

NCLGA BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING HIGHLIGHTS – SEPTEMBER 2024

The NCLGA Board of Directors Meeting was held on September 15, 2024, in Vancouver, BC, during which updates were provided on operations and the President's activities, advocacy efforts, UBCM participation and the Area Association Luncheon, and the upcoming Mental Health and Addiction Symposium.

Operations and President's Update

President Judy Greenaway provided updates on recent activities and meetings engaged in since the last Board meeting, following which Executive Director Terry Robert informed of ongoing activities by staff related to NCLGA operations. Logistics regarding the NCLGA Area Association luncheon on September 18, 2024, at the UBCM Conference in Vancouver, BC were reviewed, and the Board discussed meetings scheduled and potential advocacy efforts at the Conference.

Mental Health and Addictions Symposium

Updates were provided related to the planning of the Mental Health and Addiction Symposium, being co-hosted by the NCLGA, the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation, the City of Prince George, and the Regional District of Fraser-Fort George. This including registration, agenda development, possible presenters, and venue logistics. Discussion was also held on the promotion of the Symposium to increase registration and sponsorship opportunities.

Advocacy Discussion

The NCLGA Board of Directors discussed advocacy letters that have been distributed to initiate discussions with Ministers related to the Resolutions approved at the Annual General Meeting in May 2024 in Smithers, BC. Scheduling of meetings and distribution of further advocacy letters to discuss priority resolutions will recommence following the Federal election.

OTHER UPDATES

Mental Health and Addictions Symposium

The Mental Health and Addictions Symposium, being co-hosted by the NCLGA, the Lheidli T'enneh First Nation, the City of Prince George, and the Regional District of Fraser-Fort George on November 13 and 14, 2024, at the Prince George Conference and Civic Centre.

For information on the Symposium, please check our website here: <https://www.nclga.ca/news-and-events/mental-health-and-addictions-symposium>.

To register, please click: <https://www.civicinfo.bc.ca/event/2024/NCLGA-Health>.

NCLGA Webinar

The NCLGA is hosting a webinar on October 24, 2024 (12:00 – 1:00 p.m. PDT), titled, "Updating Leadership on the Current Toxic Drug Crisis." This webinar will be presented by Andrea Derban and Janine Stevenson from Community Action Initiative.

Click to register for this free webinar:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_589F1o57QECuOdyeyqvV7w#/registration

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