



Cities of New Brunswick Association  
Association des Cités du Nouveau-Brunswick

## News Release

### **Cities of New Brunswick Association - Special General Meeting**

May 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2018

The city mayors listed below represent the 8 cities of New Brunswick who are members of the Cities of NB Association. At the Special General Meeting on April 27<sup>th</sup>, 2018 in Moncton, these mayors stood unified in their commitment to pursue municipal priorities that will enable a prosperous NB economy.

The Cities of New Brunswick Association with its renewed level of engagement from all 8 cities agreed to streamline their efforts by focusing on three common priority challenges: Enhanced revenue capacity, Reform of protective services (arbitration process) and Broader municipal Reform.

« We are pleased that the 8 cities of NB is joined together in identifying priorities that will benefit everyone, and enhance any one city's ability to successfully achieve desired outcomes », said the President, Mayor Adam Lordon, of the Cities of NB Association.

In order to maximize the 8 cities ability to influence the 2018 provincial election, the Association will be focusing its efforts on educating the public, political parties and all levels of government by increasing awareness around on the negative impact that current

conditions are having towards modern and competitive urban economic hubs.

« We have a unique group. Each city has their own character and personality, and we are all the economic drivers of our regions. But big and small, north and south, anglophone and francophone, so many challenges and opportunities we face are the same. Sure it might be on a different scale, but in the end the potential solutions can benefit us all. »

In the next few weeks, the Association will be preparing their awareness campaign and look forward to sharing this with New Brunswickers in advance of the provincial campaign.

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