



March 18, 2021

Chair Brad Sperling
Peace River Regional District
Box 810
Dawson Creek, BC V1G 4H8

RE: NCLGA Membership Dues

Dear Chair Sperling,

Thank you for your continued support of the North Central Local Government Association. As a valued member, your financial support enables NCLGA to carry out its mission and advocate for the concerns of local governments in north-central BC.

At the beginning of April, NCLGA will forward an invoice for 2021/2022 membership dues to the Peace River Regional District. The fee will be based on the current membership fee structure. For 2022/2023, NCLGA is considering updating how it determines membership fees. The goal is to further enhance fairness and equitability of fees among all member communities in the NCLGA region.

The following information outlines the current and proposed NCLGA membership fee structures and how your community would be affected by using 2021 fees as an example. The amounts are based on 2016 census information, which could change once 2021 census data is released later in 2021 or early 2022.

Current Membership Fee Structure:

Base rate (\$500) + 50% of population assessment value + 50% of regional hospital district assessment value
2021 membership fee - \$21,641.03

Proposed New Membership Fee Structure:

Base rate (\$500 for members with populations < 1,500, \$750 for members with populations > 1,500) + 60% of population assessment value + 40% of regional hospital district assessment value
2021 membership fee - \$19,069.48

NCLGA would appreciate feedback from members regarding the proposed fee structure change. Please forward your comments to Susan Chalmers, Executive Coordinator of NCLGA at admin@nclga.ca by **April 6**. The topic may also be raised at the 2021 NCLGA AGM & Convention in May.

Thank you once again for your ongoing support.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Sarah Storey'.

Sarra Storey
President, NCLGA