



## Revelstoke Board of Education

### Indigenous Education Advisory Committee Meeting March 5<sup>th</sup>, 2020

#### Minutes

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***We would like to acknowledge and honour the four nations  
on whose traditional land we live and learn:  
the Sinixt, the Ktunaxa, the Secwepemc, and the Syilx.***

Called to order at 4:00 pm.

In attendance: Chantal Wilson, Lissa Cancilla-Sykes, Erin England, Sarah Zimmer, Greg Kenyon, and Mike Hooker

Regrets: Lisa Moore, Marlene Krug and Bryanna MacLaren

1. Agenda Additions
  - The Revelstoke Teachers' Association is moving to create an Indigenous Education Committee Chair. Release time will be attached to the position.
  - Erin England will be attending the Indigenous Math Symposium on March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
2. A review of the February 6<sup>th</sup>, 2020 Indigenous Education Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes:
  - No errors or omissions
3. Equity Scan
  - An update on the move from an Enhancement Agreement to Board Policy and Equity Scan process was provided.
  - Mike Hooker advised that he had a conference call with Joseph Heslip, Lead, Equity in Action Project. Mr. Heslip is very supportive of the process to take place here in Revelstoke and plans were made to connect at the Indigenous Provincial Gathering taking place on April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020.
4. Day of Learning and Indigenous Education Planning Group
  - Field trips to Trout Creek are being coordinated with a Shaman.
  - Details of the trees to be planted are being finalized.
  - The Indigenous Connections class will meet twice with each of the seven elementary school classes involved. They will teach games, tell stories and focus on the White Pine.

- The dates for the Day of Learning at each of the elementary schools are, May 21<sup>st</sup> 2020 at Arrow Heights Elementary Schools, May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 at Begbie View Elementary School and May 27<sup>th</sup>, 2020 at Columbia Park Elementary School
5. Update on Meeting with Code Morigeau, Director of the Ktunaxa Nation Council's Education and Employment Sector
- Tentative plans have been made for Lisa Cancilla Sykes, Lisa Moore and Greg Kenyon to attend the Council's meeting on April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2020 in Cranbrook.
6. Reports:
- Marlene Krug and Lisa Moore were unable to attend the meeting.
  - Lissa Cancilla-Sykes has assisted elementary teachers and is assisting with the showing of a Sinixt film at Revelstoke Secondary School (date to TBA).
7. Adjourned:
- Next meeting dates (all at 4:00 pm at the School Board Office, Upper Meeting Room):
- May 7<sup>th</sup>, 2020
  - June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2020