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Maple Ridge Recruiting Permanent Board Members For Pitt Meadows Airport Society

Maple Ridge, BC: The Pitt Meadows Airport Society has been operating with a temporary board of directors comprised of six councillors, three from each of the partner communities of the City of Pitt Meadows and the City of Maple Ridge. With the appointment of Guy Miller as the Airport Manager, and at the request of the temporary board, Maple Ridge Council is moving forward with recruiting its appointees to the board, as laid out by the Airport Society's Bylaws.

The board is to consist of up to eleven directors, described as a 4+4+3 structure that will consist of four board members appointed by each municipality and up to three 'expert' directors appointed by the eight directors appointed by the Cities.

In addition to the transition to the permanent board structure, the City of Maple Ridge has agreed to have its legal counsel work with Pitt Meadows legal counsel to address any outstanding jurisdictional issues.

"The Pitt Meadows Airport is a significant asset for the local economy of our two communities," said Maple Ridge Mayor Nicole Read. "Our temporary board from Maple Ridge & Pitt Meadows Councils have recruited a strong Airport Manager in Guy Miller and set the foundation for the future success of the airport."

The City of Maple Ridge will seek applications to fill the four board openings in the coming weeks.

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