

## Office of Mayor George V. Harvie City of Delta



January 22, 2021

Nolan Charles, Councillor Musqueam Indian Band 6735 Salish Drive Vancouver, BC V6N 4C4

Stephen Bruyneel, Director Fraser River Discovery Centre 788 Quayside Drive New Westminster, BC V3M 6Z6

Dear Councillor Charles and Mr. Bruyneel,

Re: Support for Fraser River Discovery Centre's Place of Learning About **Indigenous History of the Fraser River** 

On behalf of Delta Council, I would like to congratulate Musqueam Indian Band and the Fraser River Discovery Centre on the signing of a Memorandum of Understanding to develop a Place of Learning About Indigenous History of the Fraser River.

The Fraser River is fundamental to Musqueam Indian Band's culture, economy and sustenance, and we support efforts to educate the public about this historic Indigenous relationship. The City of Delta has a keen interest in your learning initiative and would like to offer a letter of support when you are ready to move forward with requests for funding and assistance from senior levels of government.

If you would like to discuss this matter further, please contact Sean McGill, Delta's City Manager at 604-946-3212.

Yours truly,

George V. Harvie

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Mayor

CC: Chief Wayne Sparrow and Council, Musqueam Indian Band

Delta Council

Sean McGill, City Manager