

Lillooet and Area Community Wildfire Preparedness Roundtable

10:00AM to 3:00PM, Monday June 27, 2022

Lillooet REC Centre gymnasium

Draft agenda as of June 22, 2022

Purpose: Bring together initiatives by the Squamish Lillooet Regional District (SLRD) and Fraser Basin Council to convene a multi-party table to assist with wildfire preparedness.

Topics in scope: wildfire risk reduction, prescribed and cultural burning, FireSmart, training and capacity development, equipment, emergency planning for wildfires, inter-agency cooperation

Geographic area in scope: Northern St'at'imc territory, SLRD Areas [A](#) and [B](#), inclusive of municipalities and IR lands

Who should attend: any order of government or organization with a role to play in preparing for or mitigating the risk of wildfire, including emergency preparedness staff or elected officials:

- Squamish Lillooet Regional District
- District of Lillooet
- St'at'imc Nation
- Ministry of Forests
- BC Wildfire Service
- BC Hydro
- Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure
- Volunteer fire departments and fire brigades
- Local Community FireSmart Resiliency Committees (CFRCs)
- Forest tenure holders (community forest, woodlot licensees, major licensees, BC Timber Sales)

Meeting objectives

- Understand what's underway for inter-agency cooperation, cross-training and emergency planning and make recommendations for improvements
- Provide update on development of Community Wildfire Resiliency Plans for SLRD Areas A and B
- Explore the concept of a creating a long-term, inclusive Lillooet & Area Community Wildfire Preparedness roundtable for Lillooet and surrounding area
- Develop relationships, improve communication, share information
- Identify synergies on various initiatives

Time	Topic	Who/format
9:30	Doors open, sign in, coffee on, peruse maps on wall	
10:00	Welcome	St'at'imc protocol/prayer
10:15	Review agenda, objectives, introductions around room	Mike Simpson and Mike Fusca
10:30	SLRD work underway: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Community Wildfire Resiliency Plans• Subregional Community FireSmart Resiliency Committees (CFRCs)	Michael Fusca, Tawnya Collins, Robin Strong
10:45	FireSmart Disciplines in the Lillooet/St'at'imc/SLRD A and B areas <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Inter-agency cooperation• Cross Training• Emergency Planning	Facilitated discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• What's working?• Where are the gaps?• How do we fix it?
12:00	Lunch (provided)	
1:00	What other resources and programs exist	Everyone – open floor
1:30	Community Wildfire Preparedness Roundtable <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Establishing a long-term table for wildfire preparedness	Mike Simpson
2:30	Next steps	Facilitated discussion
3:00	Adjourn	