



**MEMBER OF COUNCIL REPORT
ON OUT-OF-PROVINCE CONFERENCE**

(To be circulated to standing committees and posted on the internet)

Name of Member of Council: Mayor John Tory

Name of Conference: Federation of Canadian Municipalities – Big City Mayors' Caucus

Location: Edmonton, Alberta

Date(s) Attended: Thursday, June 4th, 2015

I confirm I attended the following sessions (please use additional sheet if required):

DATE	TIME	NAME OF SESSION
04/06/15	8am-4:30pm	Big Cities' Strategy Session

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Big Cities' Strategy Session Agenda

June 4th, 2015
8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Shaw Conference Centre, 9797 Jasper Avenue
Edmonton, Alberta

AGENDA

8:00 AM – 8:30 AM **Hot Breakfast**

8:30 AM – 8:40 AM Welcome remarks from host Mayor Don Iveson

8:40 AM – 8:50 AM Introductory remarks from BCMC Chair Gregor Robertson

- Approval of Agenda

8:50 AM – 8:55 AM Introductory remarks from President Woodside

8:55 AM – 9:20 AM The Path to Today – Campaign Update

9:20 AM – 10:00 AM Infrastructure – The Role of the Federal Government

- Kevin Page: Jean-Luc Pepin Research Chair on Canadian Government, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ottawa, and
- Sahir Kahn: Visiting Senior Fellow, Faculty of Social Sciences, University of Ottawa

10:00 AM – 10:15 AM **Break**

10:15 AM – 10:50 AM Infrastructure – The Role of the Federal Government (Continued)

10:50 AM – 11:00 AM The Road Ahead – Next Steps

11:00 AM – 11:05 AM **Transition Break**

11:05 AM – 11:50 AM Political Party Dialogue – Blueprint for Cities

- Green Party of Canada

11:50 AM – 12:50 PM **Lunch on site**

12:50 PM – 3:00 PM Political Party Dialogue – Blueprint for Cities (Continued)

- Conservative Party of Canada
- New Democratic Party of Canada
- Liberal Party of Canada

3:00 PM – 3:30 PM Break

3:30 PM – 4:15 PM BCMC Campaign – The Next Phase

4:15 PM – 4:30 PM Other Business

- COP 21
- Public Transit Fund Update

4:30 PM MEETING ADJOURNED

6:00 PM – 9:00 PM BCMC Dinner & Reception

- Wedgwood Room at the Fairmont Hotel Macdonald (10065 100th Street)