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**From:** Finance Committee <FinanceCommittee@leg.bc.ca>  
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Good afternoon,

On behalf of the Select Standing Committee on Finance and Government Services, we are writing to share information about the **Budget 2023 Consultation**, taking place in **May and June**. We would appreciate your assistance in encouraging British Columbians to participate.

This annual public consultation begins with the Minister of Finance releasing a Budget Consultation Paper and is hosted by the Select Standing Committee on Finance and Government Services, a parliamentary committee of the Legislative Assembly. The input collected will inform the Committee's recommendations to the Legislative Assembly for next year's provincial budget.

As the Committee hopes to hear from British Columbians in all areas of the province, the Committee kindly requests Regional Districts share information about the consultation with area representatives and the public in their region through community bulletin boards, newsletters or social media platforms if the opportunity allows. Promotional materials and a news release are available for download on the [Committee's website](#) and we would be pleased to send you materials in different formats if desired.

Individuals and organizations interested in participating in the Budget 2023 Consultation can:

- Present their recommendations to the Committee
- Share their recommendations by completing the submission form in the consultation portal
- Fill out an online survey

British Columbians wishing to present to the Committee are asked to complete a presentation request form by **Friday, May 6 at 3:00 p.m. (Pacific)**. The presentation request form is available on the Committee's website: <https://bcleg.ca/FGSbudget>. Interested participants will be asked to identify the themes on which they wish to present, preference for virtual or in-person format, and preferred location. The Parliamentary Committees Office will follow up with interested participants in late May.

The opportunity to make a written submission or complete the survey will be available on **May 30, 2022**, on the Committee's website: <https://bcleg.ca/FGSbudget>. The deadline to provide input is **Friday, June 24 at 3:00 p.m. (Pacific)**.

The Committee intends to release its report with recommendations for Budget 2023 in August.

If you have any questions about the Budget 2023 Consultation, the Committee's work or the information in this email, please contact us by email at [FinanceCommittee@leg.bc.ca](mailto:FinanceCommittee@leg.bc.ca) or phone at 250-356-2933 or 1-877-428-8337 (toll-free in BC).

Kind regards,

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