

Delegation Request

Delegation's Information:

Dan Brady has requested an appearance before Council

City: Lantzville

Province: BC

Delegation Details:

The requested date is 2024-APR-08

Bringing a presentation: No

Details of the Presentation: to provide an overview of the Municipal and Regional District Tax (MRDT) implementation, the commitments made to motel and hotel owners in Nanaimo, and the creation of the MRDT Agreement. The NHA believes that it is paramount for the Mayor and Council to have had all of the pertinent facts before deciding to not renew the MRDT Agreement with the NHA. Regrettably, neither the NHA nor Tourism Nanaimo was included in the communication process, resulting in a decision being made without any stakeholders' input. On behalf of the stakeholders and the members of the NHA, I strongly urge the Mayor and Council to reconsider their decision on the renewal of the MRDT Agreement. Provincial legislation grants the industry the legal right to vote on the continuation or cessation of the MRDT in Nanaimo, making our inclusion crucial.