Subject: AVICC October Update - AVICC Lunch at UBCM, 2018 AVICC Convention Sessions and Hotels

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Please distribute to all AVICC elected officials, the Chief Administrative Officer and their support staff.

Dear AVICC Member:

1. AVICC Lunch at UBCM Convention

It was good to see so many members at the AVICC lunch during the UBCM Convention. We had a strong turn out of MLAs and Ministers from across our region including Premier John Horgan.

President Mary Marcotte thanked Nanaimo Regional District Director Joe Stanhope for his years of outstanding service to the AVICC, and presented him with an award as a Special Advisor to the AVICC Executive.

Photos from the lunch are available online at https://www.flickr.com/photos/ubcm/albums/72157686403256031

2. 2018 AGM & Convention – Session Suggestions

At the AVICC lunch Mayor Lisa Helps from the City of Victoria invited delegates to attend the 2018 AVICC Convention. It will be held in Victoria over the week-end of April 13-15, 2018 at the Victoria Conference Centre and the adjoining Fairmont Empress. Registration will open for the Convention in January 2018.

We are looking for member suggestions on sessions, study tours or workshops. Please send your ideas to avicc@ubcm.ca by November 30th using the form attached. The form is also available to download from the avicc.ca website at http://avicc.ca/2018-convention-april-13-15/

3. 2018 AGM & Convention - Hotels

We have secured blocks in a few hotels near the Victoria Conference Centre. Booking information is available on the AVICC website at http://avicc.ca/2018-convention-april-13-15/2018-accommodations/

Pre-convention sessions and study tours are being planned for Friday morning, so delegates may wish to arrive on Thursday. The Convention is scheduled to finish at noon on Sunday. The banquet on Saturday night will be held in the Crystal Ballroom of the Fairmont Empress.

Information on the deadline for Resolutions and Nominations for the AVICC Executive will be sent out in a November update.

Please get in touch with any questions.

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