

2016 Special Assembly of Nisga'a Nation Agenda - Nisga'a Village of Gitlaxt'aamiks
Theme: Nisga'a Nation: Preparing for opportunities on our doorstep.

4/21/2016

Monday May 2, 2016	Tuesday May 3, 2016	Wednesday May 4, 2016	Thursday May 5, 2016
<p>8:00am – Registration</p> <p>10:00am – Opening Ceremonies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Presentation of Ganim Siwilyeen'skw – Council of Elders ➤ Declaration of the Nisga'a Nation – Shirley Morven, Chair, Council of Elders ➤ Call to Order – Chairperson Kevin McKay ➤ Moment of Silence ➤ Invocation by Rev Harry Moore, Sr. ➤ Nisga'a Elementary School choir sings O' Canada <p>10:30am - Introduction of Co-chairs Co-Chairs Ron Nyce & Franklin Alexcee Reading of the Special Assembly Rules of Procedure</p> <p>10:45am – Welcome Address</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gerald Robinson, Chief Councillor – Gitlaxt'aamiks <p>11:00am – NLG Executive Officers Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ President H. Mitchell Stevens ➤ Executive Chairperson Kevin McKay ➤ Secretary-Treasurer Corinne McKay ➤ Chair, Council of Elders Shirley Morven <p>12:00pm – Lunch</p> <p>Afternoon Co-Chairs: Co-Chairs – Edna Nyce & Gerald Robinson</p> <p>1:00pm – NLG Executive Officers Reports cont'd</p> <p>1:30 - Executive Officers Question Period</p> <p>2:30pm – Afternoon Break</p> <p>2:45pm – Executive Senior Management Reports</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chief Executive Officer Collier Azak ➤ Executive Director Cheryl Stephens ➤ In-House Legal Counsel Stephanie Lysyk <p>4:00pm – Question Period</p> <p>5:00pm – Daily Door prize draws and Adjournment for the day</p>	<p>8:00am – Registration & Continental Breakfast</p> <p>9:00am – Call to Order by Co-Chairs 2 Co-chairs Henry Moore & Cliff Morgan</p> <p>Invocation by Damian Azak, Pastor <i>Daily Reading of Rules of Procedure</i></p> <p>9:15am – Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Directorate of Programs & Services Denise Verreault, Director <p>10:15am – Morning break</p> <p>10:30am – Question period</p> <p>12:00pm – Lunch</p> <p>Afternoon Co-chairs 2 Co-chairs Martin Adams & Gerald Robinson</p> <p>1:00pm – Presentation:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ John Dunn, Vice-President TransCanada – PRGT <p>2:15pm Reporting session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Directorate of Lands & Resources Warren Fekete, Director <p>3:00pm Question Period</p> <p>3:30 pm – Afternoon Break</p> <p>3:45pm - Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Directorate of Finance Terry Holt, CFO <p>4:30 pm – Question Period</p> <p>5:00pm – Daily Door prize draws and Adjournment for the day</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Gitlaxt'aamiks Tribal Picnic</p>	<p>8:00am – Registration & Continental Breakfast</p> <p>9:00am – Call to Order by Co-Chairs 2 Co-chairs Cliff Morgan & Ron Nyce</p> <p>Invocation by Rev. Peter Nelson <i>Daily Reading of Rules of Procedure</i></p> <p>9:15am – Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Directorate of Fisheries & Wildlife Harry Nyce, Sr., Director <p>10:00am – Morning break</p> <p>10:15am – Question period</p> <p>11:00 am – Reporting Session:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Directorate of Human Resources Cheryl Pelletier, Director <p>12:00pm – Lunch</p> <p>Afternoon Co-chairs 2 Co-chairs Franklin Alexcee & Edna Nyce</p> <p>1:15 pm – Keynote Address:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Melanie Mark, MLA Vancouver-Mt. Pleasant <p>2:00pm Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Nisga'a Pacific Ventures LP Harry Nyce, Jr., Chief Executive Officer <p>2:45 pm - Afternoon Break</p> <p>3:00pm – Question Period</p> <p>3:30pm Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Communications & Intergovernmental Relations Edward Allen, Director <p>4:15 pm – Question period</p> <p>4:45pm – Daily Door prize draws and adjournment for the day</p> <p><i>Evening Cultural and Entertainment activities will be posted and announced by the host community.</i></p>	<p>8:00am – Registration & Continental Breakfast</p> <p>9:00am – Call to Order by Co-Chairs 2 Co-Chairs Edna Nyce & Martin Adams</p> <p>Invocation by Rev. Can. Gary Davis, Sr. <i>Daily Reading of Rules of Procedure</i></p> <p>9:15am – Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Nisga'a Employment, Skills & Training (NEST) Gary Patsey, Manager <p>10:00 am – Morning break</p> <p>10:15 am – Question period</p> <p>10:45am – Reporting Session</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Economic Development Initiatives Bertram Mercer, Manager <p>11:30am – Question Period</p> <p>12:00pm - Lunch</p> <p>Afternoon Co-chairs 2 Co-chairs Ron Nyce & Henry Moore</p> <p>1:00pm – Reflections from Executive Officers and NLG Senior Management going forward</p> <p>2:00pm – Closing Ceremonies</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Chief Councillor Closing Remarks ➤ President's Closing Remarks <p>Daily Door Prize Draws</p> <p>Retirement of Ganim Siwilyeenskw & Closing Prayer</p>

*Draft Agenda: subject to change due to presenters/speakers' scheduling availability