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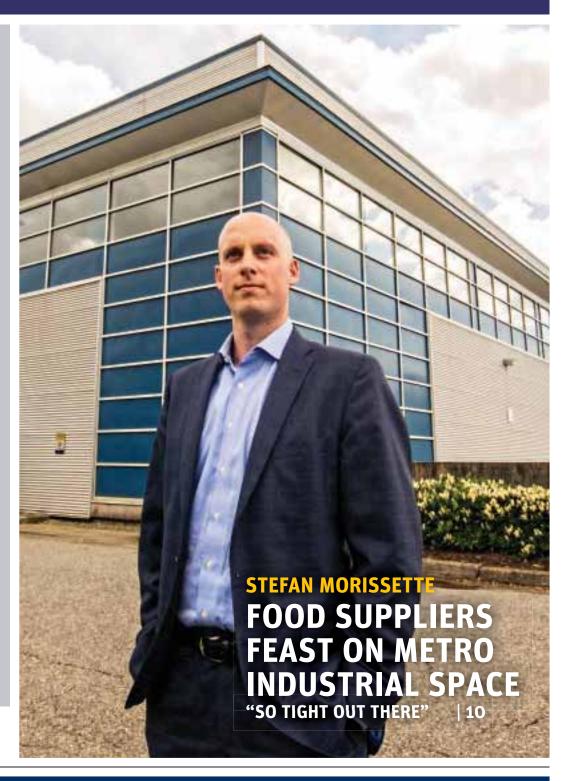
It now takes 20,000 pages of regulations to explain how to deal with contaminated land sites

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FOR SALE - GEORGIAN PINES MANUFACTURED HOME PARK

4086 STANDARD HILL ROAD, CRANBROOK, BC



- 102 home sites with potential for expansion

- Asking Price \$5,150,000

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NORTHLANDS BLVD, WHISTLER VILLAGE, BC



- Located in the Village
- Can be operated as multi-family rental property or hotel
- Property is strata-titled
 - BILL RANDALL* | BRETT AURA*

OWN IN RAILTOWN

309 - 313 ALEXANDER STREET



- Strong demand for this area from investors
- and developers
- Secure in-place cash flow with potential to reposition the asset
- BRETT AURA* | BOE IRAVANI*

BURQUITLAM MULTI-FAMILY LAND OPPORTUNITY

SMITH AVENUE, COQUITLAM



- 43,486 sf of land with OCP designation for attached residential
- · Contact listing broker for details

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INVESTMENT/DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FOR SALE

250 COLUMBIA STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER



- Pub/Liquor Store location

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ABBOTSFORD STRATA UNITS FOR SALE



- · Rear grade loading
- 25' clear ceiling heights
 Exposure to Marshall Road

ANDREW GREEN* **MULTI-FAMILY**

DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY

342 WALE ROAD, COLWOOD, BC



- Centrally located in the rapidly growing West Shore community of Colwood Site size of 59.374 sf
- Asking Price \$2,999,000

TIM SOMMER* | CHRIS DRIVER*

MIXED-USE DEVELOPMENT SITE WITH HOLDING INCOME

2950 BOUNDARY ROAD & 3723 MANOR STREET, BURNABY



- High profile corner totaling 28.540 sf
- C-2 / RM-3 zoning 68,500 sf potential buildable are
- Currently improved with a 32-room hotel and a single-family house
- 1% fee for cooperating brokers

BRETT AURA* | LEE BLANCHARD

LARGE-SCALE RESIDENTIAL BROOKSWOOD AREA 210 STREET & 36 AVENUE (PID: 012-746-657)

- Potential for densification upside with incoming
- Rinn Neighbourhood Plan
- Nearby servicing and in-place subdivision entitlement through Brookswood-Fernridge Community Plan

FOR SALE/LEASE - SERVICE WAREHOUSE WITH EXTENSIVE YARD COMPOUND

9790 198B STREET, LANGLEY

23.800 sf office/warehouse on 2.63 acre

Brand new concrete tilt-up building Fully sprinklered building

±0.86 acre / Light Industrial zone

Asking Price \$5,950,000

Extensive on-site parking/secure yard/ chain-link fencing

WILLIAM N. HOBBS* | DAVID POTTINGER

BUSINESS & ASSETS ON

±0.86 ACRE INDUSTRIAL LAND

28739 FRASER HIGHWAY, ABBOTSFORD

Superb & desirable location on busy Fraser Hwy

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±25,000 daily vehicles at Fraser Highway and Bradner Road Intersection

BRAD NEWMAN-BENNETT* | JONAH MUZYKA

FOR SALE 39541 QUEENS WAY SQUAMISH, BC



- 3.34 acre
- Zoning: MUD-1 Mixed-Use District Area 2 & 3
 Asking Price \$7,200,000

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3.54 ACRE MULTI-FAMILY **DEVELOPMENT SITE IN KAMLOOPS**

2046 ROBSON PLACE, KAMLOOPS, BC



- Great potential for a rental apartment building
- DP, Geotechnical and Zoning report available
- Asking Price \$1,700,000

HARPREET SINGH*

STRATA OFFICE OR RETAIL FOR SALE IN THE HEART OF CHINATOWN

239 KEEFER STREET, VANCOUVER



- Up to 10,029 sf
- Private entrance lobby and elevator for office users
- Ground floor retail opportunity on one of Chinatown's most prominent streets

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FOR SALE - FULLY TENANTED INDUSTRIAL PROPERTY 18445 53RD AVENUE, SURREY



- Cloverdale Business Park
- 23,395 sf freestanding manufacturing/ distribution warehouse
- Dock & grade loading / Fenced compound
 Strong international convenant
 - WILLIAM N. HOBBS*

FOR SALE 3851 22ND AVENUE PRINCE GEORGE, BC



- 39,264 sf warehouse/office
- · Located in the premier industrial park
- 10.1 acre lot (fully paved & fenced) Good holding income from a very strong tenancy
- Asking Price \$7,350,000

 - BILL RANDALL*

FOR SALE

NORTHGATE MALL 30 566 SE SHOPPING CENTRE



- Anchored by Government Liquor Store Fully leased net income: approx. \$496,000
- Located in the commercial core of Fort St. John

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DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY ACROSS FROM METROTOWN

5105 KINGSWAY, BURNABY



- ±9,532 sf lot with potential to assembl neighbouring lots totalling ±92,843 sf C4 zoning
- \$7.600.000

CRAIG HAZIZA** | KYLE WILSON

FOR SALE - SERVICE/ COMMERCIAL WAREHOUSE

DOWNTOWN PORT ALBERNI, BC



- 12,654 sf industrial warehouse/ showroom facility
- · Centrally located, corner lot with C-3 zoning commercial)
- Ideal for owner/user or investor

ANNE TANNER*

FOR SALE SUNRISE HEIGHTS PLACE

2215 EAST HASTINGS STREET, VANCOUVER 2778 EAST HASTINGS STREET, VANCOUVER



- 37 rental suites
- 7.268 sf of commercial space • Asking Price \$20,500,000

DON DUNCAN* | CRAIG HAZIZA** KYLE WILSON

±3.8 ARE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITY

31401 GILL AVENUE, MISSION



- Excellent location in Mission for industrial
- Access to Fraser River
- Vacant land with portion of land as an income property
 - HARPREET SINGH*
 - 2.698 ACRES OF PRIME

DEVELOPMENT LAND



- High exposure corner lot
 Light industrial with potential for retail/
- Great access with 3 road frontages
- Only \$1,825,000 per acre

BART VANSTAALDUINEN* | RICK EASTMAN CAMPBELL HEIGHTS STRATA **UNITS FOR SALE**



- Units from 2,247 sf
- Rear grade loading
 - · 22' clear ceiling heights

ANDREW GREEN*

OPEN FORMAT SHOPPING CENTRE TYEE PLAZA, CAMPBELL RIVER, BC



- Easily accessible and in a transit-oriented location Clear title, great yield potential with upside

PETER GIBSON*

FULLY LEASED MISSION COMMON

SHOPPING CENTRE 32471 LOUGHEED HIGHWAY, MISSION, BC



- Approx. 26.594 sf of retail space
- Corner property location along Lougheed Hwy
- Sustainable income stream with long-term leases
- Anchor tenants include: Rexall, Tim Hortons, Burger King, Panago and Pro-Oil Change

PETER GIBSON* | ERIC WALKER FOR SALE EAST VILLAGE PLACE



- 34 rental suites
- 6.625 sf of commercial space

 Asking Price \$18,000,000 DON DUNCAN* | CRAIG HAZIZA**
KYLE WILSON

FOR SALE 38.4 - 78.4 ACRES



- 2 lots: 38.4 and 40 acres Beautiful views
- Future residential development property
- Asking \$3,250,000 per lot

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FOR SALE - 168.7 ACRES WITH RENTAL INCOME



• 11,000 sf building on 168.7 acres
(includes office, coffee room & a parts room)

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- 5 CRU's
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- +/- 1,019 Sq. rt. Stable
 7 Acres planted in Certified Organic Blueberries

\$3,995,000

14021 Rippington Road

19.49 Acres of beautiful estate property +/-187,964 Sq. Ft. of Greenhouse Facilities 4.3-4.5 Acres of outdoor growing area

- 1.7 Acres of Blueberries
- 4 Acres of Fallow Ground
 4/3,829 Sq. Ft., 2 Storey, 5 Bedroom & 4 Bathroom Home
 on privately landscaped 3 Acres with mountain views
 Turnkey operation
 \$5,750,000
- - \$5,750,000

KEREMEOS

- St. Laszlos Vineyard

 9.331 Acres beautiful view property

 One of BC's oldest wineries and one of the original six
- Wine shop/tasting room 2 Bedroom Home, Quonset Building and 8 acres of grapes Highway #3 road frontage

\$1,250,000 **ROBERTS CREEK**

2525 Lower Road

- 4.1 Acres Waterfront Property 265' of waterfront less than 1/2 hour drive from ferry five bedrooms each with own en-suite 4,950 Sq. Ft. One and a Half Storey Home Cody. Poet tesing Ocean
- 4,950 Sq. Ft. One ...
 Cedar Deck facing Ocea
 Beautiful view property Cedar Deck facing Ocean
- \$3,998,000 ✓ VALUE FOR \$

ACREAGE

LANGLEY

7025 272nd Street

- · 11.9 Acres beautiful mountain view property
- · Easy Access to the TransCanada
- · 7.506 Sq. Ft. Main House
- 2,507 Sq. Ft. Secondary House • 1,014 Sq. Ft. Garage
- 2,299 Sq. Ft. Bike Garage

\$3,788,000

6895 & 6897 272nd Street

- Centrally Located 32.85 Acres
- Private Estate Property
- · 2 Titles 3 residences, pool, storage garages, stables & paddocks
- 7,947 sq. ft. Main House with 6 bdrms, 5 bathrms
- 4,071 sq.ft. 2nd home 3 bdrms , 2 baths
- 1,423 sq. ft. Equestrian residence 2 bdrms, 2 baths
- 2,392 sq. ft 4 car garage 10 stall stables with feed storage , office , tack

room and grooming area \$10,800,000

- 6681 Glover Road
- 9.758 Acres
- 4 Bedroom, 2 Storey Residence Built "1909"
 +/-93,000 Sq. Ft. of Barns & +/-33,000 Sq. Ft. of Loft Space
- 3.5 Acres Parking
- · ALR "Think AG" AG Retail, AG Commercial, AG Industrial, AG Production, AG Tourism
- Zoned RH-3

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ACREAGE

CHILLIWACK 51140 Ruddock Road

- · 27.097 Acre Retreat
- · Significant amount of road frontage
- · City of Chilliwack's OCP supports development of this area as part of the Eastern Hillsides expansion with a proposed zoning of 99% R-EHP and 1% EC-EHP

\$1,995,000

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Fill Site

- · 600,000 cubic meter fill site on acreage property
- · Great exposure
- · Highway access
- · Call for Confidential Details

SPRUCE GROVE, ALBERTA 26515A Township Rd 514

- 35.25 Acre nursery with retail sales centre

 +/-23,410 Sq. Ft. of Greenhouse Space

 +/-6,735 Sq. Ft. of Seasonal Growing Houses

 Principal Residence is +/- 2,956 Sq. Ft. home (Full Basement with 4 Bedrooms & 2 Bathrooms)

 16' x 56', 2 Bedroom mobile home

 CALL US FOR ALL THE DETAILS

LANGLEY 4140 200th Street

- 10,207 Sq. Ft. Lot Good central location +/- 952.91 Sq. Ft. of Retail

- roximity to Everywhere
 Old Hudson Bay Farm

 * 4/- 1,071.09 Sq. Ft. of Storage, Lunchroom & Maintenance Room

 * 4/-1,364 Sq. Ft. Second Floor, 2 Bedroom Suite

 * NCP shows Commercial Village Zoning

 * 1,899,900 ✓ TENANT COVENANT

COMMERCIAL/INDUSTRIAL

CHILLIWACK 43775 Industrial Way & 7923 Logan Dr

- +/-0.83 Acres of land with +/-1,135 Sq. Ft. Covered Outdoor Storage
- +/-3,555 Sq. Ft. Second Storey Office
- +/-1.824 Sq. Ft. Lean-to • +/-2,256.67 Sq. Ft. of Outdoor Storage Adjacent to Shop

CALL FOR LEASE RATES

8558 Chilliwack Mountain Road

- 10.687 Acres
- · Concept A
- Concept A

 Landlord will be using the Northern Most Portion
 Fronting Chilliwack Mountain Road

 3 additional lots All fronting Aitken Road

 Aligned with current city zoning M3(General Industrial) and M4(Heavy Industrial)
- Concept B Landlord will be using the Northern Most Lot Fronting Chilliwack Mountain Road
- 4 additional lots
- 2 fronting Aitken Road, 2 accessed off cul-de-sac Rezoning needed to M1(Light Industrial) and/or M2(Service Industrial)

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A-8444 Aitken Road

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4 LOT ASSEMBLY - CAMBIE CORRIDOR



- 651, 665, 679 & 699 West 29th Ave, Vancouver, BC
- Designated for townhouse development in Phase
- 3 of the Cambie Corridor Plan
- 26,118 sqft site
- Asking Price: \$20,680,000

Edward Chiu, Matt Nugent* Eric K. Poon*

BURQUITLAM HIGH-RISE SITE



Strata Wind Up Opportunity in Coquitlam, BC

- Address: 601 North Road
- Site Area: 34.902 sqft
- The Wolverton: 41 Strata Units
- · Contact Listing Agent for more information

Matt Nugent*, Edward Chiu, Chris Midmore, Brian Tattrie

BURQUITLAM HIGH-RISE SITE



- Strata Wind Up Opportunity in Coquitlam Bo
- Address: 590 Whiting Way, Coquiltlam, BC
- Site Area: 31,796 sqft
- Potential to be assembled with 601 North Rd to create a 66,698 sqft site
 Contact Listing Agents for more information

Matt Nugent*, Edward Chiu, Chris Midmore, Brian Tattrie

STRATA RETAIL INVESTMENT OPPORTUNITY



1500 Hornby St, Vancouver, BC

- · Located at Hornby St & Beach Ave
- 2 strata units joined
- 1,540 SF
- · Leased until Sept 2019 Asking \$1,858,000

Brian Tattrie 604.714.4783

INVESTMENT/DEVELOPMENT SITE



3082 St Johns Street, Port Moody, BC

- Location: Moody Centre Skytrain Transit-Oriented Area
- Corner lot, fronting main St Johns Street

1030 Harwood St. Vancouver, BC

 Site Size: 12.969 SF (99' x 131') Zoned RM-5A Multiple Family

 Assessments: \$23,390,100 Cynthia Dong*

RETAIL CORNER W/ DEVELOPMENT POTENTIAL



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Hans Van de Kamp, Edward Chiu, Matt Nugent* Chris Midmore, Brian Tattrie

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• 13,131 SF land size, 2.5 base FSR + density bonus potential

- · Contact: 778.881.6204 or 604.655.8122

Fay Tseng* & Andrew JD Scott*

APARTMENT & DEVELOPMENT SITE

WATERMARK BEACH RESORT



15 Park Place, Osoyoos, BC

• 4.13-acre beach resort in Osoyoos

• Offer includes 30 residential & 14 commercial
strata lots, 16 leased marina slips & an experienced
management company

• The property features 153
suites, restaurant, lounge, outdoor pool w/
waterslide etc. & over 1,000 feet of sandy beach front

Cynthia Dong* 604.518.8230 ISLAND MARINA



ISLAND MARINA

Price: \$5,000,000

- 9 Lease Tenants Solid NOI High-Profile Downtown Waterfront Location
- Over 3,200 Lineal Feet of Rentable Moorage Major Upgrades: Concrete Docks, Plumbing, Electrical

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MULTIFAMILY SITE - 25 ACRES



Terrace, BC - Residential Subdivision

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- 2 and 3 bdrm suites Tight rental market
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- Numerous suite and
- James.Blair@am.jll.com

304 Third Avenue



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- Located in Queen's Park
- skytrain station Sale price of \$5,900,000

James.Blair@am.jll.com



Rock Creek - 4061 Hwy. #3

2.69 acre parcel fronts Kettle River, 1 small cabin, 1 partially built home.

Listing # 2429455 - \$199,000.00



Osoyoos View Home on 20 Acres

305 Long Joe Rd. Spectacular view of entire Osoyoos Lake - 4,030 square foot home, barn, riding ring. Hobby farm with access to crown land. Well maintained home. Listing # 168691 - \$1.100,000.00



completed

Sale price \$5,800,000

resulting in 5.59% cap rate

Arosa Ranch - 6760 Hwy. #3 - 160 Acres 5,000 square foot custom log home, 2 ponds, outbuildings, barn. Life style change located on USA border, 20 mins east of Osoyoos. 9 serviced RV sites, duplex cabin Listing #170826 - \$1,649,500

DEVELOPMENT SITE IN LAKE ERROCK

Osoyoos Mountain Estates Building Lot - 340 Sasquatch Trail, Osoyoos 3.09 Acres - Level building site, paved driveway. Listing #166762 - \$190,000.00

neighbourhood

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Manitoba offers more than Canada's best hockey

COMMENT | Central province setting new records in farm production and population growth; its commercial real estate eclipses larger markets and house prices are among the most affordable

This year the upstart Winnipeg Jets were the only Canadian team in years to get deep into the Stanley Cup playoffs, but Manitoba has quietly been posting a number of firsts recently.

Canada's central province is often overlooked and underrated. Flanked this spring by the histrionics of the Ontario provincial election on one side and the hysteria of an interprovincial pipeline battle on the other, Manitoba was perhaps grateful to be running under the radar.

But the province has a right to voice more "white noise" cheers, as detailed in a provincial economic report released in May.

The report noted that Manitoba leads the country with a near 40 per cent increase in auto sales this vear. It is also No. 1 in farm cash receipts, which increased



8.8 per cent in 2017 to a record \$6.5 billion. Manitoba farmers set a record in major crop production last year, with crop receipts up 8.8 per cent from a year earlier.

In the mining sector, Manitoba increased gold production by nearly 21 per cent in the first two months of this year.

Manitoba's real GDP is forecast to grow by 2 per cent this year, just slightly off the national GDP

And, to top it all off, Manitoba's population has increased to 1.34 million and, for first time, its working-age population has surpassed one million. A big reason for the population increase is in-migration. Last year an average of more than 1,000 people moved into Manitoba, most of them from foreign countries.

'As its two Prairie neighbours rebound from a deep trough caused by the collapse of commodity prices in the carbonbased sector as well as the potash industry, the diversified and stable Manitoba economy continues to make headway and is expected to stay among the provincial leaders," noted the Conference Board of Canada in its 2018 outlook for provincial economies.

As for real estate, Winnipeg which accounts for 62 per cent of Manitoba's population - has the second-lowest downtown office vacancy rate among western Canadian cities at 8.8 per cent.

Winnipeg's industrial market has seen vacancy rates fall to 2.9 per cent, the lowest level in five years. At the same time, net absorption and average net rents are both ramping higher.

In the multi-family rental sector, Winnipeg has a healthy vacancy rate of 2.8 per cent, the average rent for a two-bedroom is \$1,100 and investors can still find apartment buildings for \$100,000 a door.

For those in Vancouver wondering how they will ever afford a home, Winnipeg could be a viable option. The average price of a nice detached house in the Manitoba capital is \$326,000, among the lowest of any major

Yes, Manitoba has a lot more to offer than Canada's best hockey

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Food processors bite deep into Metro industrial market

COVER | Appetite has helped drive Metro Vancouver vacancy rate to 1.5 per cent – the lowest in Canada

> By PETER MITHAM wieditor@biv.com

Thile industrial developers hungrily eye farmland for new opportunities, food processors and distributors have spent the past year serving up some of the biggest deals for industrial space.

CBRE Ltd. reports that 31.3 per cent of Metro Vancouver's top 10 lease transactions last vear were to food and beverage companies, including the BC Liquor Distribution Branch, Loblaw Cos. Ltd. and Golden Boy Foods Ltd.

"We continue to see strong demand with over one million square feet of current tenants in the market that are food and beverage-related," said Chris Mac-Cauley, a senior vice-president and veteran industrial broker with CBRE.

But with Daiya Foods Inc.'s recent deal for 396,770 square feet at the former **Brick** warehouse at 3100 Production Way in Burnaby, there's even less space available than there was before.

The deal underscores the Lower Mainland's industrial space crunch, because, according to Colliers International, it cut industrial vacancies by 10 per cent, reducing the rate to 1.5 per cent – the lowest in the country.

Tenants are now competing for about 3.6 million square feet of available space, and a diminishing acreage for new premises.

"It's so, so tight out there," said Stefan Morissette, a vice-president specializing in industrial real estate at Colliers, who handled the Daiva deal with Andrew Lord.

"I have a client looking for 40,000 to 60,000 [square feet] of general warehousing space, and I've had to take him from Vancouver all the way to Campbell Heights [in Surrey] because there's only probably two or three options that are suitable in the next three to six months to occupy."

Otsuka Pharmaceutical Co. Ltd. of Japan purchased Daiya last year for \$405 million, with plans to expand the 10-year-old company.

The recent lease deal underscores that, putting Daiya in a space many times the size of the 30,000 square feet it previously occupied. Production of its plant-based food products will take place in half the building, while the remainder will handle distribution.

"They're going to invest a substantial amount of capital in recreating the interior because it's going to be [primarily] a cooler-freezer-production facility," Morissette explained.

Its success follows that of other local agri-food startups that have grown to international stature. including Nature's Path Foods Inc., Golden Boy Foods and many smaller companies that have taken advantage of Vancouver's transportation links to import ingredients and export finished products. Other companies, like Soya World Inc. of Mississauga, have expanded into the region to



Stefan Morissette, a vice-president specializing in industrial real estate at Colliers International, at the new Daiya Foods location in Burnaby. The company's leased 396,770 square feet at the former Brick warehouse. | CHUNG CHOW

serve local markets.

"We're just a health-conscious society that creates these businesses that tend to grow globally, because we're almost like a hub," Morissette said.

While the unique demographic mix in the Lower Mainland attracts many ethnic-food businesses, the broader growth of the population means a greater volume of the products that are in demand is also required.

"[We've] been on a growth pattern for a long time, and food is always a requirement as population and income grows," Moris-

But with older industrial space

near the port being upzoned to office and other uses, even food companies are being pushed out. This space squeeze was highlighted two years ago when the city's plans for a new arterial route along Malkin Avenue cast the future of the area's produce distributors in doubt. The city is undertaking a consultation this summer on the issue, which remains a concern for local

Relocating local produce distributors would disrupt not only supply chains but the businesses' historical and cultural links to the area and with each other, said Philip Wong, president of the Produce Terminal. It would also push them into a property market unable to offer a similar cluster of space.

Relocation of the BC Liquor Distribution Branch warehouse to Delta and Molson Coors' plans for a new plant in Chilliwack highlight just how far the businesses would have to go to find a similar arrangement of premises. Redevelopment is transforming

the vacated premises, often with small-bay space hosting niche operators, such as the several craft breweries in the historic industrial areas of Mount Pleasant and adjacent to the port along Powell Street. It's a similar story on Murray Street in Port Moody and even in Abbotsford. Four Winds Brewing Co. Ltd., meanwhile, is set to bust out of the space it has maxed out in Tilbury.

Since opening in 2013, it's filled up four bays in its original building and leased an additional five bays in adjacent premises for a total of 18,000 square feet.

With large blocks of contiguous space in short supply, cofounder and sales director Adam Mills says Four Winds will have to be creative about future space requirements.

"We're considering alternatives such as acquiring close-by additional warehouses for warehousing in the short term and, ultimately, working with a developer to build a large enough stand-alone building to facilitate our plans for future growth," he

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By SUSAN M. BOYCE wieditor@biv.com

any B.C. builders are thinking sustainability as Vancouver aims to become Canada's greenest cities. Here are three developers who are driven by a pssion for environmental stewardship.

Cultus Lake: After an aborted launch by another developer in 2007, construction is now underway on Alture Properties' \$23 million, resort-style residence on the shores of Cultus Lake. Located just minutes from downtown Chilliwack, Cultus Lake is a popular destination: it's estimated over a million people visit every year. The lake is home and spawning ground for a diverse array of fish including the Cultus pygmy sculpin and Cultus sockeye salmon – both unique to these waters. And it was fish that posed one of the greatest development challenges. "This site has a long, complicated

history," said **Stephen Duke**, Alture's executive vice-president. "In the mid-1900s it was a **Department of Fisheries and Oceans** [DFO] hatchery before it was converted into a marina."

Alture knew the failing, wooded culvert that allowed fish to pass under the roadway to the property had to be replaced, but no one anticipated discovering several large concrete DFO holding tanks – tanks where many fish had become trapped, unable to navigate

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Terrace House: tallest timber-frame tower in North America, it uses sustainably harvested wood from the Kootenays. | PORTLIVING



Saving the fish: developers at Cultus Lake built a custom culvert to save fish during the construction of a recreational resort near Chilliwack. | ALTURE PROPERTIES

down and filled to create space for a state-of-the-art concrete culvert that Duke says will provide a year-round entry/exit point for centuries. Approximately 235 of the trapped fish were netted and released back into the lake. Alture also established a 15-foot swath of endangered riparian wetlands along the shoreline, creating a protected, natural habitat.

Duke added the condo building will be designed to extremely high-end energy-saving and green specifications.

Paper cabins: When the city of Kobe, Japan, was struck by a 6.9-magnitude earthquake in 1995, more than 200,000 people suddenly found themselves homeless. **Shigeru Ban**, then a young Tokyo-based architect, responded to the housing crisis by designing

the Kobe Paper Log House. Using materials like cardboard and paper that were readily available and, more importantly, inexpensive or even free, he invented the paper log construction that's become a de facto world standard for disaster relief shelters.

The paper tubes used for the walls are just 3.8 millimetres thick with a diameter of about 7.6 millimetres. The roof is made from tent canvas and the flooring is sturdy milk crates that have been turned upside down and loaded with sandbags. Simple, sturdy and easy to recycle multiple times, the logs can be made right on site and quickly erected or dismantled.

Timber tower: Poised to shake up the way highrises are built, Vancouver condo developer **PortLiving** is taking a daring step

forward in the world of mass timber construction.

Terrace House, designed by Shigeru Ban, will comprise 12 storeys of reinforced concrete topped with seven storeys of post-andbeam mass timber. The wood used to manufacture this glued laminated timber is sustainably harvested in the Kootenays.

The glazed curtain walls are made of museum-quality, low-emissivity glass. This highly specified product is 98.5 per cent clear – visually differentiating if from the surrounding downtown towers that can appear to be colours ranging from dusty rose to orange to copper brown.

Terrace House is the tallest hybrid timber structure in North America and the first to be approved under existing building regulations. The unique tower could represent a major step forward in Vancouver's goal of being the greenest city in Canada. Wood is a sustainable building material that stores, rather than emits, carbon dioxide for the life of the structure.

Other environmental and performance benefits of wood construction include reduced greenhouse gas emissions, reduced embodied energy and direct occupant and builder health benefits, according to PortLiving.

"Terrace House will pave the way to use mass timber throughout as a structural element without needing exceptions in the existing municipal bylaws," said Macario (Tobi) Reyes, founder and CEO of PortLiving.



Paper log houses, made from paper and other recycled materials, are being used to quickly house homeless victims of natural disasters. IVANCOUVER ART GALLERY

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Foreign buyers and city hall eye commercial strata potential

would identify low supply, special taxes and relative affordability as key factors fuelling the strata office market in downtown Vancouver.

On the supply side, only 320 Granville Street, Burrard Place and 999 Seymour have brought noteworthy strata office supply to the downtown in the past five years. Much of this space was quickly absorbed, with 320 Granville Street selling roughly half of its space in a week last November.

With regard to special taxes, the foreign entity tax (FET) recently increased to 20 per cent while the B.C. speculation tax steps to 2 per cent annually in 2019 for foreign investors and satellite families.

Strata office is exempt from both the FET and the speculation tax and groups, including foreigners, who historically invested in the residential market have shifted their focus to commercial assets to avoid these taxes.

Lastly, the smaller size and lower price point of strata space allow market entry for small to medium-sized businesses as an alternative to leasing.

CACs negotiated

Counteracting the appeal of strata office space in Vancouver is the city's community amenity contribution (CAC) policy update: Simplifying Community Amenity Contributions on New Rental Housing and Commercial Development (effective November 29, 2017). This policy removes CAC



By BRADY FLEGUEL

negotiations for commercialonly rezoning applications in the downtown and Metro core and instead creates interim commercial linkage targets at fixed rates (\$15 per square foot downtown, \$10 per square foot in the Metro

This sounds like a progressive idea, as predictable CACs have proven to be a catalyst to supply of new development (i.e., Cambie corridor). However, the new policy excludes all commercial-only rezoning applications proposing stratified commercial space and large site developments. These sites will continue to be processed under the negotiated CAC approach.

Why would strata office be excluded from fixed CACs? Clearly the city plans to "participate" in this sector.

To give perspective, 320 Granville and Burrard Gateway have sold strata office space for more than double the price of similar leased office space (on a per-square-foot basis). The proposed commercial linkage targets are expected to result in only \$3 million per year. This is nominal relative to the negotiated CAC approach using 75 per cent of the resultant "land lift" from rezoning.

For the reader's reference, the last notable negotiated rezoning in downtown Vancouver (the First Baptist Church site at Burrard and Nelson) netted the city a CAC package of over \$91 million (primarily a residential project).

The new CAC policy shows that the city wants jobs within its borders but has its hand out in case the numbers look too good.

Outlook

My thoughts for the future are optimistic for both the strata and leasing components of the office market.

Broadly, the downtown and surrounding areas offer limited sites for office use. Sites considering a shift to strata office space will limit the supply of new projects for lease, bolstering new projects that have commenced construction with limited or no pre-leasing (Vancouver Centre 2, 601 West Hastings and 400 West Georgia).

Secondly, older C-class office buildings in the core could see demolition or possibly conversion to strata.

Both could be achieved without rezoning.

Tenants in these buildings are

currently in place at relatively affordable rents and could struggle to replicate existing rental costs without sacrificing location. This demand could be met by projects in Railtown, Mount Pleasant, Burrard Slopes and most notably the False Creek Flats as a source of new office supply, a good portion of which could be strata office.

Next, the Broadway Uptown Office District is reaching peak desirability since the TransLink Mayors' Council reached an agreement in March 2018 for the remaining funding of the Broadway subway. Concurrently, the University of British Columbia is now offering to contribute funds to extend the Broadway subway to its campus. Expect more strata office supply here, albeit at discount pricing to downtown projects.

I expect strata office to dominate the office landscape in Vancouver in coming years. The

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value premium between strata office and leasehold office space is dramatic.

What if this premium leads a significant percentage of office sites to choose strata tenure over leasehold, much like the residential market from the past 15

Could Vancouver be left with a similar undersupply of office space for lease?

Will the city need a subsidizing policy similar to Rental 100, but for office space?

Will commercial use be added to the FET and the speculation

Maybe I'm one cycle ahead.■

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City of Vancouver seeks a slice of the lucrative commercial strata sector, which is exempt from both foreign-buyer and speculation taxes





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FEATURE | Contaminated site regulations - and cost estimates - have ballooned in British Columbia

By FRANK O'BRIEN fobrien@biv.com

fter the most recent update, B.C.'s Contaminated Sites Regulation (CSR) now covers 20,000 pages, and the costs to meet the requirements continue to increase, according to companies hired to decipher how the rules apply to real estate developers and

On November 1, 2017, Stage 10 omnibus amendments to the CSR came into effect. It updated more than 8,500 environmental quality standards. The amendments changed concentrations deemed harmful for a broad range of contaminants and added a significant number of new ones.

"This meant that work before that date would become non-compliant overnight. This caused environmental consulting companies to rush over 100 submissions before the deadline to grandfather their work and avoid additional costs for their clients," explained Harm Gross, a biologist and president of Next Environmental of Burnaby.

"[The new regulations] are likely to add further delays and costs for property owners and developers seeking to develop, purchase or sell land deemed polluted," Avison **Young** noted in its Fall 2017 Metro Vancouver Industrial Overview report on the subject.

Overall, the new regulations are meant to streamline the cleanup of polluted sites, said Jason Wilkins, a contaminated-sites approval expert with **Hemmera Envirochem**



B.C.'s Contaminated Sites Regulation now covers 20,000 pages in a score of volumes after amendments were added last vear. I HARM GROSS

Inc. of Vancouver. He noted that contaminated-site cleanups in Vancouver date back to the sale of Vancouver's Expo 86 lands more than 30 years ago. "The process is the same, only some standards have changed."

The regulations are applied on a project-by-project basis and largely depend on what was previously on the land and what is now being built on it.

Sites polluted with metal will face greater scrutiny, for example, because of more exacting standards for drinking water.

Raminder Grewal, president of Keystone Environmental of Burnaby, explained that many of the dissolved-metal standards have become more stringent, which could result in developers facing higher overall remediation costs. Developing old gas station sites, for instance, could become much more complex under the new rules.

"There are a few hydrocarbon

[The new regulations] are likely to add further delays and costs for property owners and developers seeking to develop, purchase or sell land deemed polluted

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groundwater standards that have become more stringent for service stations that could result in increased cost for delineation and an increase in the potential for contamination to have migrated off-site," Grewal explained.

The updated regulations introduce new soil standards for



Harm Gross, president, Next Environmental: company launched fixed-price quotes to provide some stability in cost projections.

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low- and high-density residential development. The standards are more stringent for low-density housing than for higher-density residential, explained Adam Way, an associate with Harper Grey LLP, an environmental law group in Vancouver. There are also separate rules for the construction

of parking lots attached to any development, with specific rules for above- and below-ground parking.

Gross said simply trying to follow the myriad of regulations, especially on mixed-use projects that can include commercial, residential and parking, can skew estimated remediation costs.

"With regulations in flux and frequent changes in rules, the potential for accurately predicting costs for site remediation projects [is challenging]," he said. At one commercial site the actual cost was actually \$15 million lower than the estimate, he noted.

Unreliable cost estimates are prevalent in the environmental consulting industry, he added.

Gross said his company has taken the "unprecedented step" of offering fixed-price quotes at each step of investigation and remediation in a bid to eliminate cost uncertainty. "Time will tell if this measure spreads to other firms," he said.

Developers are scrambling to keep up with the new regulations.

Iason Tonin is vice-president of land development with Beedie Developments, which is transforming the 89-acre Fraser Mills industrial site in Coquitlam into a mixeduse development that will include industrial space, retail, offices, about 4,000 multi-family units, and various levels of parking.

"It's a concern that the goal posts have moved," Tonin said. "It is done for the betterment of the community, but, unfortunately, it is sometimes to the detriment of development timing or opportunities." ■



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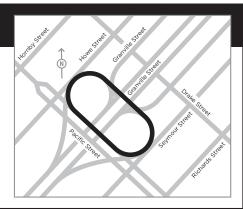
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Vancouver, at \$17 per square foot, and North Vancouver, at \$15.30 per square foot, are the most expensive industrial markets, while Delta (\$9.01 per square foot), Surrey (\$9.11) and Abbotsford (\$9.17) had the lowest average rates in the

Appetite for industrial space is "voracious" with more than 4.13 million square feet absorbed in 2017 alone and nearly three million square feet absorbed since the third quarter of 2017, according to the latest Avison Young survey.

Government fees hammer homes



Paul Sullivan, appraiser and tax expert.

Government taxes and fees now total more than 26 per

cent, or \$220,256, of the total \$840,000 cost of a typical new 700-square-foot Vancouver condo apartment, according to appraisal and tax expert Paul Sullivan, a senior partner at Burgess, Cawley, Sullivan and Associates Ltd.

Sullivan presented his analysis to the Greater Vancouver Board of Trade's Housing Forum 2018, held May 25.

A separate CD Howe Institute report in May found that government regulations and charges add an extra \$644,000 to the cost of building a single-family house in Metro Vancouver.

"When expressing their deep concerns over housing affordability, why haven't governments taken a long hard look in the mirror?" Sullivan asked.

He noted that along the Broadway corridor, where the new SkyTrain extension will be built, the City of Vancouver recently proposed a new development charge of between \$330 to \$425 per square foot above existing zoning for every new condo built.

Most Millennials have bought

Perhaps to the surprise of many, the majority of young adult Canadians have already bought a home, according to a study from Genworth Canada.

Millennials are "the engine driving the housing market," stated Canada's secondlargst mortgage insurer in Canada. The national study,

commissioned by Genworth. found that 59 per cent of Millennials own a home. As well, many bought in the last two years even as government measures ramped up to curtail demand.

Among those who own their homes, 30 per cent of Millennials bought a home in the past two years compared with just 9 per cent of older Canadians, the survey found.

New Vancouver house now \$3.8M

There were 1,413 new singledetached houses under construction in May across the City of Vancouver and the average price of the 587 houses completed in the month was \$3.87 million.

The Vancouver office of Canada Mortgage and Housing Corp. noted that actual Metro Vancouver housing starts so far this year reached 11.095 units. The region is dominated by multi-family starts, which totalled 9,260 units through the first five months of 2018 compared with just 1,835 detached houses.

Metro Vancouver home builders are facing headwinds this year because of a dramatic sales decline in the resale market. According to the Real Estate Board of Greater Vancouver, sales of detached houses plunged 42 per cent in May compared with a year earlier; condo apartment sales dropped 29.3 per cent and townhouse sales were down nearly 40 per cent. ■

Clueless in Vancouver on foreigninvestor impact, CMHC concedes

New condo pre-sales to foreign buyers

Condo projects completed 2016 to 2017

Area		% foreign buyers
Vancouver		19%
Richmond	•	24%
Coquitlam		23%
Metro Vancouver		16%
		SOURCE: CANADA MORTGAGE AND HOUSING COR

Eric Bond, market analysis principal with Canada Mortgage and Housing Corp. says pre-sale condo figures show foreign buyers remain active.

s Asian capital continues to gobble up acres of residential land in Metro Vancouver, a lead analyst for Canada Mortgage and Housing Corp. (CMHC) said the agency remain clueless about the impact of foreign investment.

"We don't know," Eric Bond, market analysis principal with CMHC, told the Greater Vancouver Board of Trade's Housing Forum 2018, despite an intense focus on the role of foreign buyers in the Metro housing market by Statistics Canada and the British Columbia Ministry of Finance over the past two years.

"We do not know, concretely, what the impact of foreign capital has been on the Vancouver housing market.

"Anyone claiming otherwise, whether they are claiming it is a big deal or not a big deal at all, is stating an opinion as we do not currently have the data to answer that question,"

Bond, a key member of a forum panel on the impact of foreign investment, explained that foreign capital flows into real estate in Canada "are not tracked and until we have data on that and where it is going, it is very

difficult to determine [its impact]." Bond repeated CMHC's controversial 2017 finding that only 4.8 per cent of Metro Vancouver homes were owned by foreign nationals, but he added that number may be rising quickly, especially in the condomin-

Since 2016, the share of new condominiums pre-sold to foreign buyers has reached 19 per cent in Vancouver and accounts for 24 per cent of all buyers in Richmond and 23 per cent in Coquitlam, Bond explained.

Two Vancouver development companies, Aoyuan Property Group of Hong Kong and Landa Global Properties Ltd., with mainland Chinese funding, are among the latest foreigncapital conduits.

Landa has bought residential development sites in East Vancouver, on the west side of Vancouver and in Richmond over the past three years. Aoyuan is more active locally in Burnaby. Belford Properties, which is also backed by Chinese capital, is a major residential and commercial developer in Burnaby's Metrotown area.

Recently it was disclosed that the redevelopment of the Oakridge transit centre is being led by China's Modern Green Development Corp. and Kunyuan International Group, a company linked to China-based capital. The site was sold for \$440 million in 2016 and is zoned for residential.



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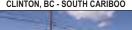






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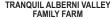


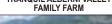


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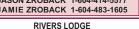
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Six Winnipeg properties among blockbuster PROREIT industrial acquisition. | LEONARD WHISTLER



24-unit apartment complex in Edmonton sold for \$3.14 million.



29,640-square-foot warehouse on two acres, 271 Street, Langley, sold for \$8.23 million. | COLLIERS INTERNATIONAL

PROREIT BUYS 12 INDUSTRIAL PROPERTIES

Montreal-based real estate investment trust expands into the Winnipeg market amid rising industrial rents and falling vacancies in that city

ontreal-based PRO Real Estate Investment Trust (PROREIT) has purchased 12 Canadian commercial properties for \$45.1 million – including six industrial buildings in Winnipeg.

The Winnipeg properties are located within the Inkster Industrial Park and the St. James industrial area. The properties account for \$27.3 million of the total \$45.1 million purchase price. The six buildings have a total leasable area of 237,430 square feet.

"Vacancy rates in the Winnipeg industrial real estate market are declining and rents are rising,"

said James W. Beckerleg, president and CEO of PROREIT. "Winnipeg is exactly the type of market we want to be in and we look forward to expanding our assets there over the longer term.'

The portfolio also includes five standalone retail buildings in Quebec and New Brunswick, and 50 per cent undivided interest in an industrial property in Drummondville, Quebec.

"The acquisitions will increase our total assets by approximately 12.3 per cent to \$412 million," Beckerleg said.

The 12 properties total 368,854 square feet, all occupied under long-term leases.

FROM | JLL Canada. JLL agent Samuel Dean brokered the following: DEAL | 24-unit apartment complex sold for \$131,000 per suite, on 115 Street, Edmonton. Price: \$3.14

JLL agents Lee Hester and Mike **Thompson** sold the following: DEAL | 40,669-square-foot, multitenant industrial property on two acres. Regent Street, Burnaby.

FROM | CBRE Vancouver. CBRE agent Lance Coulson sold the

Price: \$8.31 million.

following: DEAL | 24-unit apartment complex sold for \$325,000 per suite, with an assessed value of \$6.74 million. Montcalm Street, Vancouver. Price: \$7.8 million.

FROM | NAI Commercial, Vancouver. NAI agent Ken Kiers brokered the following:

DEAL | More than 15 acres of commercial development land, zoned C2. Flood Hope Road, Hope. Price: \$4.3 million.

FROM | Colliers International, Vancouver. Colliers agents Malcolm Earle and Randy Heed report:

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More than 15 acres of commercial development land. Flood Hope Road, Hope, sold for \$4.3 million.



Receivership sale of a partially completed 24-suite multi-family property, Fort McMurray, sold for \$1.7 million. | COLLIERS INTERNATIONAL



44,866-square-foot condo development site, Fraser Crescent, Mission, sold for \$1.5 million.

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Strata windup sale of 36 townhouses on five acres, Hammond Road, Pitt Meadows, sold for \$15.1 million.

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24-unit rental apartment complex, Montcalm Street, Vancouver, sold for \$7.8 million.



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HOMELIFE GLENAYRE REALTY



40,669-square-foot industrial property on two acres, Regent Street, Burnaby, sold for \$8.31 million.



42-unit concrete high-rise rental apartment building, Barclay Street, Vancouver, sold for \$19.65 million. I AVISON YOUNG

three-unit warehouse situated across two acres. 271 Street, Langley. Price: \$8.23 million.

Colliers agents Amit Grover, Jandip Deol and Brandon Imada brokered the following:

DEAL | Receivership sale of a partially completed, multi-family property of 24 suites. Fraser Avenue, Fort McMurray. Price: \$1.7 million.

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DEAL | Strata windup sale including 36 townhouse units on more than five acres. Hammond Road, Pitt Meadows. Price: \$15.1 million.

FROM | HomeLife Glenayre Realty, Chilliwack. HomeLife agent Rick **Toor** brokered the following:

DEAL | Mixed-use, eight-unit retail and residential building on an 8,260-square-foot lot. Pioneer Avenue, Agassiz. Price: \$973,000.

HomeLife agent Jag Cheema sold:

DEAL | 44,866-square-foot condo development site, with potential for a four-storey building. Fraser Crescent, Mission. Price: \$1.5

FROM | Avison Young, Vancouver. Avison Young agents Matt Thomas and Mehdi Shokri sold:

DEAL | Three parcels totalling 14,025 square feet of townhouse development land. East 6th Avenue, Vancouver. Price: \$5.74 million.

Avison Young principal Chris Wieser reports the following: DEAL | 42-unit concrete high-rise rental West End apartment building, Barclay Street, Vancouver.

Price: \$19.65 million.

FROM | LandQuest Realty Corp. LandQuest agent Kurt Nielsen brokered the following sale: DEAL | 27-acre mobile home park with 82 pads and room to develop an additional 67 mobile home pads. Beaver Creek Road, Port Al-

berni. Price: \$5.6 million.

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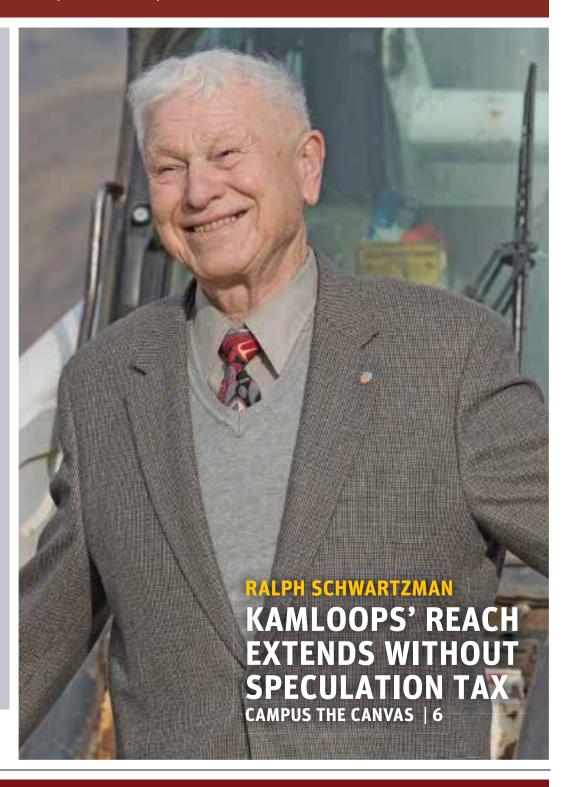
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tatistics Canada has released the first-quarter GDP figures indicating a slowdown in growth to a 1.3 per cent annual rate compared to 1.7 per cent in the final quarter of last year. Most economists were expecting firstquarter growth to come in at 1.8 per cent, and so was the Bank of Canada.

"This only goes to show that not even the central bank has a crystal ball," said Sherry Cooper, chief economist at Dominion Lend-

Growth was dampened by a deceleration in household spending, lower exports of non-energy products and a decline in housing investment. Consumer spending decelerated for the third consecutive quarter, rising by 1.1 per cent in the first quartrer compared to 2.2 per cent in the last quarter of 2017. The growth in consumption peaked in the first quarter of last year at a robust 4 per cent annual rate. Household spending growth has decelerated to its slowest pace in three years. Consumer spending on goods such as automobiles stalled after almost three years of gains.

Growth in business spending on capital projects slowed to 3.5 per cent from 9.7 per cent in the final three months of last year, and foreign trade was a drag on growth as exports climbed less than imports.

The most significant decline was in housing. Investment in housing fell 7.2 per cent, the most since 2009, on a whopping 13.5 per cent plunge in ownership transfer costs such as real estate and mortgage broker commissions.

That reflected new mortgage stress test measures that began in January, according to Statistics Canada.

The pace of economic expansion in Canada has now been below 2 per cent for three consecutive quarters, the worst performance since the oil crash in mid-2015.

- Tanya Commisso

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Saskatoon	14.3%	8.6%
Winnipeg	8.8%	3%

SOURCE: COLLIERS INTERNATIONAL Q1 2018, AVISON YOUNG Q1 2018
*DOWNTOWN VACANCY RATE +CENSUS METROPOLITAN AREA

Building permit values		
Vancouver	\$755 million	
Calgary Edmonton	\$451 million \$439 million	
Regina Saskatoon	\$53 million \$93 million	
Winnipeg	\$218 million	

SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA, APRIL 2018

Total monthly retail sales

B.C.	\$7.2 billion
Alberta	\$6.8 billion
Saskatchewan	\$1.6 billion
Manitoba	\$1.7 billion

SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA, MARCH 2018

Apartment rental vacancy

Vancouver	0.9%
Calgary	6.3%
Edmonton	7%
Regina	7%
Saskatoon	9.6%
Winnipeg	2.7%

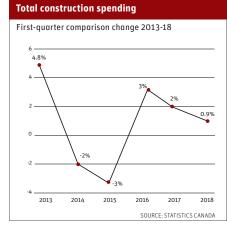
SOURCE: CANADA MORTGAGE AND HOUSING CORP.
RENTAL MARKET REPORT, OCTOBER 2017

MLS home prices (all types combined)*		
Vancouver Calgary Edmonton Regina Saskatoon Winnipeg	\$1,094,000 \$436,500 \$377,139 \$275,600 \$294,100 \$286,500	
	*ALL TYPES OF HOMES COMPOSITE PRICE, METRO REGION	

SOURCES: CREA, LOCAL REAL ESTATE BOARDS AND ASSOCIATIONS AS OF MAY 2018

Labour		
	Unemployment rate	Average weekly wage
B.C. Alberta Saskatchewai Manitoba	5% 6.7% 1 6.3% 6.1%	\$962 \$1,148 \$1,015 \$931
	SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA, APRIL 2018	SOURCE: STATISTICS CANADA, MARCH 2018

Resource sector			
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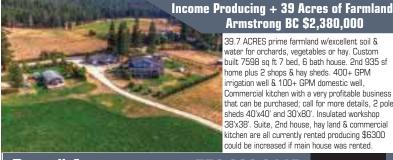
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Kamloops: more than a tax haven for real estate buyers

COVER | Manufacturing, agriculture and high tech combine to drive growth, but an impressive new university-linked development draws big interest

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∠amloops, population 90,000 and growing, is B.C.'s largest city to be spared from the provincial speculation tax on secondary homes but B.C.'s fifth-largest city outside of the Lower Mainland is more than a tax haven.

A four-hour drive from Vancouver and served by a busy airport, Kamloops is at the junction of two branches of the Thompson River and also boasts Kamloops Lake and close proximity to one of B.C.'s best ski hills, Sun Peaks Resort, and the award-winning Tobiano Golf Course, named among the best in Canada last year.

A major impetus for the growth of Kamloops, though, is Thompson Rivers University with 14,000 students on campus and an ambitious master plan that may transform the entire city.

The Reach, as the 90-acre campus development is known, is a master-planned community completely pre-zoned for residential and commercial use. The Reach has zoning for a total of three million square feet of residential with retail-commercial space.

At completion in the next two decades, the Reach will include 3,500 homes and about 180,000 square feet of retail and commercial space. It will also create what proponents say will be "vibrant, walkable and social space that is not currently available anywhere

else in the Thompson-Nicola region."

It sounds ambitious, but a look at Kelowna's downtown, which has transformed successfully along those lines, suggests the Reach could achieve it.

The Reach is already well underway.

Last fall Cape Group broke ground on Creston House, a 56unit condominium project with one-two-and three-bedroom units, including penthouses. Prices start at \$289,900 for a onebedroom and rentals are allowed. It is already 50 per cent sold out.

Cape CEO Ralph Schwartzman founded Cape Construction in 1956 in Brandon, Manitoba, and has completed developments across Western Canada.

Thompson Rivers University Community Trust (TRUCT), which is handling the Reach land sales, has inked a deal with Kelson **Group** for a second parcel of land.

Kelson, a local company, which won out in a request-for-proposal competition, is developing a 56,000-square-foot project that includes a flour-storey residential complex to complete next year.

The new rentals will be welcomed in Kamloops, which has a tight 1.2 per cent vacancy rate and need for more student housing.

The current market offering at the Reach is a 3.25-acre commercial and residential parcel located at the gateway to Thompson Rivers University.

"We allow the market to determine the price of the land," said



Rendering provides an overview of the Reach development underway adjacent to Thompson Rivers University.

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TRUCT spokeswoman Chantelle

Housing

The benchmark price of a home in the Lower Mainland is now close to \$1 million. It is less than \$400,000 in Kamloops district, which makes the four-hour drive from Vancouver worth about \$150,000 per hour.

To meet the demand for housing from both local and out-of-town buyers, Kamloops residential building permits topped \$20 million in the first four months of this year, compared to \$10.1 million in the same period in 2007. This April alone saw 33 residential building permits approved, noted Jim Anderson, executive

director of Venture Kamloops, the economic development arm of the city.

In May, 348 homes sold in the region, reports the Kamloops and District Real Estate Association (KDREA). This was down 6.5 per cent from a decade-high May 2017 but still represents one of the best showing on record for that month. In the first five months of this vear, 1,224 homes had sold.

"Home sales remained at healthy levels in May after having rebounded in April from a brief dip in March," said KDREA president Doren Quinton.

The average price of homes sold in May 2018 was \$390,697, up 3.5 per cent from May 2017.

Active residential listings numbered 1,188 units at the end of May. This was the lowest level of inventory for the month in 11 years, Ouinton noted.

A boon to the Kamloops housing market is the area's exemption from B.C.'s new speculation tax, which is levied against secondary homes in some areas of the province, including Kelowna and the Central Okanagan, Metro Vancouver and most of southern Vancouver Island.

In 2018, the tax rate for all properties subject to the tax is 0.5 per cent on the property value. In 2019 and subsequent years, the tax rates will be 2 per cent for foreign investors; 1 per cent for Canadian citizens and permanent residents who do not live in British Columbia; and 0.5 per cent for British Columbians who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents.

Partially due to the tax exemption, the BC Real Estate Association is forecasting Kamloops-area home prices will rise an average of

Residential

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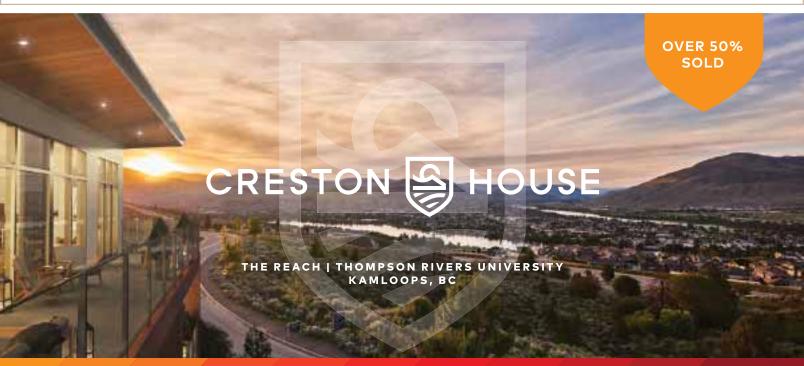
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7.6 per cent this year and a further 2.9 per cent in 2019, to \$404,600.

Commercial real estate

A total of 11 commercial building permits were issued in April 2018 with a value of \$17,851,934, up from the 10 permits issued in April 2017 with a value of \$588,750, according to Venture Kamloops.

Much of the new construction is related to industrial, including speculative development, said Mona Murray, a commercial agent with Colliers International in Kamloops. There has been an increase in strata in-

dustrial, she noted. Murray expects new industrial strata space to sell for around \$250 per square foot and demand lease rates, net, from \$14 to \$16 per square foot.

Murray noted that, aside from traditional demand from manufacturers, trucking and distribution firms, she has also been fielding calls from cannabis producers.

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Murray said retail is emerging as a hot sector in Kamloops as the city's population edges to 100,000, often a signal to national retailers of a market to watch.

Kamloops has not had much problem backfilling retail space left vacant by some high-profile closures. The Wholesale Sports building, which closed in December, was taken over June 1 by Bianca Armor's Liquidation Supercentre; and the old Target space was leased by a trio of tenants, including Planet Fitness.

Aberdeen Mall is still working to fill its former Sears space, but it quickly found a new tenant, Sephora, when Le Chateau closed earlier this year. Sephora opens this summer.

"We are having a pretty good year in Kamloops," Murray concluded.

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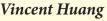


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onstruction will start this year in Kitimat on the largest energy infrastructure ever built in this country, the CEO of LNG Canada confirmed last month at the annual Canada Gas and LNG Conference.

Malaysia-based Petronas will take a 25 per cent stake in LNG Canada to become the secondlargest stakeholder.

As the company continues to move forward on the \$40 billion project, other, smaller players are appearing on the local stage - including a new Vancouver firm called True North Energy Corp., which is developing a niche market by marketing B.C. liquefied natural gas (LNG) to China and moving it by intermodal container.

Following an oil price plunge in 2014 and the cancellation of several LNG projects, prospects for a B.C. LNG industry appeared to have evaporated in 2017.

"But at the end of the year, suddenly that changed," said **Calvin Xu**, co-founder and CEO of True North Energy.

Oil prices are up, improving cash flows for major oil and gas companies, and demand in China and other Asian countries is growing faster than expected, making the more cost-competitive LNG projects more economically viable than they were just one year ago.

In 2017, natural gas consumption in China rose by 15.3 per cent



A new horizon: LNG tankers will become a fixture off B.C.'s north coast as LNG Canada confirms terminal construction. | WOJCIECH WRZESIEN/SHUTTERSTOCK

over 2016, pushing spot prices up to US\$30 per million British thermal units, and in the first quarter of 2018, China's imports of LNG grew by 59 per cent, Xu said.

Helping drive those numbers is China's aggressive push to reduce its reliance on coal power by switching to renewables and low-carbon natural gas. But China has also aggressively pushed its transportation sector to switch from gasoline and diesel to compressed natural gas and LNG. According to Xu, there were 350,000 LNG vehicles in China in 2017 - a 40 per cent increase over 2016.

China's current five-year plan aims to raise its use of natural gas to 10 per cent from 7 per cent by 2020, and to 15 per cent by 2030.

That works out to 50 million tonnes by 2020, he said.

To put that in context, the first phase of the LNG Canada project would use two separate cooling processes and would produce 13 million tonnes of LNG. At full build-out it would produce 26 million tonnes.

"That's a lot of new demand," Xu said. "There's a lot of room for Canada to supply China."

Japan also wants Canadian LNG, said Takuma Iino, deputy director of oil and gas for Japan's Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry.

Japan is the world's largest importer of LNG, bringing 83 million tonnes into the country in 2017.

"One of the key policies of Japan's LNG procurement is diversification," Iino said, adding Japan is now beginning to take shipments of LNG from the U.S.

We will be in construction in 2018

ANDY CALITZ, CEO. LNG CANADA



In 2016, when LNG Canada put its final investment decision (FID) on pause due to poor market conditions, the company made it clear the project was delayed, not cancelled.

"We also at that time said, when they asked the inevitable question ... 'When will you reconsider the

FID?' our answer was we will be in construction in 2018," LNG Canada CEO Andy Calitz told May's conference. "I reaffirm that commitment today."

That is music to the ears of the Haisla Nation and the town of

"We're done waiting," said Haisla Chief Crystal Smith. She said the Haisla have used the twoyear pause to get people trained in the skills they will need to benefit from the project.

Project officials said the delay has allowed them to work on getting costs down. It also allowed TransCanada Corp. to firm up relations with First Nations along the corridor of the Coastal Gas-Link pipeline, which will move natural gas from the Dawson Creek region to Kitimat.

"We're confident now that we have the programs and the agreements in place to involve the First Nations - every single one of the First Nations - along our route," said Greg Cano, director of project planning and execution for Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd.

The BC NDP government levelled the playing field by eliminating special taxes on the LNG industry.

"Natural gas demand in East Asia could potentially expand about 2.5 times between now and 2030, from 200 million tonnes to around 500 million tonnes," Iinc said. "We believe that Canada, as a new supplier of energy, would play an important role in developing a flexible and open energy market in Asia and the world." ■

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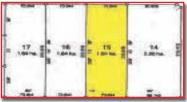
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Buying a business vs. buying investment real estate

In my capacity as a merger and acquisition adviser, I often get asked by investors, "Should I invest in commercial real estate or an operating business?" Of course, as you can appreciate, that comes with more questions than answers – but fundamentally, it will come down to operating returns, return on investment and risk.

Buying commercial real estate

In commercial real estate, a common metric of return is the capitalization rate (cap rate), the rate of return on a real estate investment property based on the income that the property is expected to generate.

The capitalization rate of an investment can be calculated by the following formula: Capitalization rate = net operating income (NOI) / current market value.

As per respected industry reports, the current nominal cap rate for industrial property revolves around 4 per cent to 5.25 per cent. This is a low number as measured by historical standards, indicating that, relative to NOI, market values are high.

The cap rate is a ratio that gauges profitability. The proportion of NOI relative to the current market value must remain constant for the capitalization rate to remain the same. If NOI rises while the market value does not, the capitalization rate will rise, and if the opposite happens, the capitalization rate will decline. If the capitalization rate is declining, it may be wise



By ARTHUR KLEIN

to simply sell the property and reinvest elsewhere.

Buying a business

In the matter of business performance, the key metric of return on invested capital (ROIC) is the percentage return that a company makes over its invested capital. ROIC = net operating income – dividends / total capital.

Most assessors will define total capital as total amount of longterm debt, plus the total amount of equity and excluding cash. While earnings of privately held corporations are not often reported, desired ROIC performance will be 10 per cent or greater. However, the invested capital is measured by the monetary value needed instead of the assets that were bought. Since value is the present value of future cash flows, this factor is what makes businesses valuable - all else being equal.

Another related key metric is that of return on equity (ROE) as

earnings before interest, taxes and depreciation (EBITDA), relative to the market value of the business.

Therefore: ROE = EBITDA / business value.

The ROE is similar to the cap rate of real estate, as both are a measure of income (NOI for real estate and EBITDA for businesses) and the current value of either the real estate or the business.

In business transactions, I routinely observe ROEs in business values in excess of 22 per cent.

So, whether for commercial property or an operating business, it becomes a question of managing or qualifying risk and taking into account the scope of capital investment necessary to realize those returns.

Commercial property investors will look at cap rates as a useful tool when it comes to comparing similar real estate investment properties. For example, you could be comparing a property with, say, an 8 per cent cap rate to one performing at 4 per cent, yet both generate the same net operating income.

Higher cap rate investments will have a higher net operating income but more risk. And typically the lowest cap rates are those with highest possibility of price appreciation and little risk of tenants leaving premium properties. (For example, the Bentall Centre towers in Vancouver sold at 2 per cent cap rate.)

The key assumption here is that



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developments, and benefit-

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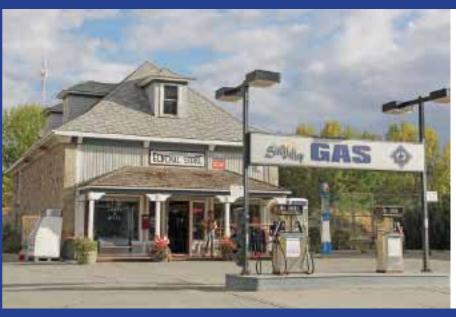
In an operating business, realizing ROE rates of 10 per cent, 20 per cent or more (annualized) will obviously outperform the net operating return of land ownership. However, the management of that business and related risks will affect what a seller or buyer will be willing to pay, as based on: the business' ability to support the required level of management: a reasonable return on invested capital; consistency in earnings; growth potential; and the debt service capacity of the business.

Whether buying an active business or a passive real estate investment, always seek the guidance of professional advisers before committing.

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Doubt cast on forecast of B.C. cottage price drop

RECREATION | Prediction of tax-driven price slump in recreational market ignores the fact that most rural properties are excluded from the province's speculation tax

B.C.'s new speculation tax covers only a small portion of the recreational market and excludes nearly all islands and the Sunshine Coast. Only shaded areas in map are subject to the tax. | B.C. MINISTRY OF FINANCE

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widely quoted national report claiming British Columbia's recreational real estate market will see the biggest price slump east of the Atlantic is challenged by local realtors and the latest sales statistics. The annual Royal LePage Canada Recreational Property Report forecasts B.C.'s cottage country will see a 2.8 per cent drop in prices this year due to the province's new

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speculation tax on secondary homes. This compares to the report's projected 5.8 per cent increase nationally in recreational home values this year compared to 2017.

"With Canada's fastest-growing economy, British Columbia's vast and varied recreational regions might be expected to lead the country," said **Phil Soper**, president and CEO, Royal LePage. "That will not be the case in the near term as new taxes aimed specifically at recreational property owners are expected to weaken markets across the province, driving would-be purchasers to invest elsewhere."

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driven price drop will be seen on the Sunshine Coast, where Royal LePage expects waterfront properties to decline 9.1 per cent and non-waterfront houses to fall 8.3 per cent in value. The report also forecasts oceanfront prices in the Comox Valley to drop 5 per cent this year.

But the Sunshine Coast, like the Comox

According to the report, the biggest tax-

Valley and most of rural B.C., is not subject to the speculation tax.

"I don't agree with those [price] forecasts," said **Bruce Lasuta**, a veteran Royal LePage agent in Sechelt on the Sunshine Coast. He said the Sunshine Coast is experiencing one of the strongest markets in memory.

Sunshine Coast detached-house prices have increased 7.9 per cent since the speculation tax was introduced in February, according to the latest data from the **Real Estate Board of Greater Vancouver**. This compares with a 0.1 per cent increase across Greater Vancouver in the same time frame.

The Vancouver Island Real Estate Board reports that ocean front home prices in the

Comox Valley in the first four months of this year were up 20 per cent from the same time in 2017, and non-waterfront houses have soared 14 per cent in value in the same period. "We are not seeing a slowdown," said a board spokeswoman.

The speculation tax applies in the Metro Vancouver regional district (excluding Bowen Island); the Capital Regional District (excluding the Gulf Islands), Kelowna-West Kelowna, Nanaimo-Lantzville, Abbotsford, Chilliwack and Mission.

The tax rate for all properties subject to the tax is 0.5 per cent on the property value for British Columbians who are Canadian citizens or permanent residents. The tax is higher for non-B.C. residents,

rising to 2 per cent of the property's value for foreign nationals. When asked about the projection of a slide

When asked about the projection of a slide in recreational prices, Soper stood by the Royal LePage report.

"It is all about perception," he said, "and people have the perception that B.C.'s speculation tax will negatively affect the recreation market."

B.C. clarifies rules on fixed-term recreational rentals

The B.C. Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing has apparently backed down on a controversial amendment to the Residential Tenancy Act regarding fixed-term rentals. The amended act came into effect May 17.

The changes had included the outlawing of fixed-term rental agreements, wherein a landlord requires a tenant to sign a contract stating they will vacate the premises on a fixed date.

B.C. Housing Minister Selina Robinson had said the amended legislation would protect the rights of renters who have been left open to "unfair and unjustified rent increases."

The new legislation did allow the landlord's family to take possession of the unit, but only for long-term occupancy.

The change had raised concern for the many owners of seasonal recreational property, such as cottages or ski condos, who often rent the units out during the off-season.

"This will reduce the number of rentals," warned Sunshine Coast real estate agent Bruce Lasuta, adding that the resort area already has a near-zero vacancy rate.

But following a query by *Western Investor*, the ministry softened the regulations as it relates to seasonal property on June 5. *Western Investor*'s query specifically related to summer cottages, but the same ruling would apparently apply to other forms of seasonal property.

"A landlord can use the vacate clause if they plan, in good faith, to occupy the home at the end of the fixed-term tenancy agreement. It does not matter that they will only live in the home for the summer months," reads an emailed statement from the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing.





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Industrial a hot spot in fast-growing Lethbridge

FEATURE | Potato processor, pot grower among players as southern Alberta city sees industrial vacancies fall and lease rates rise in a job-rich city where the population is expected to reach 100,000 this year

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otatoes and pot are on the table in Lethbridge as the fast-growing southern Alberta city sees a growing appetite for industrial development.

Outside of Calgary, Lethbridge is the biggest city in southern Alberta. It's also one of the brightest places in Canada, with 320 days of sunshine a year.

"We really promote Lethbridge as a bright choice," said Erin Crane, director of investment attraction at Economic Development Lethbridge. "Bright, to us, means intelligent," she continued, noting the two postsecondary institutions and Agriculture and Agri-Food Canada's largest research facility. The city also has Canada's highest per capita number of PhDs for a place of its size.

Lethbridge, about two hours from Calgary, has some unique attributes, including historical attractions like Indian Battle Park, cultural destinations like the Southern Alberta Art Gallery, and the iconic, century-old Lethbridge Viaduct (better known as the High Level Bridge).

It is the industrial and manufacturing sector that is Lethbridge's touchstone this year, however.

Under construction is the \$360 million Cavendish Farms frozenpotato processing plant, the largest private investment in the city's history. Premier **Rachel**



The \$360 million Cavendish Farms potato processing plant is the largest private investment in Lethbridge history. It is expected to complete next year. | CAVENDISH FARMS

Notley was among officials for the official groundbreaking last year.

Located on 278 acres in Sherring Industrial Park, the plant is slated for completion in 2019.

A government news release said construction is expected to create up to 400 jobs, and upon completion the plant will require about 9,000 acres of potatoes. With cash income projected at \$3,500 to \$4,000 per acre, potatoes are among the highest-value crops grown in the region.

"The record investment Cavendish Farms is making in Lethbridge is good for our farmers and producers, good for the entire community and good for our growing economy," said Notley. The province has committed \$20 million for civic infrastructure improvements to accommodate what is being called a "state-ofthe-art" production facility.

Infrastructure upgrades include the water system in the Sheering Industrial Park.

Meanwhile, cannabis grower Fifty First Parallel has bought five acres of land in a Lethbridge industrial park where it plans to build a three-phase facility capable of producing about 12,600 kilograms of marijuana per year

At full operation, it is expected to employ about 150 people.

Fifty First Parallel has partnered with Colorado-based LivWell Enlightened Health on the Lethbridge build.

Marijuana is to be legalized federally this summer, and Alberta will allow cannabis to be sold by private retailers.

Lethbridge's industrial market outlook continues to be optimistic thanks to a strong performance in 2017 and the economic recovery of the province at large, according to a study by Avison Young.

The commercial agency noted the city's industrial vacancy fell 1.6 per cent year-over-year to 4.6 per cent in the first quarter of 2018. During the same period, 102,000 square feet of new inventory was added with strong interest from the small-to-mid-sized industrial condominium market.

Rental rates edged up to \$8.15 per square foot in the first quarter of 2018 from \$8.02 per square foot one year earlier.

"Stable vacancy and rental rates make the Lethbridge market very predictable for investors and owner-users," Avison Young

The agriculture and food-processing industry has also shown significant interest in Lethbridge.

Aside from the new Cavendish plant, additional interest from greenhouse operators, food processers and the distribution sector is expected to result in 170,000 square feet of new construction starting early in 2019. These new users, and supporting businesses in the agricultural space, have created a shortage of inventory in specific categories, including medium-to-large unit sizes and those offering loading docks or storage yards.

Preleasing continues to be strong: however investors have avoided additional large-scale speculative construction. The 125,000 square feet of new space under construction as of the first quarter consists predominantly of small-unit and condominiumstyle developments with 88,000 square feet preleased or sold.

As one of the fastest-growing cities in Alberta in 2017, Lethbridge is on pace to achieve a population of 100,000 during 2018 with an anticipated population growth rate of 2 per cent. The industrial market is driving job creation and contributing to overall stability and growth in the region, according to Avison

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Luxury hotels set for Calgary



Marriott Hotels will apparently duplicate a feat from Vancouver in building two interconnected luxury hotels in downtown Calgary.

The \$100 million Dorian project, through developer PBA Land Development, will see the construction of the 180-room Courtyard by Marriott and a 120-room Marriott Autograph hotel.

The development at 525 5th Avenue Southwest will be 27 storeys and is scheduled to open in the fall of 2020. The lower floors of the tower will house the Courtyard, with the upper portion of the tower housing the Autograph brand. There will be separate lobbies and elevator access to the two hotels.

Last year, Marriott opened two luxury hotels in downtown Vancouver linked by the new Parq casino.

Calgary is seeing a hotel mini-boom. The 155-room Alt Hotel in East Village, by Groupe Germain, will open this summer, and the 360room Residence Inn by Marriott at 10th Avenue and 5th Street S.W. completes in 2019.

Last year, CBRE's hotel outlook report cautioned the city could face overbuilding, but noted that Cagary's economic performance over the next three years would place it in third place among Canadian

"With economic conditions improving and oil and gas prices stabilizing, corporate room demand that has been largely absent for the past two years should start to return, helping to offset the impact of new supply in [Calgary]," the CBRE study concluded.

In its latest report, hospitality firm HVS International reported the hotel occupancy rate in Calgary was 73.3 per cent in the third quarter of 2017, up from 69.5 per cent a year earlier. Revenue per available room jumped from \$113.92 to \$116.39 during the same period.

Calgary offices go negative



Calgary's office market continued to "bounce along the bottom of the market" in the first quarter of 2018, according to Cushman & Wakefleld.

A relatively strong leasing activity for the quarter of 1.3

million square feet resulted in another quarter of marginally negative absorption of 151,192 square feet, the agency

In downtown Calgary, office vacancy rates increased slightly from 24 per cent in the fourth quarter of 2017 to 24.4 per cent in the first quarter of 2018, recording negative absorption of 156,789 square feet.

Starwood selling Westin hotels

Starwood Capital is selling its Westin hotels in Calgary and Edmonton.

Starwood has retained commercial real estate brokers Cushman & Wakefield to oversee the transaction. The move follows Starwood's sale of Westin properties in Toronto and Vancouver in recent vears.

Marriott International owns Starwood Hotels and Resorts and is the operator at all of its hotels. No changes to the names of the Westin hotels are expected.

The Westin Calgary has 522 suites while the Westin Edmonton has 416.

Starwood collected between \$350 million and \$400 million for the Westin Harbour Castle in downtown Toronto, It's been reported that the Westin Bayshore in Vancouver sold for \$290 million.

Starwood bought all five of the Canadian properties in 2014 for a total of \$765 million.

Albertans split on federal government's pipeline purchase



The federal government has bought the Kinder Morgan pipeline and has assured it will be built. | SUBMITTED

t. Albert Conservative MP Michael Cooper doesn't see anything positive from the federal government buying the Kinder Morgan Canada pipeline.

"This is a consequence of the Liberals' complete failure to champion Canada's energy sector. The Liberals have turned a \$7 billion investment in Canada into a \$4.5 billion bailout to a Texas oil company that in the end won't guarantee that one single inch of pipeline will be built," Cooper said.

All the company wanted was certainty, Cooper said, and they never asked for any taxpayer money.

Last month, federal Finance Minister Bill Morneau announced that the Canadian government will purchase the Trans Mountain pipeline for \$4.5 billion.

St. Albert MLA Marie Renaud said she thinks the purchase came in part due to Premier Rachel Notley's advocacy for the pipeline project.

The pipeline project is critical to deliver services and new infrastructure projects, like schools and hospitals, Renaud added.

"I think it's really great news for

all Albertans to get our product to tidewater and get the best price possible," Renaud added.

Morneau said Canada does not intend to own the pipeline long term, as it plans to sell the project to an owner or owners. Until the government can find a buyer, the pipeline will be a Crown corporation.

The \$4.5 billion that the federal government announced it would spend is to purchase the already existing pipeline and does not include the cost of expansion. In December Kinder Morgan said that the project, including construction, would cost a total of \$7.4 billion.

Two years ago the National Energy Board approved the project, which expands an existing pipeline between Alberta and Burnaby, B.C., with 157 conditions.

The British Columbia government, a coalition of Premier John Horgan's NDP and the BC Green Party, has stalled the project. Horgan has said that even after the purchase by the federal government he still has serious concerns about the

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H&M swings into Regina centre



One of the world's trendiest retailers has swung open its doors in Regina.

Swedish clothier H&M has christened a two-level, 25.000-square-foot store at the Cornwall Centre, an arrival that had people lining up around the block to stock up on the latest fashions for ladies, men, teens and kids.

Toni Galli, country manager of **H&M Canada**, said she was "thrilled" to open the Regina location and hire 40 associates as part of its continued expansion in Canada.

"We have been waiting for a great location in Saskatchewan and are very happy to have finally found one," she said.

That was little consolation to fashionistas in Saskatoon, however. Kelly Macsymic, a sales associate with ICR Commercial Real Estate in the province's biggest city, said there are a number of locations that could accommodate an H&M store, including the former **Sears** space at Midtown Plaza, which is being carved up for smaller tenants.

"That's a big retailer for

[Cornwall Centre], for any centre really. That's a feather in the cap for them. They've done a lot of work to attract national tenants. H&M will be a great cornerstone for their mall," she said.

Cornwall still has some work to do as it has its own space - about 120,000 square feet over two storeys - that used to house Sears that remains empty.

H&M first arrived on Canadian shores in 2004 and now has 85 locations across the country. It has garnered a reputation for offering the latest fashion at low prices.

Saskatoon CRE rents may fall



Office and industrial real estate brokers in Saskatoon are seeing a few glimmers of hope about the future but concede it may be dogged by reduced rents.

Colliers International's firstquarter forecast for Saskatoon office space calls for declining net effective rents for all asset types except Class AAA - but the agency said a number of metrics are pointing in the right direction. "Class AAA and A assets have the greatest

potential for increases in tenant demand, while Class B and C are still trending downward," the report said.

Leasing demand is also expected to be strong on the industrial side, with 67 per cent of respondents believing demand will rise downtown and 50 per cent thinking it will do the same in the suburbs.

Despite this, the market continues to show a "strong likelihood" for decreases in net effective rents for all property types, according to Colliers.

Tom McClocklin, Saskatoonbased president and managing director of Colliers, said declining industrial rental rates have proven to be a positive, when combined with businesses stabilizing.

"We're seeing vacancy rates start to come down a bit," he

Regina real estate shifts

The pulse of real estate professionals in Regina is starting to quicken. Finally.

Brokers, appraisers and property managers believe tenant demand is going to increase for all office asset types except Class C over the next 12 months.

"We're seeing a shift in general attitude," said Craig Hennigar, Vancouver-based director of market intelligence at Colliers.

Regina's market has been in a funk for the past several years as commodity prices have

SkyCity Centre tower grounded

'innipeg's ambitious Sky-City Centre condo tower has been grounded.

Deposits are being returned to buyers who purchased 50 per cent of the 388 condos in the \$200 million project.

At 45 floors it would have been the tallest building in the city.

The buyers had put down 10 per cent deposits on condo apartments that were originally sold at around \$400 per square foot when it began marketing five years ago.

"[It] is not currently viable to proceed to build this tower as originally planned," read a statement from the developer, Fortress Real Developments.

SkyCity Centre, which also included street-level retail, was to open this fall, but the project faced repeated delays.

A proposed class action was filed in Manitoba's Court of Queen's Bench early in June seeking the return of deposits and other unspecified damages due to failure to deliver the homes on time.

Fortress said it intends to reboot the design and launch a new project on the same site, though no timeline was given.

The current average Winnipeg resale condo price is \$236,000, down

floundered on international markets.

were down 14 per cent from a year earlier, according to local real estate board data.■

The report also found a shift in future expectations for net effective rents, which are showing a neutral forecast, and it's believed cap rates will likely move higher for all assets and submarkets.

"The general view is things are on the upswing and there will be a pickup in rents and tenant demand in the next year," Hennigar said.

The sentiment for manufacturing space has improved with the potential

Deposits have been returned to buyers in the halted SkyCity Centre

condo tower in Winnipeg. | SUBMITTED slightly from a year ago. Condo sales

through the first quarter of this year

for both increasing rents and tenant demand, while there also appears

to be growing demand for flex, service and warehouse/distribution properties. "The attitude has changed from

the glass is half-empty to half-full in the Regina market. A lot of our professionals are working on deals that nobody will hear about for nine months. They're on the leading edge." he said. ■

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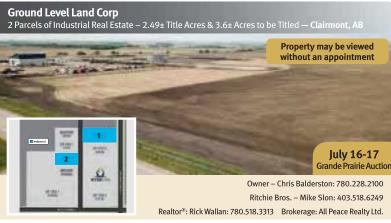
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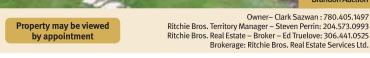
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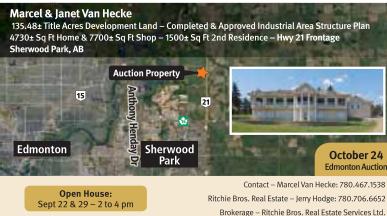


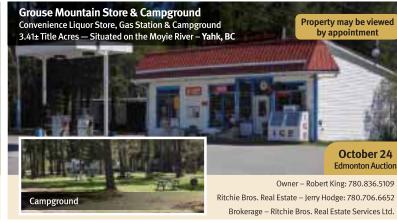
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