

AGENDA – January 26-27, 2018. Site C Summit - Accountability and Action

Defend The Peace – Charting a Way Forward

Day One -- Friday January 26

1100	Public Ceremony – Legislature Lawn	West Moberly First Nations, Prophet River First Nation and Union of BC Indian Chiefs
1145 - 1245	Check-in time – First Metropolitan United Church	
100 – 145	Territorial Acknowledgement Opening/Agenda	
145 – 330	Unpacking the NDP government decision	<u>Frame: Indigenous Rights</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Chief Roland Willson, West Moberly First Nations• Craig Benjamin, Amnesty International <u>NDP Position in Video and Words</u> <u>Panel and Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Robert McCullough. International energy expert; McCullough Research• Harry Swain, Former chair of Joint Review Panel on Site C; former Federal Deputy Minister.• Seth Klein, BC Director, Canadian Centre for Policy Alternatives
330 - 350	Break	
350 – 530	Long Term Impact of NDP Government Decision and Alternative Energy Vision:	<u>Panel and Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Andrew Nikiforuk: Award-winning journalist and author• Judith Sayers: President Nuu-chah-nulth Tribal Council• Guy Dauncey: Eco-futurist, author and organizer

530 - 645	Dinner	
600 - 645	Check-in time – evening only First Metropolitan Church	
645 – 715	Honouring the Peace	Art Napoleon: Cultural educator Ken Boon: Peace Valley Landowner Valeen Jules: Poet
715 – 900	We are all Treaty People – Site C is Treaty Land and Sacred Land	<u>Keynote:</u> Bob Chamberlin, Vice-President, Union of BC Indian Chiefs <u>Panel and Discussion</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief Roland Willson, West Moberly First Nations • Art Napoleon, Cultural Educator, Performer, Former Chief, Saulneau First Nation • Brenda Dragon, Smith’s Landing First Nation and Slave River Coalition
900 - 920	Talking Strategy First Pass: Leave No Stone Unturned	Steve Gray, Summit Co-chair
920 – 930	Feedback; Ideas for Working Groups	
930 – 940	Friday Closing Poetry and Music	Valeen Jules, Art Napoleon and Luke Wallace

Day Two -- Saturday January 27

830 – 845	Check-in time	
900 - 920	Opening/Agenda Future Vision for the Peace	

920 – 1000	Accountability and Democracy	<u>Panel</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kai Nagata, Communications Director, Dogwood Initiative • Bob Chamberlin, Vice President BC Union of Indian Chiefs • Emma Gilchrist, Editor in Chief, DeSmog Canada
1000 - 1050	Talking Strategy	<u>Plenary discussion</u>
1050– 1110	Break	
1110 – 1230	From Education to Strategy: Working Groups	See below for <u>Working Group Topics</u>
1230 – 130	Lunch	
130 – 330	Towards Action: Working Groups	See below for <u>Working Group Topics</u>
330 – 430	Working Group Highlights Commitments Closing	Brief Highlights from Working Groups Closing Remarks <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Caleb Behn Eh-cho Dene and Dunne-Za, Keepers of the Water • Maxine Matalpi – Ma’amtigila and Kwakiutl. West Coast Environmental Law

Saturday Working Group Topics

For more details: see posted PDF of Working Group Descriptions

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| 1. Solidarity with First Nations` Legal Actions
Rob Botterell, Caleb Behn | Morning and Afternoon |
| 2. Decolonizing: Respecting the Rights of
Indigenous Peoples
Connie Greyeyes-Dick. Craig Benjamin | Morning and Afternoon |
| 3. What the hell just happened? Democracy
and Accountability
Louise Gilfoy, Adrienne Peacock, George
Smith | Morning and Afternoon |
| 4. Right to Protest
Rita Wong, Ayendri Riddell | Morning only |
| 5. Messaging and Media Experience: Lessons
for the future
Emma Gilchrist, Sarah Cox | Morning |
| 6. A New Vision for BC Hydro
Gwen Johansson, Harry Swain | Morning |
| 7. Participant Initiated Groups | To be determined |

Morning only Working Groups can continue into PM if they choose