



## NOVEMBER 21 BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

### Regional District Elects Chair and Vice-Chair for 2020

The Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako Board re-elected Director Gerry Thiessen (District of Vanderhoof) to the position of Chair and Director Mark Parker (Electoral Area 'D' (Fraser Lake Rural)) to the position of Vice-Chair for 2020.

### Bylaws for Adoption

The following bylaws were adopted: Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako Electoral Areas' Parks and Trails Establishment Bylaw and Regional District of Bulkley-Nechako Emergency Program Service Establishment Amendment Bylaw.

### Applies to UBCM's Community Emergency Preparedness Fund's Indigenous Cultural Safety and Cultural Humility Training

The Regional Board is applying to UBCM's Community Emergency Preparedness Fund's Indigenous Cultural Safety and Cultural Humility Training for facilitation of two 1-day Indigenous Cultural Awareness Workshop sessions at Northern Emergency Support Services Training (NESST) Conference in April 2020. Information regarding NESST 2020 can be found at <https://www.nesst.ca/>.

### 2020 RDBN Meeting Schedule

The Board of Directors ratified its meeting schedule for 2020. [RDBN 2020 Board Schedule](#). If your organization would like to appear as a delegate at any RDBN meeting, please fill out a Delegation Request Form for consideration. [RDBN Delegation Request Form](#).

### Grant in Aid

- \$1,700 from each of Electoral Areas 'B' (Burns Lake Rural), 'C' (Fort St. James Rural), 'D' (Fraser Lake Rural), 'E' (Francois/Ootsa Lake Rural) and 'F' (Vanderhoof Rural) to the Nechako Watershed Roundtable.

### Electoral Area 'C' (Fort St. James Rural)

- \$2,000 to the Fort St. James Sled Dog Association for the 2020 Caledonia Classic Sled Dog Races
- \$750 to the Fort St. James Secondary Sr Boys Soccer Team for the Provincial Championships in Burnaby, B.C.

### Electoral Area 'D' (Fraser Lake Rural)

- \$223.99 for the Fraser Lake Business Expo draw prize
- \$1,000 to the Fraser Lake Elementary Secondary School Studies 11 Class for a Parliamentary Tour

**Grant in Aid (cont'd)**

**Electoral Area 'E' (Francois/Ootsa Lake Rural)**

- \$1,000 for a First Nations Working Lunch

**Electoral Area 'F' (Vanderhoof Rural)**

- \$1,000 to Connexus Community Resources for the Seniors' Christmas Dinner
- \$4,000 to Nechako Valley Rodeo Association for the 7<sup>th</sup> Annual Rodeo

**Electoral Area 'G' (Houston Rural)**

- \$2,500 to A Rocha Canada – Northern BC Project for a portable generator and stereo microscope.

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**MUNICIPALITIES:**

SMITHERS  
VANDERHOOF  
HOUSTON  
BURNS LAKE

FORT ST. JAMES  
FRASER LAKE  
TELKWA  
GRANISLE

**ELECTORAL AREAS:**

A - SMITHERS RURAL  
B - BURNS LAKE RURAL  
C - FORT ST. JAMES RURAL  
D - FRASER LAKE RURAL

E - FRANCOIS/OOTSA LAKE RURAL  
F - VANDERHOOF RURAL  
G - HOUSTON RURAL

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