



PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Park Act

Order of the Regional Director

TO: Public Notice

DATE: 2023-09-19

WHEREAS:

- A. Shuswap Lake Provincial Park ("the Park") is located near Scotch Creek, BC;
- B. The Park is a Class A park established under the *Park Act* 1956.
- C. In collaboration with BC Wildfire Service (BCWS), BC Parks closed the Park on August 21, 2023 due to wildfire risk to public and worker safety
- D. Section 17 of the *Park Act* states:

A Director or any Park Officer acting on the Director's behalf may do one or more of the following:

- (c) Order any person in any park, conservancy or recreation area to cease or refrain from an action, an omission or conduct that the Director or Park Officer, in his or her discretion, considers dangerous to life or property or detrimental to the public interest.

ACCORDINGLY, the Regional Director orders:

1. The closure of Shuswap Lake Provincial Park to all recreational users dated 2023-08-19 is hereby rescinded. This rescission is effective immediately.

Signed in Bella Colla, this 2023-09-15.



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