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Subject: Invitation to Lower Mainland 2H (Housing + Homelessness) Forum 2017' - October 5

Greetings Mayor and Council,

You are invited to participate in the Metro Vancouver and Fraser Valley Council of Community Homelessness Tables

'Lower Mainland 2H (Housing + Homelessness) Forum 2017'

in collaboration with

- Metro Vancouver Community Advisory Board and
- Community Entity for the Homelessness Partnering Strategy

This Forum brings together Metro Vancouver and Fraser Valley community leaders in homelessness and housing and elected officials, to learn about and build on local innovative solutions through dialogue, to identify collaborative next steps for reducing and preventing homelessness, and to network, meet elected officials, and celebrate successes.

Keynote speaker to be confirmed.

Thursday, October 5th, 2017 from 8:30 am – 2:30 pm

The Element, Vancouver Metrotown

5988 Willingdon Avenue, Burnaby BC

Lunch will be catered

Please RSVP by September 29th to HPS-CAB@metrovancover.org

Itinerary

- z Opening & Welcome
- z Keynote Speaker
- z Overview of Lower Mainland 2017 Report on Homelessness and results of the 2017 Angus Reid poll on public opinion on homelessness in the FVRD and MVRD
- z Presentations: "Homelessness is solvable: Here's what is working in our community"
- z Guest speaker to talk of lived experience
- z World Café style small group discussions on regional coordinated collaborative approach to addressing homelessness
- z Next steps – concrete actions, building partnerships
- z Closing remarks

Sent on behalf of Jonquil Hallgate

Chair, Metro Vancouver and Fraser Valley Council of Community Homelessness Tables



Best,
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