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August 18, 2016

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hosted by



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Supporting our New Neighbours:

Late last year, the federal government announced that they would be welcoming 25,000 Syrian refugees to Canada. These refugees have come in a mix of government and privately sponsored refugees. Government sponsored refugees have been destined for larger urban centres across Canada. Because these news stories have touched the hearts of many Canadians, the number of privately sponsored refugees is quite large; many of these refugees have ended up in smaller communities across Canada where private groups of all kinds have been their sponsors (including North Bay). Among other things, sponsors have found them housing, clothing and toys to help make their settlement less traumatic. In short, regardless of where these refugees have gone, they have been welcomed.

The Canadian chamber network has been active across the country, assisting within their communities to help settle and engage our newcomers. Much of the initial effort has been to assist in settlement. Many of these settlement activities are completed and now, the focus starts to turn to how refugees can find work and integration into the economy. John McCallum, Minister of Immigration, Refugees and Citizenship has challenged business to help the refugees settle through employment and jobs.

We want to capture the level of involvement that businesses have had in the initial integration and support of newly-arrived Syrian Refugees. We have heard many touching stories, and would love to hear many more. We would also like to gather some information about best practices and gain a big-picture perspective about where community efforts are being focused. Finally, we'd like to be able to share what we gather with others – so they might copy your good work!

So that we might gather some of this data, we would ask that you [fill out this five to ten minute survey](#)*, and show us how your company has helped in the effort.

Thank you! The Canadian Chamber of Commerce

**If your company has had no involvement, please take a minute to click "no" throughout the survey to help give us the best overall perspective possible*

Young Professionals invite you to the next Dinner Club - with an Urban Quest Challenge.

urbanQuest Tuesday, August 23, 2016

5:15 pm - meet at the Chamber office to pick teams and start the Urban Quest Challenge, an amazing race type activity within the Downtown and clues to the great history of North Bay

7:00 pm - meet at the Moose for dinner and drinks.

Please click here to RSVP your attendance so we can prepare for the Urban Quest Challenge and also reserve enough seats at the Moose.

[CLICK HERE](#) to reserve your spot

This event is organized by our Young Professionals but ALL Members are welcome to join in the fun and networking. Dinner and drinks are at the cost of each person participating.

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The North Bay Regional Health Centre is developing its 2017-19 Strategic Plan and you can help inform this plan by taking a short, 10 minute survey by Aug. 30 (see link below). Thank you to those who have already taken the survey — we encourage you to share this link with your friends, family and colleagues.

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City asking for public input on downtown waterfront through online survey

After a very successful public consultation session in June, the City of North Bay is inviting further feedback and ideas from the community about the future of the City's downtown waterfront.

"We had a great turnout for our first meeting and some really fantastic, constructive input from the residents that were in attendance," said Beverley Hillier, Manager - Planning Services with the City of North Bay. "We want to keep that momentum going and engage residents further, especially those who were unable to join us at our initial public session."

The City has launched an electronic citizen survey on their website, www.cityofnorthbay.ca/dwmp. The survey will be available until Friday, August 19, 2016. In addition, the planning department will be onsite at the North Bay Farmers' Market (in front of the Discovery North Bay Museum) on Wednesday, August 17 to solicit input.

A summary of the feedback and ideas generated during the first public consultation session are also now available on the City's website.

The Downtown Waterfront Master Plan is a 10-month exercise that the City of North Bay, in conjunction with Brook McIlroy, is undertaking to help shape new development and civic improvements for the downtown waterfront area.



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