

# Workshop on Land Use Planning Program Principles

## Draft Agenda

Workshop 1: June 3, 2021 & June 4, 2021 (9am-12pm PST each day)

Workshop 2: June 7, 2021 & June 8, 2021 (9am-12pm PST each day)

Please RSVP for one workshop – others may be added or combined based on RSVPs.

### **Workshop Introduction**

The Province of British Columbia has been engaging First Nations across the province since late 2018 on the foundations of what a modern approach to land use planning in partnership could look like.

At this time, the Land Use Planning program is seeking to establish a series of program principles in partnership with First Nations, building on what has been heard through engagement and early project tables. It is critical to identify and understand actions and considerations that need to be in place to support these principles in practice. This work on principles fits within a larger context of reflecting what we've heard from First Nations and continuing to advance planning in partnership.

These focused workshops aim for substantial advancement of this work.

Program staff hope to have First Nation representatives from early project tables join these workshops to share their experiences under the program to date.

These workshops have been developed in collaboration with, and will be facilitated by, Gwen Bridge (GwenBridge.com).

### **Workshop Goals**

- Provide participants with a program update
- Review and workshop draft principles
  - Discuss the suite of principles – are they appropriate, are there gaps, and any feedback on early drafting
  - Considerations and strategies necessary to implement these principles

### **Materials forthcoming ahead of the workshop**

Draft principles and phrasing of each have been started reflecting what was heard through province wide engagement and early land use planning project tables. Additionally, early work has gone into identifying key implementation considerations and strategies (e.g. understand ethical space concepts and practice of ethical space). The intention of drafting these ahead of the workshop is to seed the conversations, these will still be in early draft form.

- Draft principles and initial phrasing for each
- Draft table of key implementation considerations/strategies

**Draft Agenda – Under Development – Your input on the agenda is welcomed**

<b>Time</b>	<b>Agenda Topics</b>
<b>Day 1</b>	
<b>9am-12pm PST</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Background on land use planning modernization – what we heard</li><li>2. LUP Project Discussions</li><li>3. Current status of LUP Framework: Introduce principles and implementation conditions</li></ol>
<b>Day 2</b>	
<b>9am-12pm PST</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Discussion on principles refinement and implementation considerations</li><li>2. Input from First Nations on steps forward for LUPM</li><li>3. Discussion on strategies for advancing principle implementation have been identified</li></ol>

Participants are welcome to stay on the line longer each day. Provincial staff are available for follow up conversations. Written follow up submissions are welcomed.

**Thank you for your interest and for committing time to participate**