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NOTICE OF CSTC 'LEADERSHIP: REFERRALS 101 WORKSHOPS'

Dear First Nations Leaders,

The Carrier Sekani Tribal Council (CSTC) is hosting a 1-day 'Leadership: Referrals 101' workshop (see more background information on page 2). There are 5 date and location options to choose from. All 5 sessions are designed and delivered the same, so please only choose one date and location to attend.

The workshop locations and dates are being hosted as follows (9:00am-3:00pm; *Locations TBD*):

- **Option 1:** June 13, 2017 in Vancouver, BC
 - Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/cstc-leadership-workshop-referrals-management-101-vancouver-june-13-2017-tickets-31418309008>
- **Option 2:** June 19, 2017 in Prince George, BC
 - Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/cstc-leadership-workshop-referrals-management-101-prince-george-june-19-2017-tickets-33862057325>
- **Option 3:** June 20, 2017 in Fort St. James, BC
 - Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/cstc-leadership-workshop-referrals-management-101-fort-st-james-june-20-2017-tickets-33867210739>
- **Option 4:** June 27, 2017 in Kamloops, BC
 - Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/cstc-leadership-workshop-referrals-management-101-kamloops-june-27-2017-tickets-33867359183>
- **Option 5:** June 29, 2017 in Burns Lake, BC
 - Registration Link: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/cstc-leadership-workshop-referrals-management-101-burns-lake-june-29-2017-tickets-33867624978>

Travel reimbursement* is available for up to \$200 per person (meals, mileage, and incidental) plus one night accommodation, upon:

1. Full day attendance at the workshop; and,
2. When a CSTC travel claim form is fully completed, with any relevant receipts attached and submitted to the CSTC.

*Note: Travel Advances WILL NOT be covered, and the travel claim forms will be provided on-site by the facilitators at the end of the day.

Background

The Carrier Sekani Tribal Council (CSTC) has designed a 1 day ‘Leadership: Referrals 101’ workshop. The purpose of this workshop is to increase First Nations Leadership’s knowledge and capacity regarding the management and processing of their respective communities natural resource consultations (referrals).

This workshop is a condensed version of a 5-day workshop that was first developed by the BC Aboriginal Mining and Training Association (BCAMTA), then taken over by CSTC. This workshop was designed because First Nations identified a gap where there was no specific training program to help them deal with consultation for natural resource projects and/or activities.

CSTC has since delivered the ROTP 5-day program at least 8 times since 2015, having trained 80 First Nations technicians and leaders from around BC.

Draft Agenda

9:30 – 10:15:	Welcoming and opening comments Overview of Workshop – Objectives and Background
10:15-10:30:	Round of Introductions
10:30 – 10:45:	Health Break
10:45 – 12:00:	Indigenous Laws and Crown Laws 101
12:00 – 1:00:	Lunch (provided)
1:00 – 2:15:	Referrals Management 101
2:15 – 2:30:	Health Break
2:30 – 3:00:	Best Practices – Strategies and Procedures Closing

For more information and registration please contact Mina Holmes at 604-724-5356 or Angel Ransom at 250-649-9876, or email cstcrotp@gmail.com