

District of Mackenzie

COUNCIL MEMBER ACTIVITY REPORT

To: Mayor and Council
From: Councilor Wright
Date: **Early April**
Subject: Report for Early April

Councilor Wright Council Appointments:

Education Liaison
New Horizons Liaison
Prince George Treaty Advisory Committee
Deputy Mayor (August 1, 2024 – October 31, 2024)

Alternate For:

Mining Liaison
Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation Liaison
Asset Management Committee
Chamber of Commerce Liaison
Alternate Director for Regional District of Fraser-Fort George
Alternate Member of Northern Development Initiative Trust's Regional Advisory Committee

Activities:

Date:	Activity	Council Appointment:
April 3, 2024	Meeting with former PG Mayor Lyn Hall around the proposed new 'Centre of Excellence' for Children and Youth. Talked about strategies to engage Mackenzie youth and future consultations for the project.	Education Liaison
April 3, 2024	Watched a webinar put on by UBCM titled 'BC's Climate Hazard Landscape'. It had presentations from 4 different Federal/Provincial departments talking about the current drought/flood/wildfire conditions and what can be predicted this Spring/Summer. The message I took away was that this summer will be dry and hot with no relief from our drought/wildfire risk(s).	N/A
April 4, 2024	Was interviewed by a staff member of the BC Rural Health Network, to talk about the current health care situation in Mackenzie.	N/A
April 4, 2024	Showed up for last half of a meeting between local dog owners and CAO Smith and Director Murray about possible next steps in bringing a new dog park to Mackenzie.	N/A
April 4, 2024	Attended the first Mackenzie Rainbows Swim Team AGM meeting, with the goal of restarting the club. I am extremely happy to report a Board of Directors was elected, and they are now trying to get swimmers to sign up!	Education Liaison
April 5, 2024	Had a debrief meeting with staff of Foundry, to discuss Mackenzie's application and plans for next steps.	Education Liaison
April 16 th , 2024	Chaired a meeting of the CNC Community Advisory Committee. Was informed in this meeting that CNC Mackenzie is being directed by the CNC Central Office to not renew their lease of the Event Space/Kitchen, the lease ends October 2024.	Education Liaison
April 16 th , 2024	Attended a meeting of the Board of Directors of the Williston Lake Elders Society, a new non-profit in Mackenzie with the goal of building a care home in Mackenzie. The group has named me 'Council Liaison' on their minutes.	N/A

Respectfully Submitted,

Councilor Wright