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***Report of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL for the month of
June 2018***

**For review and consideration at the
Regular Executive Council Meeting
On July 4th, 2018**

Chief Councillor Robert Dennis:

Responsibilities	
1) Representing government in relations with other governments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 11, met with the provincial Children and Family Watchdog. • June 13, conducted tour of HFN social service programs, met with Margaret Buist regarding funding for social service project, obtained funding commitment in the \$840,000 range. • June 14 - Forwarded Pacific Salmon Treaty issue to Ben for his review and consideration. • June 18 – attended Bamfield Community Affairs meeting, no emerging issues at this time.
2) Representing government in relations with other indigenous organizations.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 7, travelled to Whitehorse to attend Canadian Bar Association conference to give presentation on June 8 on the HFN Social Service Project. • Worked with First Nation LNG Alliance to promote support for LNG pipeline development.
3) Ensuring HFN citizens are fully informed on HFN issues.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This will continue to be part of HFN communication strategy.
4) Developing and maintaining effective systems of communication with Huuayaht citizens and other governments.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 1, met with two HFN citizen to meet to better understand their current situation. They are both old and on the verge of needing care, at least one of them for sure.
5) Protecting and enhancing Huuayaht aboriginal and treaty rights.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 26 – attend the provincial forestry revitalization meeting in Vancouver. Emerging Issue – HFN team needs to meet to present our views on the provincial objectives. Sent out notice to arrange and prepare for the meeting in July. • Continue to pursue commercial fishing rights so that we can see HFN fisherman fishing again.
6) Ensuring adherence to, and enforcement of, The constitution, Huuayaht legislation, Huuayaht policies	
7) Promoting and maintaining a sound Huuayaht economy.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 1, met with Shawn Atleo and Heather to pursue FN engagement letter and protocol for Tsilquotiin.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 19 – participated in some of the
8) Promoting Huuayaht values, culture, traditions, and language.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The citizenship issue raised by HFN elders will need to be reviewed and considered.
9) Ensuring proper management and administration of government.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 4,11,18,25 – met with Trudy to discuss current issue related to this responsibility. • Met numerous times with different HFN public official members to review different management and administration issues related to HFN government.
10) Preparing for and participating in the Legislation, Executive Council and People’s Assembly;	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 12 met with two HFN elders to discuss housing and program and services for elders. May become an emerging issue. • June 15 – discussed citizenship issue with two citizens who prefer not to be named at this time. They made it very clear that the matter they discussed is very serious issue to them. May become an emerging issue.
11) Establishing the duties of a Councillor, including <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. Establishing or dissolving portfolios, and ii. Assigning portfolios to r removing portfolios from Councillors; 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • June 19 – as part of Infrastructure portfolio I Met Nick, to get his view on HFN housing. He shared some ideas that I will consider in the development of a HFN Housing Plan. His comment were very similar to Stephen’s whom I discussed the subject with much earlier. • June 29 – discussed sub-division issue with Connie and asked her how much the sub-division work at Chapis Road cost. Answer \$300,000 for three lots plus sewer component or \$100,000 per lot. My understanding is we are averaging about \$250,000 for a proposed 10 sub-division lot. Or, more accurately \$2,500,000 for a 6 plex. This is and emerging issue that should be reviewed immediately. • Effective the last council meeting I assumed my Infrastructure portfolio meeting, there are about 6 action items that I’ve asked Trudy to attend to by July 15, 2018. Will keep EC update on these issues.
12) Acting as the public spokesperson for the Legislature, Executive Council, and People’s Assembly.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Done my first twitter publication on the Sarita Renewal Project. Shannon and Andrea done fantastic job with their interviews.
13) Carrying out additional roles, responsibilities, powers, duties and	

functions set out in Huuayaht legislation and policy.	
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Days at PAGO – 4

Days at AGO - 11

Councillor Sheila Charles:

A. Emerging Issues

B. Progress on Key Initiatives

- HFN Social Services Project Strategy meeting
- Myself, Kathy W and Rob B visited Sts’ailes First Nation to witness their celebration of their relationship with the ministry. Minister Katrine Conroy, Alison Bond- Assistant Deputy Minister, BC Ministry of Social Development & senior officials. The Sts’ailes are very culturally hospitable and made us all feel very welcome. They were a wealth of information on how they have succeeded in the development and supports they offer to family & children on staying together and working through struggles. It was also an opportunity to invite Kat and Alison to Anacla and speak of our Social Services Project
- Visit from Minister Margaret Buist in Anacla was an amazing day. Margaret is very down to earth and was very easy to speak openly about our thoughts on our health crisis of 45 Huuayaht children in care. The federal government committed to \$800,000.00 for this year for Huuayahts Social Service Pilot Project and a commitment for the next 5 years
- Attended North Island College’s Graduation Ceremony. Congratulations to Huuayahts graduates and all the best to their successes
- Attended NTC Grad ceremony at the Athletic Hall. It was very inspiring to witness all the Nuuchahnulth graduates
- Attended Bamfield Community School Sports Day and awards ceremony. It was a great day with the students and families
- Executive Council meeting June 7th
- **SEC Special Executive Council meeting**
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