

Memorandum of Understanding

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Signed November XX, 2025

We, the undersigned, recognize the challenges our region faces as compounding crises in healthcare, mental health, addictions, illicit drugs, organized crime, and natural disasters continue to impact Canada, British Columbia and our region. We recognize that these issues overlap and need joint leadership. We commit to working together as elected officials to address these issues. Taking a regional approach, we commit our efforts to establishing the necessary regional services for the area to flourish.

Revising these priorities annually we will seek to establish:

1. Expanded addiction treatment options with interest in a regional treatment center;
2. Enhanced regional healthcare services with a focus on staffing;
3. Timely public safety responses, including collaboration with law enforcement agencies, that address immediate needs and root causes; and
4. Economic development opportunities, including tools to address local infrastructure

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We share this framework with our colleagues openly so that they too may explore advancing regional priorities together for the betterment of their own communities.