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Changes at the Coalition

The Executive Committee of the Northeast BC Resource Municipalities Coalition (the Coalition) and Colin Griffith (Executive Director) have agreed that the Coalition should be moving in a new direction; as a result Mr. Griffith has been released from his obligations as Executive Director of the Coalition.

The councils of the funding members of the Coalition have ratified the decision of the Executive to exercise the termination clause in the Executive Director's contract.

"The NEBC Resource Municipalities Coalition remains committed to the protection and enhancement of municipalities and rural communities of Northeastern British Columbia. The Coalition continues to support the role that resource municipalities serve in supporting existing and future resource development. We will continue this important work now and into the future." - Mayor Lori Ackerman

Mayor Rob Fraser stated "As Chair of the executive meeting where the decision was made, I can confirm that the funding members have ratified the executive decision to exercise the termination clause in the contract with the executive director. It is the sincere desire of the members represented on the executive committee to make this transition a respectful and professional process."

"The work of the coalition is important and will help to secure a prosperous future for our children and grandchildren. Change is necessary and it's healthy." – Mayor Don McPherson

The Coalition will be holding a Forum on February 28, 2018 at the Pomeroy Hotel and Conference center in Fort St. John; watch for registration details.

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