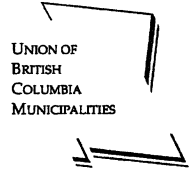


AGREEMENT ON COMMUNICATIONS AND COOPERATION



Between the
UNION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA MUNICIPALITIES (UBCM)
and the
LANDS ADVISORY BOARD, BC CHIEFS (LAB)

WHEREAS:

The BC signatories to the Framework Agreement on First Nations Land Management have the ability, under the First Nations Land Management Act, to manage their Indian Reserve lands;

B.C. local governments, through provincial legislation, have the ability to manage lands within their jurisdiction;

First Nations and local governments share an interest in compatible uses of adjacent lands and efficient provision of services to their residents;

THEREFORE:

1. We the undersigned agree that it is in the mutual interest of neighbouring local governments and First Nations to regularly communicate on land use planning and servicing issues, and to encourage coordinated and orderly land development and efficient provision of services to all communities in BC; and that
2. The following signatory First Nations will continue to work with UBCM to explore options to

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