

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

BETWEEN

AND

LHTAKO DENE NATION ("Lhtako")

THE CITY OF QUESNEL (the "City")
(each a "Party" and collectively the "Parties")

THIS MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING ("MOU") IS DATED FOR REFERENCE THE 20TH DAY OF JUNE, 2017.

WHEREAS:

- A. Lhtako and the City have a common interest in cooperative intergovernmental relations.
- B. Lhtako and the City have engaged in meaningful dialogue with a view towards seeking partnership opportunities based on mutual respect, recognition, and reconciliation.
- C. Lhtako and the City recognize that working together pursuant to a cooperative government-to-government relationship will facilitate the sharing of information, improve communications and establish substantial and worthwhile projects and procedures to promote cooperative relationship building.

NOW THEREFORE,

The Parties have entered into this Memorandum of Understanding dated June 20, 2017 (the "MOU"), to attest to their mutual commitment to promote cooperative relationship building.

PRINCIPLES

The Lhtako and the City will recognize the following principles in dealing with each other:

- That the Lhtako have occupied their traditional territory for millennia and continue to do so;
- Mutual respect for each Party's respective areas of jurisdictions;
- Mutual respect for each Party's mandates and policies and that this Memorandum does not fetter the individual mandates and policies of the Parties;
- Cooperation in the exchange, development and distribution of information that is relevant to the establishment and consolidation of the relationship between Parties;
- Collaborative actions in the development and implementation of meaningful projects of mutual interest; and
- Acknowledgement that good relations between neighbours are required for all citizens to benefit.

GENERAL OBJECTIVES

The Lhtako and the City have the following mutual objectives:

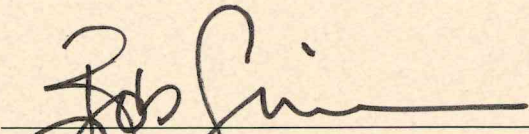
- Promote understanding of functions, responsibilities and interests of both Parties, both locally and in a province wide context, including participation in each other's events where possible;
- Provide opportunities for relationship building between Parties, such as through regular scheduled meetings, which allow dialogue between community leaders on areas of common interest. This may include economic development, natural resource management, efficient and affordable service delivery and cooperative land use planning where possible; and
- Encourage and promote effective methods of dispute resolution between the Parties.

TERM AND TERMINATION

The Parties acknowledge and agree that this MOU will take effect upon the adoption of authorizing resolutions by the Council of the City and the Council of the Lhtako and will remain in effect unless terminated by either Party on at least thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other Party.

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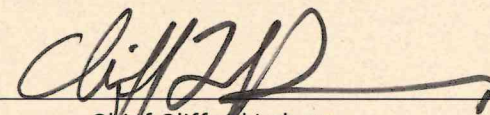
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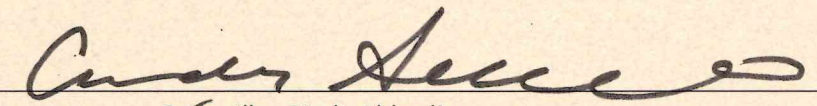
Mayor Bob Simpson



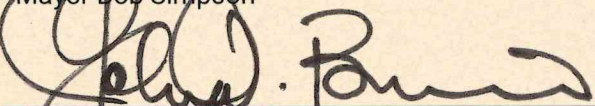
Councillor Ron Paull



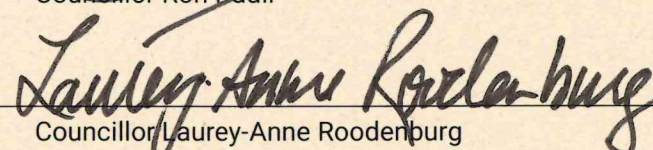
Chief Clifford Lebrun



Councillor Cindy Aldred



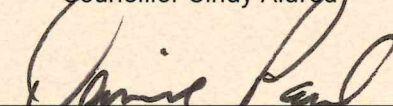
Councillor John Brisco



Councillor Laurey-Anne Roodenburg



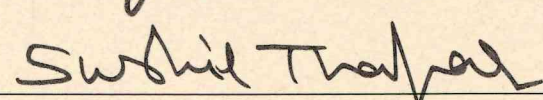
Councillor Wanda Aldred



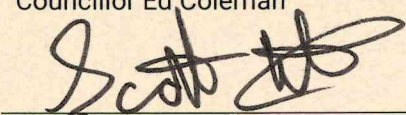
Councillor Denise Paul



Councillor Ed Coleman



Councillor Sushil Thapar



Councillor Scott Elliott