



8 August 2025

Mayor
Atkinson &
Council
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Dear Mayor Atkinson and Council,

Re: 2025 UBCM Official Opposition Meeting Opportunities

With the 2025 Union of BC Municipalities (UBCM) Convention in Victoria fast approaching, the Members of the Official Opposition would like to cordially invite you to meet during the Convention. As the Official Opposition, we respect deeply the critical role Local Governments play in strengthening our communities throughout British Columbia and remain dedicated to robustly representing your interests in Victoria and throughout the province. As the Official Opposition Critic for Municipal Affairs, I am committed to understanding the specific opportunities and challenges your community faces.

I am pleased to share the following engagement opportunities arranged by the Official Opposition for you throughout the UBCM Convention:

1. For a one-on-one meeting with me or any of our Opposition Critics at the UBCM Convention, please contact Hannah Driedger at Conservative.Caucus@leg.bc.ca or via telephone at 250-387-3507.
2. Our Caucus is hosting three roundtable discussions on the topics noted below in the Penwell Room at the Chateau Hotel on September 23rd and 25th.
If you are interested in attending, please take a moment to let us know at Conservative.Caucus@leg.bc.ca

Topic	Critic(s)	Date & Time
Crime	Elenore Sturko Bryan Tepper Steve Kooner Tony Luck	Tuesday, September 23 rd 1:30-2:30 pm
Health	Anna Kindy Brennan Day Claire Rattée Tony Luck	Tuesday, September 23 rd 3:00 - 4:00 pm
Housing	Linda Hepner Kristina Loewen Tony Luck	Thursday, September 25 th 4:30-5:30 pm

3. On Thursday, September 25th, the Leader of the Official Opposition will be giving an address at the Victoria Convention Centre at 11:10 am.

Local governments often serve as the primary interface for our shared constituents, adeptly addressing their needs. Your capacity to respond effectively during crises and maintain consistent, high-quality daily services is fundamental to the well-being of British Columbians. Your commitment to enhancing your communities is commendable, and as the Official Opposition we are dedicated to ensuring government accountability and advocating for the provincial resources necessary to support your delivery of essential services.

In keeping with the 2025 UBCM Convention theme of *Charting the Course*, I hope each of you will take the time to connect with Official Opposition MLAs during the UBCM Convention so we can speak directly, discuss the shifting challenges our communities face and act collaboratively on solutions.

Sincerely,

Tony Luck, MLA
Official Opposition Critic for Municipal Affairs