

# Update to the District of North Vancouver

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#### Presentation overview

• About the Port of Vancouver

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- Port activities in the District
- ECHO program
- G3 Update
- Gateway Transportation
  Collaboration Forum: Updated
  list of potential projects
- North Shore Waterfront Liaison
  Committee
- Noise Committee

## Port authority mandate and role



- Balance efficient port operations with environmental protection and regard for community
- Work for the benefit of all Canadians



## About the Port of Vancouver

- Largest and most diversified port in Canada
- \$184 billion in goods annually
- \$500 million of cargo/day
- 20% of Canada's goods traded by value
- 100,000 jobs across Canada









### Our vision

HEALTHY environment THRIVING communities

To be the world's most sustainable port

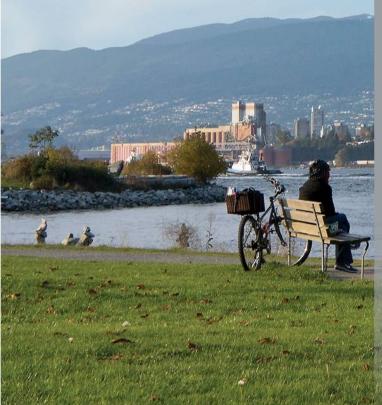
ECONOMIC PROSPERITY THROUGH trade

## Economic prosperity through trade

In the District of North Vancouver, port activities account for:

- \$270 million in wages
- \$360 million in GDP
- 3500 port jobs
- \$6,804,000 in municipal taxes
- \$606,000 in Payments in Lieu of Taxes for vacant port land

# Thriving communities



- Community investment
  - Save Our Shores
  - Capilano University
  - North Vancouver School District
- North Shore Waterfront Liaison
  Committee



## Healthy environment



• Environmental reviews and permitting

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- Fraser River Improvement Initiative
- Habitat enhancement projects
- Truck Licensing System: emissions reductions
  - Air emissions inventories
    - EcoAction
  - ECHO Program



#### Healthy environment: ECHO Program - <u>Enhancing Cetacean Habitat and Observation</u>

- Collaborative research and management initiative to better understand and manage the potential threats to at-risk whale species from shipping activities in our region
- 13 projects focusing on:
  - Ambient and underwater noise
  - Physical disturbances
  - Environmental contaminants





#### G3 Terminal

- Approved May 5 2016
- 74 conditions to address community concerns about traffic, noise, view and environmental impacts
- First Category D project under port authority's new project and environmental review process
- Additional open house and ongoing communication





#### Noise working group

A CONTRACT

 New noise working group to address noise issues on the North Shore



#### Thank you

#### We are here to help:

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