministry of International Trade staffs offices around the world to serve BC businesses and assist them with trade and investment opportunities.

I am pleased to invite you to come and meet with eight of our international trade and investment representatives in Vernon on March 17th at the Prestige Hotel. The last opportunity to meet some of these folks (located overseas) was four years ago.

The Ministry of International Trade's, Managing Directors for: Japan, China, East China, Korea, India, Philippines, Indonesia, Malaysia and USA will be making the trip to Vernon and look forward to meeting with local businesses and organizations.

Ministry of International Trade staff will make short presentations on international market opportunities and be available for you to have one on one business meetings directly with them.

This opportunity might be relevant for you if:

- you have ever been interested in exporting your product or service to international markets
- you are interested to explore some key international markets and sector opportunities within them
- you are interested in foreign direct investment or partnership
- or just wanting to learn more about the potential for your business in a global economy.

Please see the attached invitation, program agenda for the day and trade representative bios.

If you interested in attending and/or booking a 15 minute one on one meeting directly with the managing directors, please RSVP to:

Kevin Poole by March 8th.
250-550-3249 or kpoole@vernon.ca

If you have any further questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Thanks,

Richard Toperczer
Regional Manager | Economic Development
Ministry of Jobs, Tourism and Skills Training
2501 - 14th Avenue | Vernon, BC | V1T 8Z1
Phone: 250-550-2204 | Fax: 250-549-5485
Cell: 250-540-8133

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The Ministry of International Trade & Ministry of Jobs, Tourism and Skills Training

And our local partners invite you to meet with the BC Trade and Investment Representatives from Japan, China, Korea, India, Southeast Asia and the USA in a special program

BC Trade and Investment: Opportunities and our Services Abroad

March 17, 2017

9:30 AM – 3:30 PM

Prestige Hotel Vernon and Conference Centre

4411 – 32nd Street, Vernon

One-on-One Business Meetings

1:30 PM – 3:30 PM

If you are currently active in markets abroad, seeking investment partners, or looking to develop or expand your exports, join us to learn more about opportunities in specific international markets and what our BC Trade and Investment Representatives can do for you.

RSVP and book meetings by March 8, 2017

Kevin Poole

City of Vernon Economic Development

(250) 550-3249 or kpoole@vernon.ca



Program	
09:30 AM – 10:00 AM	Registration
10:00 AM – 10:15 AM	Introductions and Welcoming Remarks
10:15 AM – 10:30 AM	Northern Okanagan Overview
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM	BC Trade and Investment Representative Presentations and Q&A Session BC Trade and Investment Representatives will give an overview on investment and export opportunities in their geographic market, followed by a Q&A session.
12:00 PM – 1:30 PM	Networking Lunch
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM	One-on-One Business Meetings with the BC Trade and Investment Representatives 15-minute meetings between individual Trade and Investment Representatives and export-ready companies seeking to increase exports, open new markets or attract foreign direct investment. Please book your meeting with Kevin at City of Vernon.

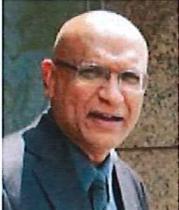
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	<p>Avrom (Avi) Salsberg – Managing Director, Japan</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Aerospace ▪ Agrifoods ▪ Clean Technology ▪ Digital Media ▪ Information and Communication Technologies (ICT) ▪ Forestry ▪ International Education ▪ Mining ▪ Natural Gas (LNG)
	<p>Kevin Tsui – Managing Director, China</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Aerospace ▪ Agrifoods ▪ Clean Technology ▪ Financial Services ▪ Forestry ▪ ICT ▪ International Education ▪ Life Sciences ▪ Mining ▪ Natural Gas ▪ Tourism
	<p>Mu-Qing Huang – Business Development Manager, East China</p> <p>Specialist in</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ ICT ▪ Infrastructure and Transportation ▪ Financial and Professional Services
	<p>Luke Shim – Managing Director, Korea</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Aerospace ▪ Agrifoods & Consumer Products ▪ Clean Technology ▪ Forestry ▪ ICT and Digital Media ▪ Infrastructure & Services ▪ International Education ▪ Ocean Technology ▪ Mining ▪ Natural Gas
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	<p>Eva Yazon– Managing Director, the Philippines</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Agrifoods ▪ ICT ▪ Infrastructure ▪ International Education
	<p>Vira Soekardiman – Managing Director, Indonesia</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Aerospace ▪ Agrifoods ▪ ICT (ie. smart city technologies) ▪ International Education ▪ Ocean Technology
	<p>Bala Murali – Managing Director, Malaysia</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Agrifoods ▪ Clean Technology ▪ Financial Services ▪ Forestry ▪ ICT ▪ International Education ▪ Natural Gas (LNG) ▪ Tourism
	<p>Will Fox – Managing Director, USA</p> <p>Sector Focus</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Aerospace ▪ Agrifoods and Agritech ▪ Clean Technology ▪ Digital Media ▪ Finance/Fintech ▪ ICT ▪ Life Sciences

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