

## **2019 UBCM Convention – Series of Resolutions Articles**

### **Article #8 - When can one Speak to a Resolution?**

Only UBCM member local government/First Nations elected officials are allowed to speak to resolutions. In order to ensure only elected officials speak, each speaker must announce their name, elected office and local government/First Nation, prior to making their comments.

When a resolution is introduced for individual consideration, an elected official from the sponsor local government/First Nation may speak for up to 3 minutes to introduce and explain their resolution.

Members may speak for up to 2 minutes at either a Pro or Con mic, either in favour or against a resolution.

Speakers may speak only once on a resolution, or until all others wishing to speak, have had a chance to do so.

At the Chair's discretion, debate on an individual resolution may be wrapped up, even if there are speakers still wanting to speak, if there has already been extensive discussion on the particular resolution. This allows members the chance to consider all of the resolutions submitted for debate.

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