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Subject: Invitation - Vancouver Immigration Summit - June 11, 2018

Greetings Mayor and Council,

The Mayor's Working Group on Immigration and staff are convening a summit supported by several partners that will focus on reducing poverty among government sponsored refugees and asylum seekers.

Information gathered through this session will help inform the City's poverty reduction efforts and will also help to inform poverty reduction plans underway at both provincial and federal levels.

As seating is limited, and this is a by invitation only event, on a first-come first served basis, we appreciate receiving your RSVP as soon as possible.

Date: Monday, June 11, 2018

Time: 9am to 4pm

Location: 350 West Georgia Street, Lower Level, Alice Mackay Room

Please RSVP to alan.chen@vancouver.ca.

Best,
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2018 VANCOUVER IMMIGRATION SUMMIT

Reducing Poverty for Refugees and Asylum Seekers

After fleeing conflict and persecution and finding refuge in Vancouver, refugees and asylum seekers are eager to engage in their new communities. However, many still face considerable barriers which prevents their full inclusion in society.

A panel of refugees and asylum seekers will discuss their challenges at this one-day event. Join us alongside community groups, government officials and funding agencies to address the conditions that create poverty.

Monday, June 11, 2018, 9 am to 4 pm
Vancouver Public Library, Central Branch
350 West Georgia Street
Lower Level, Alice Mackay Room

Due to limited seating capacity, this free event is by invitation only on a first come, first served basis. Lunch and refreshments will be provided.

RSVP to alan.chen@vancouver.ca

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This event is convened by the City of Vancouver under the auspices of the Mayor's Working Group on Immigration.

