



LOWER MAINLAND FLOOD MANAGEMENT STRATEGY

Phase 2

Lower Mainland Flood Management Strategy Workshop Agenda

Room: "Guildford A"

Sheraton Guildford Hotel, 15269 104 Ave,
Surrey BC V3R 1N5

Thursday June 22, 2017

Workshop Purpose

- Learn about Lower Mainland flood management from historic, present and future perspective
- Learn about flood management solutions that have multiple benefits for society, the environment and the economy
- Increase knowledge of the environmental review and approvals process for flood mitigation infrastructure
- Seek input from diverse perspectives on flood mitigation approaches to inform the development of the Lower Mainland Flood Management Strategy
- Provide networking opportunities and share knowledge between the partners, committee members and stakeholders involved the Lower Mainland Flood Management Strategy

Expected Audience

70 confirmed participants, including representatives from:

- Members of Lower Mainland Flood Management Strategy committees, including: Joint Program Committee, Environment Advisory Committee, and Technical Advisory Committees
- First Nations leadership and staff including natural resource managers, fisheries staff, referrals officers and others.
- Municipal engineers, planners and environmental management staff
- Utilities, infrastructure, private sector and non-government organizations.
- Federal and Provincial government staff from Department of Fisheries and Oceans, Forests Lands and Natural Resource Operations and Emergency Management BC.

Contact

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Time	Activity
9.00am	Registration opens, coffee and light refreshments available
9.30am	Traditional welcome
9.45am	Introductions and overview of the workshop agenda Summary of the Lower Fraser Flood Management Strategy purpose and intent
10.00am	Our Local Context: Learning from our past, present and future
11.00am	Understanding Natural Process, Ecosystem Function and Flood Mitigation
12.00pm	Lunch break, networking
12.50pm	Overview of Current Regulatory Context for Flood Mitigation Approvals A panel of speakers will offer their brief insights into the current regulatory context and review process for flood mitigation projects and infrastructure
2.00pm	Group Activity – table discussion on a range of potential Flood Mitigation Approaches <i>Refreshments included during the group activity</i>
3.30pm	Plenary discussion on key ideas, issues and considerations identified during small group discussion
3.50pm	 Wrap Up, Next steps <i>Adjourn by 4.00pm</i>