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BC Métis Federation to Sign Statement of Cooperation with Old Fort Métis Association

(Fort Nelson, BC) BC Métis Federation leaders and team members attended the signing of a new Statement of Cooperation agreement with the Fort Nelson Métis community represented by the organization Old Fort Metis Association. This is a new Statement of Cooperation for the BC Métis Federation signed this week as the organization grows with membership and new local Métis community partners.

BC Métis Federation President Keith Henry stated, “Another important step within BC as our Metis people freely choose their provincial representation. Metis have always been our own people and today the local leadership in Fort Nelson and their approximate 200 members have decided to work in a cooperative manner with the BC Métis Federation. Thank you to Old Fort Métis Association Executive Director Taylor McLeod for our work together to see this agreement come together today.”

Old Fort Métis Association Executive Director Taylor McLeod stated, “I am very excited for this partnership with the BC Metis Federation for our community. The BC Metis Federation’s level of integrity and commitment to empowering the BC Metis align with our goals for enriching our historical Metis community at the Old Fort.”

BC Métis Federation President Henry concluded, “Thank you to the Fort Nelson Métis community who continues to support our growth as we build new relationships with key Métis communities and partners to ensure our future success. We look forward to meeting with the Fort Nelson community leaders to further support our Métis culture.”

For more information about the BC Metis Federation or the signing of the Statement of Cooperation agreement, go to www.bcmétis.com

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