

# CHEAM FIRST NATION CHIEF AND COUNCIL 2023-2025 PORTFOLIO HOLDERS AND EXTERNAL RELATIONSHIPS

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PORTFOLIO	PRIMARY	ALTERNATE	EXTERNAL RELATIONSHIPS
<b>Government Relations</b>	Chief Darwin Douglas	Councillor Lisa Douglas	
<b>Administration</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• HR</li> <li>• Communications</li> <li>• Finance &amp; Taxation</li> <li>• System Development</li> <li>• Records Management</li> <li>• IT</li> <li>• Membership Registry</li> </ul>	Councillor Lisa Douglas	Councillor Stephanie Fredette	
<b>Economic Development</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Procurement</li> <li>• Projects</li> </ul>	Councillor Andrew Victor	Councillor Michael Victor	
<b>Justice</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Policing</li> <li>• Circle Meetings</li> <li>• Court and Legal</li> </ul>	All Council		RCMP - Chief Darwin Douglas will be the main contact with the RCMP
<b>Governance</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Policy Development</li> <li>• External Interactions</li> <li>• Assertion of Title and Rights (fishing, hunting &amp; gathering, land claims, traditional, culture)</li> <li>• Financial Planning</li> </ul>	All Council		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• RCMP</li> <li>• BC Hydro</li> <li>• District of Kent</li> <li>• Fraser Valley Regional District (FVRD)</li> <li>• Municipalities &amp; Regional Districts</li> <li>• First Nation Leadership Council</li> </ul>
<b>Lands &amp; Infrastructure</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Housing</li> <li>• Public Works</li> <li>• Land Use</li> <li>• Economic Development</li> <li>• Capital Projects</li> <li>• Environmental Management</li> </ul>	Councillor Michael Victor	Chief Darwin Douglas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• BC Hydro</li> <li>• TMX Committee</li> <li>• Lands Advisory Board</li> <li>• Enbridge Committee</li> </ul>
<b>Education, Health &amp; Social</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Training</li> <li>• Professional Development</li> <li>• Child &amp; Family Services (Xyolhemeylh)</li> <li>• Drugs &amp; Alcohol Addiction</li> <li>• Health Care</li> </ul>	Councillor Stephanie Fredette	Councillor Ray Douglas Councillor Andrew Victor	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• School Districts 37 and 38</li> <li>• First Nations Education Steering Committee (FNESC)</li> </ul>
<b>Elders, Youth &amp; Recreation</b>	Councillor Ray Douglas	Councillor Andrew Victor	
<b>Culture, Rights &amp; Title</b> The activities are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Longhouse</li> <li>• Funerals &amp; Memorials</li> <li>• Celebrations</li> <li>• Fisheries, Hunting &amp; Gathering</li> <li>• Arts and Language</li> </ul>	Chief Darwin Douglas	Councillor Ray Douglas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lower fisheries Alliance (LFFA)</li> <li>• Fraser Salmon Management Council</li> <li>• Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)</li> <li>• First Nations Fisheries Council (FNFC)</li> </ul>