Flood and Wildfire Advisory Committee

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Formation

♦ Following 2017/18 flood and wildfire events.

 November 2018 provincial request to engage with UBCM.

 UBCM Executive approves formation of Flood and Wildfire Advisory Committee in January 2019.





- Provide input on local authority issues and priorities.
- Deliver feedback to the Province regarding solutions to identified issues.
- Receive updates on provincial initiatives (e.g. implementation of Abbott/Chapman report recommendations).



Expanded Mandate

 Province re-starting work on *Emergency Program Act* review.

 UBCM Executive approves expanded mandate for Flood and Wildfire Advisory Committee.

More information at Thursday September 26 clinic, *Modernizing BC's Emergency Program Act (EPA).*



Conclusion

UBCM and the Province will continue to meet on a regular basis to discuss matters related to floods, wildfires and other emergency management issues that may arise.

