

Kitsumkalum CCP - Lands & Resources Survey

What is your vision for Kitsumkalum's lands and resources?

Kitsumkalum is working on a comprehensive community plan (CCP) and gathering information from community members about your vision and goals for the future of Kitsumkalum. Your responses will only be seen by the CCP team, Heather Bohn and Tracy Sam. The topics for the questions come from the community, based on feedback at the CCP Launch (Sept. 12, 2015) and from the advisory committee.

If you have any questions or comments please get in touch with us:
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LANDS & RESOURCES:

Lands and resources includes the entire natural world (plants, animals, waterways, air quality, etc.) and the land itself. It also includes how we use the lands, both on-reserve and in our traditional territories. This section also covers the health of those lands and resources, and how they're used.

STEWARDSHIP & CONSERVATION

1. How can we encourage community members of all generations to take better care of the environment?

2. What are some ways we can better protect our lands and waterways?

What can the government do?

What can chief and council do?

What can staff do?

What can community members do?

3. Are you worried about current or possible destruction of the lands and resources?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know

If yes, what specifically are you worried about?

4. How can we assert our aboriginal rights and title?

5. Do you think we should seek to control our traditional territories?

Yes - we should have
100% control and
freedom to do what we
want

We should work in
partnership with others to
co-manage the lands

No - we should allow the
government to continue
to manage the lands on
our behalf

6. How can we improve community members' sense of connection to Pt. Essington?

7. How can we improve community members' knowledge of traditional medicines and foods?

NATURAL RESOURCES

8. Are there any fisheries projects you're in support of? Any that you're opposed to? (i.e. commercial fishing, food fishing, a fish processing plant)

9. Are there any forestry projects you're in support of? Any that you're opposed to? (i.e. logging in the territories, silviculture, value-added forestry like shakeblocking)

10. Do you think that the community is aware of what's happening in the traditional territories? Please explain your answer:

LAND USE

11. Do you think on-reserve land is used well? Please explain your answer:

12. How do you think the community can most effectively be involved in land use decisions? (choose as many as you want)

- Take part in planning processes like the land use planning and CCP
- Form an advisory committee
- Let chief and council make decisions on our behalf
- Involve house groups in land use planning for their territories
- Other (please specify)

13. Which of the following land uses would you most like to see on our reserve?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Singl-family housing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Multi-family housing/apartments |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mixed commercial/residential (business on ground floor, apartments above) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Commercial space (retail stores, offices, warehouses, etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Community buildings (schools, administrative buildings, halls etc.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Community parks, green spaces etc. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Light industrial (some noise, smells, and disturbance to neighbours) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Heavy industrial (lots of noise, smells, and disturbance to neighbours) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Other _____ |

14. Which of the following would you like to seen on-reserve? (select as many as you like)

- A new cemetery (where? _____)
- Walking trails (where? _____)
- A wildlife shelter (where? _____)
- A new playground (where? _____)
- A community garden/greenhouse (where? _____)
- Other: _____

SUSTAINABILITY & SAFETY

15. What could be done to take better care of the environment, and make more "green" decisions each day?

What can chief and council do?

What can staff do?

What can community members/households do?

What can the government do?

16. Would you support on-reserve recycling?

Yes, even if I had to pay a little bit!

Maybe, as long as I didn't have to pay for it, and it was really convenient

No

17. Which of the following would you like to see on our reserve? Please rank the options from 1 (most important) to 7 (least important)

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| <input type="text"/> | Solar panels |
| <input type="text"/> | Wind turbines |
| <input type="text"/> | Geothermal (taking heat from the ground) |
| <input type="text"/> | Biomass (burning waste wood/organics for energy/heat) |
| <input type="text"/> | Heat pumps in buildings |
| <input type="text"/> | Retrofits in houses to make them more efficient (better insulation, greywater systems, on-demand hot water, etc.) |
| <input type="text"/> | Other _____ |

18. Have you or your family done anything to be prepared for the next emergency?

- Yes, lots - we have an emergency kit, a family emergency plan, and have prepared our house as best we can
- Somewhat - we have a bit of an emergency kit
- I've thought about it/we've talked about it
- I've never thought about it / haven't done anything

19. What can be done to make sure we're prepared for emergencies?

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| What can chief and council do? | <input type="text"/> |
| What can staff do? | <input type="text"/> |
| What can individuals/households do? | <input type="text"/> |
| What can the government do? | <input type="text"/> |

20. Do you have any other thoughts, ideas, or suggestions about Kitsumkalum lands and resources?