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**Subject:** Provincial Festival

Hello,

I am writing on behalf of the Peace River North Festival to request support from the Regional District for the Performing Arts BC Provincial Festival which we are hosting in Fort St. John Jun 2 - 6. The festival will see between 500 and 600 of the best young performing artists in the province, along with their families and teachers, come to Fort St. John to perform and compete in music, Speech arts and dance.

The Peace River North Festival is affiliated with Performing Arts BC and is the only qualifying festival in the Peace River region. Our young music and dance students are excited to bring the Provincial Festival to Fort St. John where they will get a chance to network with other musicians and dancers from around BC and be inspired by the outstanding level of performance that will be on display.

We believe that hosting the Provincial Festival brings economic and cultural benefit to the region and hope that the Regional District will support this exciting event. We would be happy to present to the directors and staff or answer any questions you may have about the Provincial Festival

Respectfully,  
Margaret May  
President, Peace River North Festival Association  
Co-Chair, Local Organizing Committee for the Provincial Festival  
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