



PEACE RIVER REGIONAL DISTRICT

# Board Newsletter

Meeting Date: November 23, 2017

Location: Dawson Creek

## Delegations

### Peace Liard Regional Arts Council

PLRAC gifted the board:

Lil Cowboy  
watercolour  
by Carla  
Hauber



Sue Popesku, Donna Kane and Kit Fast thanked the Board for their ongoing support of arts, culture and heritage in Northeast BC since 1982. They reported on five major projects undertaken in 2017 to celebrated both the arts and the 75th Anniversary of the Alaska Highway including: a song competition resulting in an Alaska Highway Songs CD that was sold around the region and the Alaska Highway Trencher project. The Council plans to introduce a northern literary festival in 2018.

## NDIT



Joel McKay, Chief Executive Officer and Derek Baker, Director of Economic

Development presented to the Board regarding Economic Development in the region and how NDIT can assist the PRRD through grant programs such as the Economic Development Capacity Building program and/or grant writing support. Healthy economies help foster healthy communities through an increased tax base, improved local infrastructure, job creation, business retention and expansion, community resiliency through diversification, productive and highest value use of property, improved quality of life, and building a cohesive regional vision.

## Agricultural Land Reserve Applications

The Regional Board authorized that the Loewen application proceed to the ALC.

## December Regional Board Meeting

The Regional Board meeting to be held on Friday, December 8th at the Northern Grand Hotel, Plaza Room, 9830 100 Avenue, Fort St. John will begin at 1:00 p.m., not 2:00 p.m. as previously advised.

## Electoral Area Roundtable Meetings

### Area D



Come talk to Director Leonard Hiebert, ask questions, share ideas for projects in the community and chat about community issues important to you.

#### Roundtable meetings and times:

December 5th | 7-9pm | Farmington Hall ←

December 6th | 7-9pm | Cutbank Hall

December 12th | 7-9pm | Doe River Hall ←

December 14th | 7-9pm | Toms Lake Hall ←

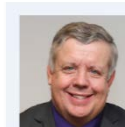
### Area C



#### Rescheduled Roundtable Meeting

December 13th - 7-9 - Charlie Lake Hall

### Area E



Nov 27- 7-9 pm - Jackfish Hall

Dec 4 - 7- 9pm - Chetwynd Recreation Centre

Dec 11- 7-9 - McLeod Hall

Please watch the PRRD Webpage and Facebook page for meeting cancellations due to weather.

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Next PRRD  
Board Meeting:

December 8, 2017

Fort St John

Northern Grand starting at 1 pm

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