

CVRD Strategic Planning Workshop
Thursday, October 17, 2019
11:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday, October 18, 2019
8:30 am - 2:00 pm
Vancouver Island Visitor Centre
3607 Small Road, Cumberland, BC

11:30 am – 11:50 am	Welcome & introductions		Chair Bob Wells
	Strategic planning process		Russell Dyson CAO
	Review of agenda		Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
	What do we hope to accomplish at this workshop?		
11:50 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch		
12:30 pm – 1:30 pm	Keynote speaker		George Abbott
1:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Group Exercise – Turning	over the page	Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
2:00 pm – 2:20 pm	Strategic Planning – how it helps you How the Regional Growth Strategy can help you		Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
	How we work together –		
	External factors beyond your control		
	What is in your plan now		
2:20 pm – 2:35 pm	Are your strategic drivers the right ones? Do they		Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
	encompass your aspirations? What do they mean?		
	Climate crisis		
	 Indigenous relations 		
	 Sustainability (economic, social, 		
	environmental)		
2:35 pm – 2:50 pm	Break		
2:50 pm – 3:00 pm	CVRD Future Directions – instructions and discussion		Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
	questions for each service area		
	What outcomes do we want to see in this		
	service area?		
	 Are there other outcomes the strategic drivers 		
	generate?		
	Climate crisis		
	Indigenous rel	ations	
	Sustainability	(economic, social,	
	environmental)		
3:00 pm – 3:20 pm	Recreation – Plenary		Jenn Zbinden Senior Manager of Recreation Services
3:20 pm – 3:40 pm	Regional Water Supply - Plenary		Marc Rutten General Manager of
			Engineering Services Branch
			Small groups
3:40 pm – 4:25 pm	RGS region wide planning		Scott Smith General Manager of Planning
	Group 1	Group 2	& Development
	Daniel Arbour	Will Cole-Hamilton	Alana Mullaly Senior Manager of
	David Frisch	Ken Grant	Sustainability and RGS
	Jesse Ketler	Edwin Grieve	Small groups
	Maureen Swift Bob Wells	Wendy Morin Arzeena Hamir	
4:25 pm – 4:30 pm	Wrap up and sneak peek a		

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			Strategic Planning Workshop Friday, October 18, 2019 Vancouver Island Visitor Centre 3607 Small Road, Cumberland, BC
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Coffee & light refreshments		
9:00 am – 9:15 am	Thursday recap Reflections on yesterday's discussions Instructions		Allison Habkirk, Facilitator
9:15 am – 9:45 am	CVRD Finance & Administration		Beth Dunlop Corporate Financial
	Group 1 Edwin Grieve Arzeena Hamir Jesse Ketler Maureen Swift Bob Wells	Group 2 Daniel Arbour Will Cole-Hamilton David Frisch Ken Grant Wendy Morin	Officer James Warren General Manager Corporate Services Small groups
9:45 am – 10:15 am	Transit		Scott Smith General Manager of
	Group 1 David Frisch Edwin Grieve Jesse Ketler Wendy Morin Maureen Swift	Group 2 Daniel Arbour Will Cole-Hamilton Ken Grant Arzeena Hamir Bob Wells	Planning & Development Small groups
10:15 am – 10:30 am	Break		
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Regional Emergency Services		Doug DeMarzo General Manager or
	Group 1 Daniel Arbour Ken Grant Edwin Grieve Wendy Morin Bob Wells	Group 2 Will Cole-Hamilton David Frisch Arzeena Hamir Jesse Ketler Maureen Swift	Community Services Branch Howie Siemens Comox Valley Emergency Program Coordinator Small Groups
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Sewage Treatment		Kris LaRose Senior Manager of Water / Wastewater Services Darry Monteith Manager of Liquid Waste Planning Comox & Courtenay
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Electoral Areas Services and Parks		James Warren General Manager Corporate Services Doug DeMarzo General Manager Community Services Branch EA Directors
11:45 am – 12:30 pm	Lunch		
12:30 pm – 2:00 pm	Contingency time So, where did we get to? Next steps		

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GROUP EXERCISE & GROUP DISCUSSION INSTRUCTIONS:

Day 1 Group exercise: Working together and turning over the page

Instructions

- There is a large piece of paper on the floor.
- Board members are asked to go stand on the piece of a paper.
- Once everyone is on the paper your task is to turn the paper over.
- The rules are no one may step off the sheet, and no lifting or carrying other people.

Group Discussions: CVRD Services Future Directions

The purpose of the group discussions is to generate "key outcomes" the Board wants to see in each of the service areas. These will form the foundation building blocks for the CVRD Strategic Plan.

Each group discussion will start with a presentation on the service purpose, scope, current projects, future projects and questions. (5 mins.)

The Directors, in small groups, are asked to focus on two discussion questions (15-20 mins):

- What outcomes and priorities do we want to see in this service area?
- Are there other outcomes the strategic drivers (Climate crisis, Indigenous relations, Sustainability (economic, social, environmental) generate?

Example: Regional Water Supply

As an example, the discussion on Regional Water supply might generate the following:

What outcomes and priorities do we want to see in this service area?

- A safe water supply
- An adequate water supply to accommodate current and future demands
- Water conservation (reduction of per capita usage)
- Resiliency to climate change
- Adequate, maintained, reliable and resilient infrastructure

What outcomes will the strategic drivers (Climate crisis, Indigenous relations, Sustainability (economic, social, environmental) generate?

- Water conservation reduction of per capita usage
- Resiliency to climate change
- Adequate, maintained, reliable and resilient infrastructure
- Affordable water

The groups will be asked to briefly report out on their discussions (5 mins)

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