Quesnel Community Resource Guide

Resources to assist community transition:

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MESSAGE FROM THE MAYOR

The City of Quesnel, Province of British Columbia and key community stakeholders continue to work in partnership to ensure that Quesnel remains a vibrant and resilient community as we go through an economic transition as a result of the Mountain Pine Beetle. We remain focused on supporting our forest workers, forest-dependent contractors and their employees, and the business community most directly dependent on our major forest companies. We are also making every effort to stabilize our current forest sector while attracting new, job creating investment to Quesnel.

This Community Resource Guide is designed to serve as a one-stop source of information for worker adjustment and training opportunities, employment services, community and social services, and financial services in Quesnel and area. Our Council hopes you find this guide helpful in directing you to the expertise and programs that are available to assist you through your own personal transition.

Be assured, Council is committed to ensuring the City of Quesnel remains a strong, vibrant and resilient community with many employment opportunities and an affordable lifestyle.

Sincerely,

Mayor Bob Simpson
City of Quesnel

Back row: Councillor Ed Coleman, Scott Elliott, Ron Paul, John Brisco
Front row: Councillor Laurey-Anne Roadenburg, Mayor Bob Simpson, Councillor Sushil Thapar
WORKBC – QUESNEL EMPLOYMENT SERVICES CENTRE

Address: 100 – 488 McLean Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2P2
Telephone: 250-992-7691
Fax: 250-992-7692
Email: reception@quesnelemploymentservices.com
Website: www.quesnelemploymentservices.com/

Programs and Services:
The Employment Program of BC is now available and will make it easier for people to find work and provide stability for their families through a wide range of integrated employment services and supports. The first step in accessing these services is to contact a WorkBC Employment Services Centre which offers client-focused, integrated services and supports that are responsive, inclusive, and accessible. Services available include:

- Job search resources
- Personal employment planning
- Skills and training
- Work experience placement / wage subsidies
- Specialized services and assessments
- Resume and cover-letter assistance
- Interview techniques
- Assisted job search
- Educational planning
- Career decision-making
- Job posting board
- Internet job search
- Workshops

BC JOB NETWORK
Website: www.bcjobnetwork.com/

Programs and Services:
Online job search database.
BC MINISTRY OF SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT AND SOCIAL INNOVATION, EMPLOYMENT AND INCOME ASSISTANCE

Telephone: 1-866-866-0800
Fax: 1-855-771-8701
Website: www.gov.bc.ca/sdsi

Programs and Services:
BC Employment and Assistance Program (BCEA) assists British Columbians by helping people move from income assistance to sustainable employment, and by providing income assistance to those who are unable to fully participate in the workforce.

CARIBOO CHILCOTIN ABORIGINAL TRAINING EMPLOYMENT CENTRE SOCIETY

Address: 205 - 197 North 2nd Avenue, Williams Lake, B.C. V2G 1Z5
Phone: 250-392-2510
Fax: 250-392-2570
E-mail: administration@ccatec.com
Website: www.ccatec.com

Programs and Services:
The Cariboo Chilcotin Aboriginal Training Education Centre Society responds to the training needs of First Nations individuals in the Cariboo Chilcotin and acts as a resource centre for information regarding funding, training, and employment.

COMMUNITY FUTURES, NORTH CARIBOO

Address: 335A Vaughan Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2T1
Telephone: 250-992-2322
Toll-free: 1-877-992-2322
Fax: 250-992-7700
Website: www.cfquesnel.com

Programs and Services:
Community Futures of the North Cariboo (CFNC) is a non-profit economic development organization dedicated to assisting small business owners and entrepreneurs in the North Cariboo region. CFNC provides small business assistance in the following ways:

- Small business loans
- Business counselling
- Business training
- Community economic development
- Video conferencing
- Resource library
NORTH CARIBOO METIS ASSOCIATION

Address: 668 Doherty Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1B9
Telephone: 250-992-9722
Fax: 250-992-9721
Email: ncma1@shaw.ca
Website: http://www.quesnelnetwork.com/justice_safety_services.aspx?ID=67

Programs and Services:
The North Cariboo Métis Association provides services, information, advocacy, and cultural activities to the Métis people of the Quesnel area and promotes Métis cultural awareness throughout the North Cariboo. Services include:

- Information and support regarding Métis status
- Information and support regarding employment and training services
- Cultural information, programs, and activities
- Family Support Worker program
- Métis Clan Wellness program
- Information about and referrals to social support programs
- Youth advocacy

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SERVICE BC

Address: 102 – 350 Barlow Avenue, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2C2
Contact: Michael Boreen, Government Agent
Telephone: 250-992-4313
Fax: 250-992-4314
E-mail: Michael.Boreen@gov.bc.ca
Website: www.servicebc.gov.bc.ca/locations/quesnel.html

Programs and Services:
Service BC provides frontline government services and information in British Columbia and delivers programs and services to residents, businesses and visitors – in person, online, and over the phone. Services available at the Quesnel location include:

- Child Care Subsidy Program
- Employment Standards Information
- Medical Services Plan
- Legal Services Society Forms and Access
- OneStop Business Registration

For a complete listing of available services, please visit the Service BC website above.
**SERVICE CANADA**

Telephone: 1-800-O-Canada (622-6263)

Employment Insurance
Telephone: 1-800-206-7218
Website: www.servicecanada.gc.ca
Job Bank: www.jobbank.gc.ca

**Programs and Services:**
The Government of Canada, Service Canada offers a number of job-search tools, income assistance programs and education and training services:

- **Job-search tools** – Job Bank, Student Job Bank, Aboriginal Job Centre, Canadian Heritage Information Network, and other government and private websites
- **Government job-search** – Canadian Forces and Department of National Defence, Canada Revenue Agency, Parks Canada, and Royal Canadian Mounted Police
- **Career planning services** – Resume Builder, Labour Market Information, Training and Career Website, Career Counsellor Search, and Employment Support for Immigrants
- **Income assistance programs** – Self-Employment Program, Wage Earner Protection Program, Career Transition Assistance, and Skills Development Program
- **Employment Insurance Program (EI): Canada Pension (CPP) and Old Age Security (OAS)**
- **Program**
- **Business start-up services** – Provides a wide range of services for business entrepreneurs, as well as guides and resources for registering a business

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**SMALL BUSINESS BC**

Address: #82 - 601 West Cordova Vancouver, B.C. V6B 1G1
Telephone: 604-775-5525
Toll free: 1-800-667-2272
Fax: 604-775-5520
Email: askus@smallbusinessbc.ca
Website: www.smallbusinessbc.ca/

**Programs and Services:**
Small Business BC is a resource centre to provide entrepreneurs with products and services that will assist successful entry into small business ventures. Small Business BC offers one-on-one advisory sessions, business publications, workshops and seminars video conference throughout BC. A variety of free business guides and tools are available on the website, including information on the various government assistance programs.
COMMUNITY AND SOCIAL SERVICES

AL-ANON
Address: 1134 Tibbles Road, Quesnel, B.C.
St. Andrews United, 218 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C.

Programs and Services:
Al-Anon Family Groups is a community resource providing support to anyone affected by a relative or friend’s drinking. The North Cariboo (District 26) offers two weekly meetings:

Sunday – 1134 Tibbles Road, Quesnel, B.C. from 1:00 – 2:00 p.m.
Wednesday – 218 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. from 7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS
Telephone: 250-992-5560
Website: www.bcyukonaa.org/_pub/meetings/districts/dist_56.php

Programs and Services:
Alcoholics Anonymous (District 56) offers two or more meeting options each day of the week to provide men and women with the opportunity to share their experience, strength and hope with each other that they may solve their common problem and help others to recover from alcoholism. For a full listing of available meetings, please visit the website listed above.

AMATA TRANSITION HOUSE SOCIETY
Address: PO Box 4383, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3J4
Telephone: 250-992-7321
Website: http://www.amata.ca/

Programs and Services:
The Amata Transition House Society is a non-profit organization that provides a confidential, non-judgemental and safe place for women and their children. Trained staff are available 24 hours a day to provide information and referral services, support, advocacy, and emergency housing needs.
AXIS FAMILY RESOURCES

Address: 469F Anderson Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 5J4
Telephone: 250-992-2759
Fax: 250-992-2769
Toll-free: 1-877-392-1003
Email: quesnel.admin@axis.bc.ca
Website: http://axis.bc.ca/contact-us/branch-offices/quesnel/

Programs and Services:
Axis Family Resources offers a range of services for children, youth, adults, and families with challenging issues, including:

• Addiction services
• CLBC Crisis Support Program
• Community Living Services
• Family Based Interventions Program
• Specialized Residential Services
• Stopping the Violence Programs

BC MINISTRY OF HEALTH SERVICES

Address: 1515 Blanshard Street, Victoria, B.C. V8W 3C8
Telephone: 250-952-1742
Toll free: 1-800-465-4911
Website: www.gov.bc.ca/health/
Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Monday to Friday

Programs and Services:
The Ministry of Health Services has overall responsibility for ensuring that quality, appropriate, and timely health services are available to all British Columbians. The Ministry directly manages a number of provincial programs and services. These programs include: the Medical Services Plan, which covers most physician services; PharmaCare, which provides prescription drug insurance for British Columbians; the B.C. Vital Statistics Agency, which registers and reports on vital events such as a birth, death or marriage; and the Emergency and Health Services Commission, which provides ambulance services across the province and operates HealthLink BC, a confidential health information, advice and health navigation system available by telephone or on the web (see www.healthlinkbc.ca) HealthLink BC also publishes the BC Health Guide which is available through local pharmacies and operates bcbedline, the provincial acute bed management system.

BC REGIONAL SERVICE COMMITTEE OF NARCOTICS ANONYMOUS

Toll-free: 1-888-543-2499
Website: http://www.bcrna.ca/main/area_meetings.php?id=57

Programs and Services:
Narcotics Anonymous is a non-profit fellowship of men and women for whom drugs have become a problem. We provide a recovery process and peer support network. Meetings are offered on Sunday and Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. at 465 Kinchant Street, Quesnel. For a full listing of available meetings, please visit the website above.
BIG BROTHERS BIG SISTERS OF QUESNEL

Address: 368 Vaughan Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3J9
Telephone: 250-992-7257
Fax: 250-992-0937
Website: http://www.bigbrothersbigsistersofquesnel.ca/en/Home/default.aspx

Programs and Services:
Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Quesnel are dedicated to helping children develop their full potential through friendship and mentoring programs.

CANADIAN RED CROSS

Address: GR Baker Hospital, 543 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2K7
Telephone: 250-991-7565
Fax: 250-992-1031
Website: www.redcross.ca/what-we-do/health-services-in-canada/health-equipment-loan-program

Programs and Services:
Red Cross provides the short-term loan of clean, safe medical equipment to people who are living in their homes and recovering from injury, illness or surgery. The Red Cross Health Equipment Loan Program is operated by volunteers who clean and maintain the equipment. Red Cross medical equipment includes wheelchairs, walkers, canes, crutches, bathroom aides, etc. A referral from a health care professional is necessary for the loan of mobility aids.

CARIBOO YOUTH AND FAMILY RESOURCES

Address: #2 – 345 Laurent Avenue, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7G9
Telephone: 250-991-2907
Fax: 250-992-5756
Email: cyfr@quesnelbc.com

Programs and Services:
- Family mediation and parent teen conflict
- Private supervised visits
- Autism / Aspergers Interventionist
- In A.W.E. of Parenting, parenting programme
- Family conflict resolution
- Parent plans, for those couples going through separation or divorce and are needing a plan regarding their children
CARRIER CHILCOTIN TRIBAL COUNCIL

Address: #102 – 231 Anderson Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3K4
Telephone: 250-992-2075
250-255-5471 (cell for Jennifer Vickers, Family Support Worker)
Fax: 250-992-2074
Website: http://www.carrierchilcotin.org/

Programs and Services:
The Carrier Chilcotin Tribal Council is a partnership of four communities working together to advance collective well-being. The Council works to promote and facilitate the social and economic well-being of the Carrier Chilcotin Aboriginal Peoples to encourage the heritage, culture, religion and education. The Family Support Worker supports and advocates for urban families in Quesnel.

CHILD CARE RESOURCE AND REFERRAL

Address: 469A Anderson Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 5K4
Telephone: 250-992-7606
Fax: 250-992-8677
Email: qnlccrr@quesnelbc.com
Website: http://www.childcarechoices.ca/main/North/Quesnel/

Programs and Services:
• Free referral services to quality child care
• Registry and training for child care providers
• Lending library - toys and equipment
• Drop-in classes for infants and toddlers
• Subsidy applications and assistance

CRISIS CENTRE FOR NORTHERN BC

Credit Counselling Society BC : 1-888-527-8999
Teen Crisis: 1-888-564-8336
Crisis Line – 24/7 (Northern BC): 1-888-562-1214
1-800-SUICIDE (BC Wide): 1-800-784-2433
310 Mental Health Support Line: 250-310-6789

Programs and Services:
Operates 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

GR BAKER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

Address: 543 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2K7
Telephone: 250-985-5600
Website: www.northernhealth.ca/Home.aspx
LEGAL SERVICES SOCIETY – QUESNEL

Address: 342 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2R4
Telephone: 250-992-8387
Fax: 250-992-7661
Website: http://www.lss.bc.ca/

Programs and Services:
The Legal Services Society has a range of free services and provides access to self-help legal information and publications. Legal advice and/or representation by a lawyer may also be available.

MINISTRY OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY DEVELOPMENT

Address: 163 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2R1
Telephone: 250-992-4267
Fax: 250-992-4351
Website: www.gov.bc.ca/mcf

Programs and Services:
This Ministry provides a number of services and programs to support B.C. families, including adoption services, early childhood development program, family development program, foster care / extended family care, child and youth mental health, child and youth with special needs, youth services, youth justice, and child safety and guardianship services.

NEW FOCUS SOCIETY

Address: 469A Anderson Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 5J4
Telephone: 250-992-3119
Fax: 250-992-8677
Email: nfsadmin@quesnelbc.com

Programs and Services:
The New Focus Society envisions a community where families and individuals of all ages and ethnic origins feel valued and included, and where those in need are able to access friendly, supportive and free community services aimed at improving the quality of life. The New Focus Society is an umbrella society that encompasses a variety of programs and services:

- Child Care Resource and Referral Program
- English as a Second Language Settlement Assistance Program
- Welcoming Communities Action Plan
- Access Business Training
NORTH CARIBOO ABORIGINAL FAMILY PROGRAM SOCIETY

Address: 324 Hoy Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1X3
Telephone: 250-992-9160
Fax: 250-992-9157
Email: ncafps@longname.ca

Programs and Services:
North Cariboo Aboriginal Family Program Society is a non-profit society that works to promote the advancement and well-being of Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal children, youth and families in Quesnel and the surrounding areas. They advocate for and provide programs, services and resources which contribute to community development and capacity building. Services include:

• Family Support Workers
• Aboriginal Family Centre: Early Childhood Education, Aboriginal Infant Development, Aboriginal Supported Development, parenting programs, preschool, early screening for children, and cultural programs
• Community kitchen
• Elders Luncheon
• Family Group Conference
• Kids and Youth in the Kitchen
• Literacy Programs
• Youth Activities

QUESNEL AND DISTRICT CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTRE

Address: 488 McLean Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2P2
Telephone: 250-992-2481
Fax: 250-992-3439
Website: http://www.quesnelcdc.com/

Programs and Services:
The Quesnel and District Child Development Centre offers many professional programs and services delivered to children and their families who require extra support in a family centered mode.

QUESNEL CHILD AND YOUTH SUPPORT SOCIETY

Address: Suite 13 – 665 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 5J5
Telephone: 250-992-5114

Programs and Services:
The Quesnel Child and Youth Support Society provide individual child and family counselling.

QUESNEL MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION SERVICES

Address: 395 Elliott Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1Y4
Telephone: 250-992-5189
QUESNEL PUBLIC HEALTH UNIT - NURSING
Address:  511 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2MB
Telephone:   250-991-7571

- PREVENTATIVE
Address:  523 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2K7
Telephone:   250-983-6810

QUESNEL SALVATION ARMY FOOD BANK
Address:  374 McLean Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2N9
Telephone:  250-992-8784

Programs and Services:
Food hampers are available for people in need. Please phone to make an appointment.

QUESNEL TILLCUM SOCIETY, NATIVE FRIENDSHIP CENTRE
Address:  319 North Fraser Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1Y9
Telephone:  250-992-8347
Fax:   250-992-5708
Website:  http://www.quesnel-friendship.org

Programs and Services:
The Quesnel, BC Tillicum Society / Native Friendship Centre offers aboriginal diabetes awareness and prevention, FAS info, drug and alcohol programs, employment information and counselling, youth outreach, family support, and the Tillicum Learning Centre.

QUESNEL WOMEN’S RESOURCE CENTRE SOCIETY
Address:  690 McLean Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2P6
Telephone:  250-992-8472
Fax:   250-992-6160
Email:   gwrc@shawcable.com
Website:   http://www.qwrc.ca/

Programs and Services:
The Quesnel Women’s Resource Centre is a non-profit organization and is run by and for women. The Centre strives to be an inclusive and supportive space in which all women can discuss the issues that affect their lives and find the resources and support they need to make informed choices.
RCMP VICTIM SERVICES
Address: 584 Carson Avenue
Telephone: 250-992-3380
Email: cindy.osip@rcmp-grc.gc.ca

Programs and Services:
Provides 24 hour crisis intervention, crime prevention info, emotional support assistance during a crisis situation, information to keep you advised of the status of your case from police investigation through the court process, provides information and assistance with the crime victim assistance application and victim impact statements, provides court orientation and accompaniment and referrals to community resources that provide additional assistance.

SEASONS HOUSE – NAWKUZUT KOO
Address: 146 Carson Avenue, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2A8
Telephone: 250-991-0222
Email: executivedirector@seasonshouse.ca
Website: http://seasonshouse.org/

Programs and Services:
Seasons House provides emergency short-term housing, transitional housing, and support and advocacy for people that are homeless or at risk of homelessness. Seasons House is open 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year.

SENIORS ADVOCACY SERVICE
Address: 353 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 6M5
Telephone: 250-992-9330, 250-747-8363 or 250-992-1567
Website: http://www.quesnelseniors.ca

Programs and Services:
Seniors Advocacy Service is a group of dedicated and trained volunteers who assist seniors and other community members with referrals to agencies when needed and offer free consultations for practical advice in a safe, secure and comfortable environment. Some of the services we provide are listed below, but please visit our website for a complete listing:

- Disabled Parking Permits
- Transportation to medical appointments
- Handyman services
- Health and quality of life workshops
- Friendly visits and phone calls

UNITED ABORIGINAL HOUSING SOCIETY
Address: 100-744 Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2L1
Telephone: 250-992-3306
Fax: 250-992-3316
Email: uahs@shaw.ca
WE CARE HOME HEALTH SERVICES

Address: 644A Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2K8
Telephone: 250-992-2273 (Care)
Fax: 250-992-2287
Email: quesnel@wecare.telus.biz
Website: http://www.wecare.ca/

Programs and Services:

- Wellness and occupational health
- Homemaking
- Personal care
- Nursing
- Foot care
- Accompanied visits
- Supervised visits
- Caregiver relief
- Respite
- Companionship
COLLEGE OF NEW CALEDONIA

Address: 100 Campus Way, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7K1
Telephone: 250-991-7500
Fax: 250-991-7523
Toll-free: 1-866-680-7523
E-mail: quesnel@cnc.bc.ca
Website: http://www.cnc.bc.ca/Campuses/Quesnel_Campus.htm

Programs and Services:
The College of New Caledonia offers over 70 programs, a wide variety of university credit courses, and continuing education options. Programs and courses include:

- Academic advising services
- Academic upgrading
- University courses
- Certificate and Diploma programs
- Work Skills training
- Trades training
- Health sciences
- Social services
- Business
- Education

MINISTRY OF JOBS, TOURISM AND SKILLS TRAINING AND MINISTER RESPONSIBLE FOR LABOUR

Website: www.jtst.gov.bc.ca/

Programs and Services:
The above Ministry works to support and foster economic growth, job creation and skills training in the province. The Ministry offers a wide range services and programs to help create the economic prosperity needed for the success of families and communities. Examples include:

- Skills and Training Plan to ensure British Columbians can take advantage of the job opportunities of today and in the years ahead.
- On the ground support to assist businesses, community organizations and local governments access services, resources, and program funding information.
- Promote safe and healthy workplaces and balance the interests of employers and workers to foster labour stability.
- Online tools and resources to support the economic development of communities, regions, businesses, and industries.
- Community Adjustment Services to rural and remote resource-based municipalities that are facing significant economic impacts as a result of anticipated or actual downsizing or closure of major industries in their communities.
SCHOOL DISTRICT 28, HELEN DIXON CENTRE – CONTINUING and ADULT EDUCATION

Address: 241 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2R3
Telephone: 250-983-6900
Website: www.sd28.bc.ca

Programs and Services:

- Adult Graduation Diploma/Dogwood and planning for employment and post secondary.
- Final requirements for Youth Graduation Diploma/Dogwood and planning for employment and post secondary.
- Completing additional pre-requisite courses or skills upgrading for Post Secondary.
- Planning to connect to Post Secondary Programming, including our local programming at the College of New Caledonia and the University of Northern British Columbia Quesnel Campus.
- Retail and industry training certifications for employment.
- Chamber of Commerce Bronze Employment Certificate for employment.
- Chamber of Commerce Silver Employment Certificate for employment or advancing in employment.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA

Address: S100 – 100 Campus Way, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7K1
Telephone: 250-991-7540
Fax: 250-997-7528
Toll-free: 1-800-627-9931
Email: sc-info@unbc.ca
Website: http://www.unbc.ca/south-central

Programs and Services:

The University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC) offers programs and services to meet a wide variety of needs, including undergraduate, graduate, and PhD level degrees to certificates and diplomas and individual continuing studies courses. UNBC has campuses in Prince George, Fort St John, Terrace, Quesnel, and Gitwinksihlkw.
BANK OF MONTREAL
Address: 397 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M5
Telephone: 250-992-5577

CANADIAN IMPERIAL BANK OF COMMERCE
Address: 318 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M4
Telephone: 250-992-2104
Fax: 250-992-3038
Toll-free: 1-800-465-2422

CREDIT COUNSELLING SOCIETY
Address: 440 – 88 Sixth Street, New Westminster, B.C. V3L 5B3
Toll-free: 1-888-527-8999
Fax: 604-527-8008
Website: http://www.nomoredebts.org

Programs and Services:
The Credit Counselling Society is a registered, non-profit service providing free and non-judgemental counselling for consumers. The experienced and professionally trained counsellors help tens of thousands of people resolve their debt and money management problems every year. The Society works with you and your creditors to resolve your situation quickly and with as little stress as possible. To find out more or to make a confidential, free appointment with one of the counsellors, please contact the Society using the information above.

INTEGRIS CREDIT UNION
Address: 253 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M1
Telephone: 250-992-9216
Fax: 250-992-3626
Toll-free: 1-866-554-3456
ROYAL BANK OF CANADA
Address: 201 St Laurent Avenue, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2C8
Telephone: 250-992-2127

SCOTIA BANK
Address: 293 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M1
Telephone: 250-992-7021
Fax: 250-992-9237

TD CANADA TRUST
Address: 321 Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M5
Telephone: 250-992-2167
SPECIAL PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

CENTRAL INTERIOR LOGGING ASSOCIATION

Address: 201-2666 Queensway, Prince George, B.C., V2L 1N2
Telephone: 250-562-3368
Fax: 250-563-3697
Toll-free: 1-877-562-5688
Email: cila@pgonline.com

Programs and Services:
The Central Interior Logging Association represents almost 400 independent logging contractors in Northern British Columbia, Canada. The CILA works for the common good of the total membership and makes representation on the issues of forest and log-hauling legislation at federal, provincial and regional levels.

NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE TRUST

Address: 301-1268 Fifth Avenue, Prince George, BC V2L 3L2
Telephone: 250-561-2525
Fax: 250-561-2563
Email: info@northerndevelopment.bc.ca
Website: www.northerndevelopment.bc.ca/

Programs and Services:
Northern Development Initiative Trust provide a number of business and community funding programs as well as online services, supports and resources.
**QUESNEL AND DISTRICT ARTS AND RECREATION CENTRE**

Address: 500 North Star Road, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 5P6  
Telephone: 250-992-8200  
Fax: 250-992-6866  
Website: [http://www.quesnel.ca/Parks-Recreation-Splash.html](http://www.quesnel.ca/Parks-Recreation-Splash.html)

**Programs and Services:**
The Arts and Recreation Centre operates a seasonal ice rink, swimming pool, playschool program, fitness facilities, and a wide range of performing, visual, and applied arts programs.

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**QUESNEL AND DISTRICT CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

Address: 335 E Vaughan Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2T1  
Contact: Alex Kostenko, Manager  
Telephone: 250-992-7262  
Email: qchamber@quesnelbc.com  
Website: [http://quesnelchamber.com](http://quesnelchamber.com)

**Programs and Services:**
The Quesnel and District Chamber of Commerce is the voice of business in Quesnel and offer numerous value-added programs that serve both small and large businesses.

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**QUESNEL COMMUNITY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CORPORATION**

Address: 339A Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M5  
Contact: Amy Reid, Economic Development Officer  
Telephone: 250-992-3522  
Fax: 250-992-3544  
Email: areid@quesnelinfo.com  
Website: [http://www.quesnelinfo.com/](http://www.quesnelinfo.com/)

**Programs and Services:**
The Quesnel Community and Economic Development Corporation work to facilitate economic, social and environmental wealth for all residents.
QUESNEL DOWNTOWN ASSOCIATION

Address: 339A Reid Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2M5
Telephone: 250-991-0527
Email: qda@goldcity.netc
Website: http://www.downtownquesnel.com/

Programs and Services:
The Downtown Association (QDA) is a non-profit organization that promotes the Quesnel Downtown area as a business improvement area (BIA). A BIA is a self-help mechanism designed to assist local business people and property owners in upgrading and promoting their business and shopping district to further trade and commerce in their area.

QUESNEL LIBRARY BRANCH, CARIBOO REGIONAL DISTRICT LIBRARY

Address: 101 - #410 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7J5
Telephone: 250-992-7912
Email: quesnelib@cariboord.bc.ca
Website: http://www.cln.ca/default.htm

Programs and Services:
Free access to the internet and online catalogues.

SOUTH QUESNEL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

Telephone: 250-255-5865
Email: southquesnel@gmail.com
Website: www.southquesnel.com

WEST QUESNEL BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

Telephone: 250-255-8225
Website: www.wqba.ca/
ESDILAGH FIRST NATION (ALEXANDRIA FIRST NATION)
Address: #4 – 9001 West Fraser Road, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 1Y6
Telephone: 250-747-2255
Fax: 250-747-3920
Email: officeassistant@esdilaghand.com

LHOOSK’UZ DENE NATION
Address: #101 – 231 Anderson Drive, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3K4
Telephone: 250-992-3290
Fax: 250-992-3291
Email: admin@lhooskuz.com
Website: http://www.lhooskuz.com/

LHTAKO DENE NATION
Address: 1515 Arbutus Road, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3J9
Telephone: 250-747-2900
Fax: 250-747-1341

NAZKO FIRST NATION AND TREATY OFFICE
Address: BOX 4129, 405 Barlow Ave, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 3J2
Telephone: 250-992-9085
Fax: 250-992-7982
Toll-free: 1-888-992-9085
GOVERNMENT

MLA: HON. CORALEE OAKES, CARIBOO NORTH

Address: 644A Front Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 2K8
Telephone: 250-991-0296
Fax: 250-992-5629
Email: coralee.oakes.mla@leg.bc.ca

CARIBOO REGIONAL DISTRICT, NORTH CARIBOO OFFICE

Address: #102 – 410 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7J5
Telephone: 250-992-7400
Fax: 250-992-7414
Email: mailbox@cariboord.bc.ca
Website: www.cariboord.bc.ca/
Hours of operation: Monday to Friday: 8:00 am – noon and 1:00 – 4:00 pm

CITY OF QUESNEL

Address: 410 Kinchant Street, Quesnel, B.C. V2J 7J5
Telephone: 250-992-9211
Fax: 250-992-2206
Email: cityhall@quesnel.ca
Website: www.quesnel.ca
Hours of operation: Monday to Friday: 8:30 am – 4:30 pm (except Statutory Holidays)

Programs and Services:

Services offered by the City of Quesnel which may assist during this transition period include:

- ourQuesnel (Integrated Sustainability Plan or Community Plan)
- Business Licencing
- Communications Department
- Planning and Development Services