

BC NORTHERN REAL ESTATE BOARD



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News Release

Due to concerns over COVID-19 exposure and spread, the BC Northern Real Estate Board has strongly recommended that members suspend all Open Houses. “The Board supports the health authorities’ call for social distancing and other measures aimed at protecting communities during the COVID-19 pandemic”, notes President Leah Mayer. “I know that our members have already made changes in their practice to protect their clients and others. Most members stopped holding Open Houses before our recommendation and are actively ensuring additional protective measures during showings. Many members are expanding virtual tours or presentations. If you are a buyer or seller, please speak to your REALTOR® about COVID-19 preparedness.”

The BC Northern Real Estate Board recently changed its rules to allow listings to be designated “no showings” while remaining on the MLS® system. Buyers and sellers are reminded that they should not view or show properties if they, or anyone they live with, are unwell or have recently travelled out of the country.

About the Board

The BC Northern Real Estate Board (BC Northern) is a REALTOR® association of 390 members that serves the real estate needs of the communities from Fort Nelson in the north to 100 Mile House in the south and from the Alberta border to Haida Gwaii.

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