



Regional Prosperity Initiative

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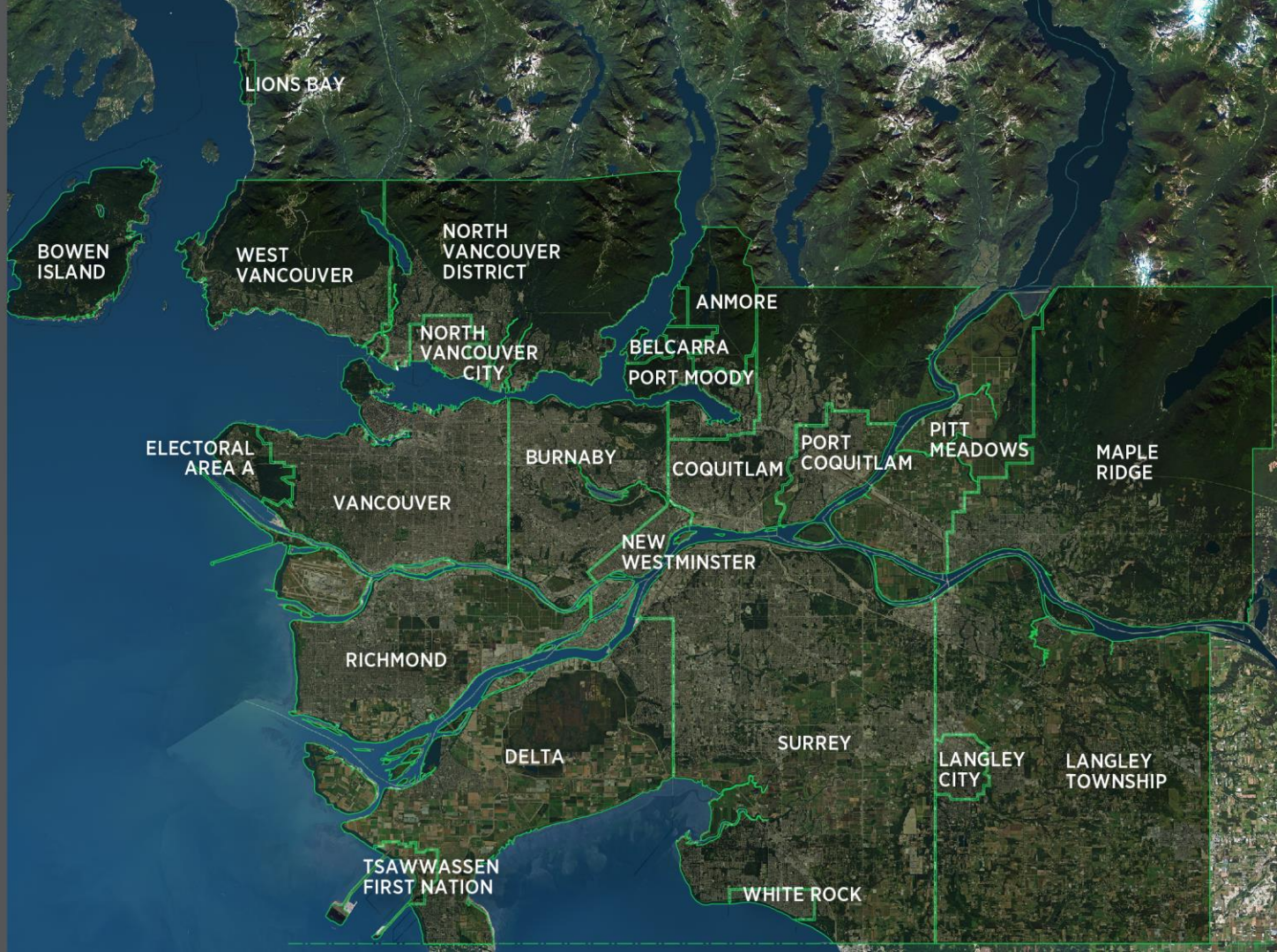
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Regional District Chairs & CAOs Forum

Metro Vancouver

A regional district
comprised of
21 municipalities
one Electoral Area
and one Treaty First Nation



Metro Vancouver Services

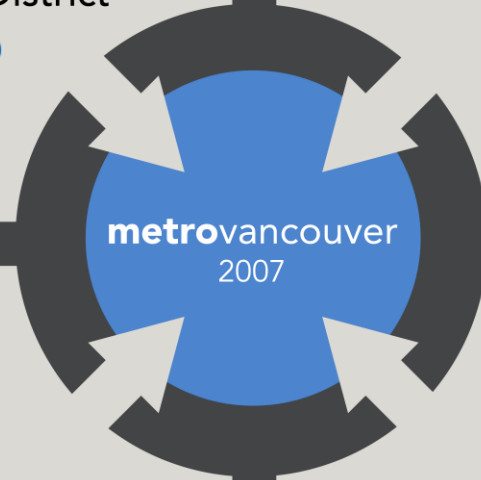
GREATER VANCOUVER
Sewerage and
Drainage District
GVS&DD
1914

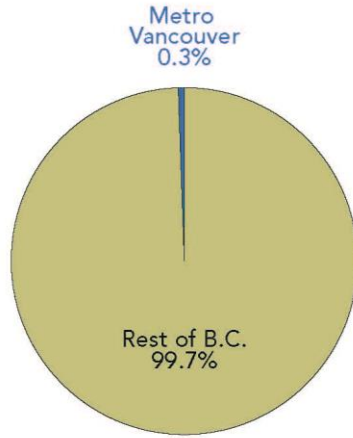
GREATER VANCOUVER
Water District
GVWD
1924

metrovancouver
2007

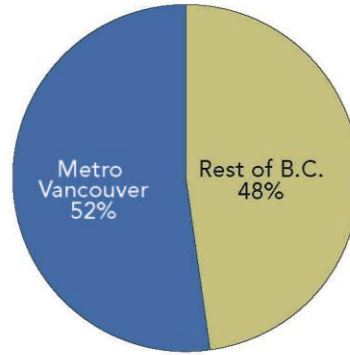
METRO
VANCOUVER
Housing Corporation
MVHC
1974

GREATER
VANCOUVER
Regional District
GVRD
1967

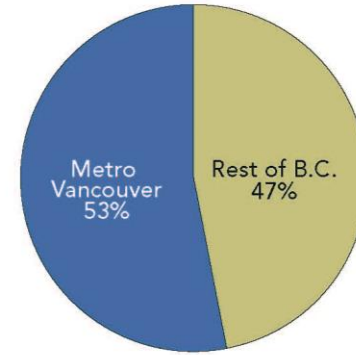




Land Base



Population



Gross Domestic Product

A Dynamic Metropolitan Region



Regional Prosperity Initiative

Past Attempts at regional economic development have failed

- Greater Vancouver Economic Partnership (1999-2005)
 - initiated by private sector to attract new business and investment

- Metro Vancouver Commerce (2007-2011)
 - coalition of municipalities to capture profile of the region in advance of 2010 Winter Olympics



WATER
CHALLENGES: 2015-2019 AND BEYOND

- CapMetro follow-up project
- Develop Great Hall usage
- Transportation/port/energy infrastructure projects

Welcome to
Metro Vancouver

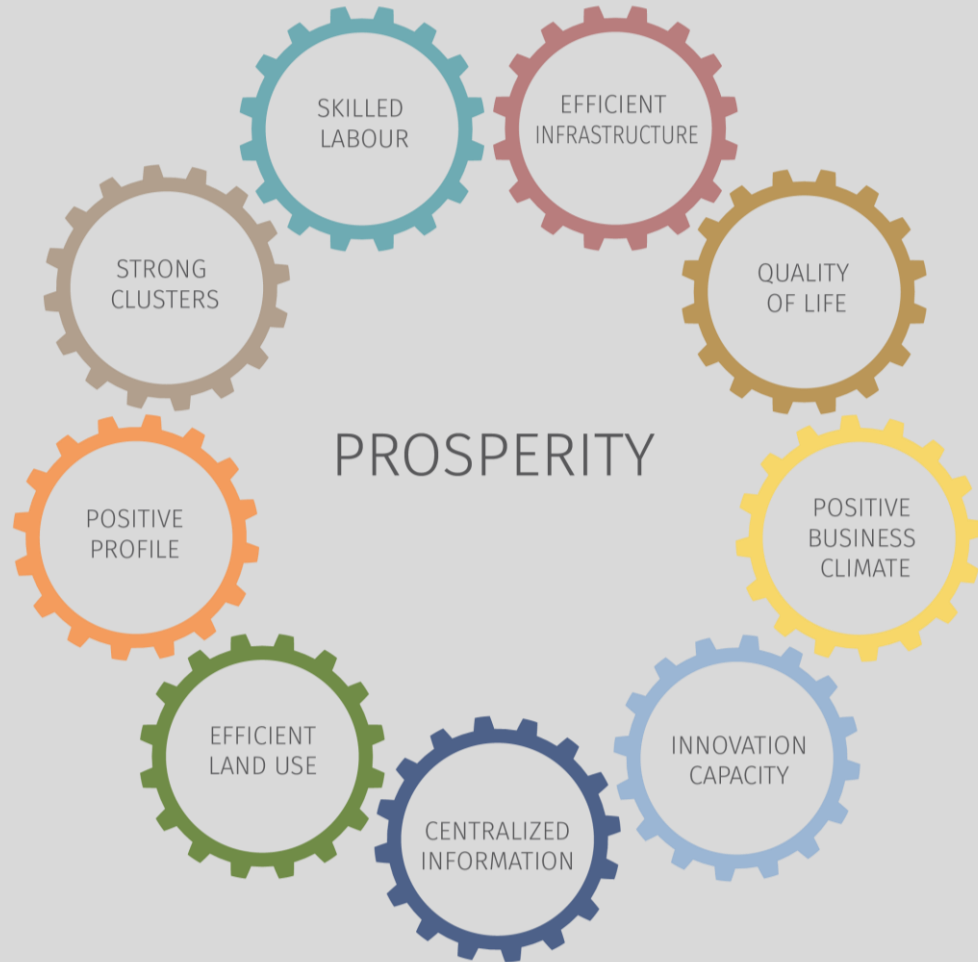
Acting as a Regional Forum: Chair's Task Force on Regional Economy



Framework for a
**Regional
Prosperity
Initiative**
in Metro Vancouver

Collaboration is the key to
success

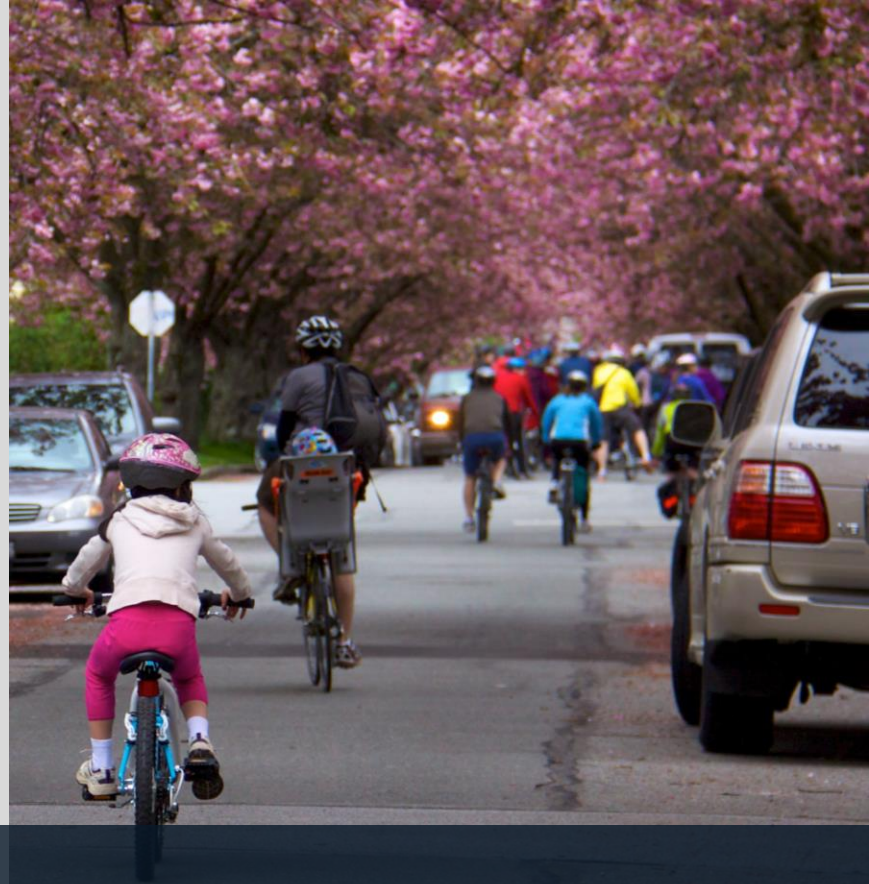






Regional Prosperity Forum – April 27, 2016

- Interim Steering Committee
 - Mission/vision, terms of reference, governance and funding model
 - Timeline
- Convene a dialogue to contribute to development of scope and priorities



Roadmap for a Prosperous Future



City of Burnaby



City of Port Coquitlam



City of Vancouver



Ridge Meadows Recycling Society



Saskatchewan Waste Reduction Council



Strathcona BIA



Construction Resource Initiatives Council



ECODAS



Globe Group



Where Great Floors Begin



SymbiAudit



Green Chair Recycling



Halifax Regional Municipality



Town of Cochrane



Township of Langley



Vancouver Board of Education



Immautec



Kwanden Student Association



London Drugs



Food Banks Canada



BRITISH COLUMBIA

Ministry of Environment



PAC Next



Recycling Council of Alberta



Recycling Council of BC



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NATIONAL ZERO WASTE COUNCIL



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SERVICES AND SOLUTIONS FOR A LIVABLE REGION