

Legislative Assembly of British Columbia
Constituency Office Funded Expenses
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				Note 2	Note 3	Note 4	Note 5	Note 6	Note 7	Note 8, 9
Anton, Suzanne	Vancouver-Fraserview	13	37,398	\$ 101,488	\$ 3,460	\$ 9,676	\$ 3,744	\$ 512	\$ 8,504	\$ 127,384
Ashton, Dan	Penticton	1,910	41,985	\$ 69,067	\$ 1,234	\$ 15,064	\$ 2,106	\$ 1,048	\$ 23,331	\$ 111,850
Austin, Robin	Skeena	31,649	19,749	\$ 97,737	\$ 2,306	\$ 25,810	\$ 2,178	\$ -	\$ 4,789	\$ 132,820
Bains, Harry	Surrey-Newton	14	31,797	\$ 99,587	\$ 3,333	\$ 19,445	\$ 6,887	\$ 500	\$ 381	\$ 130,133
Barnett, Donna	Cariboo-Chilcotin	43,321	20,521	\$ 92,392	\$ 2,181	\$ 10,976	\$ 2,894	\$ 3,375	\$ 7,878	\$ 119,696
Bennett, Bill	Kootenay East	11,182	28,966	\$ 111,078	\$ 850	\$ 21,388	\$ 1,711	\$ 1,449	\$ 2,117	\$ 138,593
Bernier, Mike	Peace River South	30,364	17,246	\$ 78,039	\$ 1,910	\$ 21,688	\$ 2,897	\$ 157	\$ 7,735	\$ 112,426
Bing, Doug	Maple Ridge-Pitt Meadows	1,953	39,120	\$ 82,328	\$ 4,767	\$ 38,073	\$ 7,470	\$ -	\$ 7,743	\$ 140,381
Bond, Shirley	Prince George-Valemount	31,538	33,387	\$ 105,870	\$ 1,003	\$ 13,733	\$ 4,149	\$ 2,600	\$ 1,478	\$ 128,833
Cadieux, Stephanie	Surrey-Cloverdale	121	53,148	\$ 101,401	\$ 3,845	\$ 11,024	\$ 1,273	\$ 707	\$ 3,483	\$ 121,733
Chandra Herbert, Spencer	Vancouver-West End	13	34,154	\$ 107,992	\$ 2,594	\$ 24,564	\$ 3,183	\$ 81	\$ 1,421	\$ 139,835
Chouhan, Raj	Burnaby-Edmonds	22	35,306	\$ 81,583	\$ 9,941	\$ 30,169	\$ 16,246	\$ -	\$ 4,736	\$ 142,675
Clark, Christy	Westside-Kelowna	1,140	43,995	\$ 92,911	\$ 1,093	\$ 14,824	\$ 1,560	\$ 989	\$ 3,385	\$ 114,762
Coleman, Rich	Fort Langley-Aldergrove	233	47,516	\$ 74,373	\$ 349	\$ 26,454	\$ 14,346	\$ -	\$ 4,766	\$ 120,288
Conroy, Katrine	Kootenay West	12,009	30,156	\$ 100,293	\$ 1,471	\$ 15,601	\$ 3,475	\$ 108	\$ 1,061	\$ 122,009
Corrigan, Kathy	Burnaby-Deer Lake	14	33,160	\$ 94,454	\$ 2,872	\$ 9,864	\$ 4,669	\$ -	\$ 2,035	\$ 113,894
Dalton, Marc	Maple Ridge-Mission	392	37,940	\$ 80,820	\$ 4,907	\$ 46,228	\$ 2,190	\$ -	\$ 5,166	\$ 139,311
Darcy, Judy	New Westminster	18	44,720	\$ 105,783	\$ 3,131	\$ 17,337	\$ 9,053	\$ 61	\$ 2,211	\$ 137,576
de Jong, Michael	Abbotsford West	105	30,753	\$ 98,569	\$ 3,608	\$ 6,851	\$ 3,494	\$ 698	\$ 2,685	\$ 115,905
Dix, Adrian	Vancouver-Kingsway	9	35,430	\$ 111,444	\$ 9,451	\$ 10,025	\$ 4,965	\$ 560	\$ 5,267	\$ 141,712
Donaldson, Doug	Stikine	196,446	13,033	\$ 110,275	\$ 1,327	\$ 9,820	\$ 1,390	\$ 2,169	\$ 1,777	\$ 126,758
Eby, David	Vancouver-Point Grey	42	37,516	\$ 97,419	\$ 5,542	\$ 10,963	\$ 4,472	\$ -	\$ 6,917	\$ 125,313
Elmore, Mable	Vancouver-Kensington	9	36,566	\$ 111,355	\$ 1,087	\$ 2,389	\$ 534	\$ -	\$ 3,540	\$ 118,905
Farnworth, Mike	Port Coquitlam	35	37,957	\$ 109,778	\$ 2,242	\$ 7,655	\$ 318	\$ -	\$ 442	\$ 120,435
Fassbender, Peter	Surrey-Fleetwood	21	34,568	\$ 112,998	\$ 3,520	\$ 19,094	\$ 4,498	\$ 1,561	\$ 7,501	\$ 146,050
Fleming, Rob	Victoria-Swan Lake	18	36,999	\$ 89,770	\$ 2,545	\$ 11,957	\$ 1,204	\$ 198	\$ 786	\$ 106,460
Foster, Eric	Vernon-Monashee	5,034	45,702	\$ 95,221	\$ 5,559	\$ 17,345	\$ 7,421	\$ 907	\$ 10,377	\$ 136,830
Fraser, Scott	Alberni-Pacific Rim	13,172	30,717	\$ 116,747	\$ 2,591	\$ 7,214	\$ 583	\$ 152	\$ 15,843	\$ 143,130
Gibson, Simon	Abbotsford-Mission	666	35,715	\$ 87,373	\$ 7,361	\$ 30,802	\$ 3,242	\$ 75	\$ 2,543	\$ 131,396
Hamilton, Scott	Delta North	32	34,818	\$ 79,487	\$ 5,563	\$ 49,981	\$ 2,035	\$ 43	\$ 14,203	\$ 151,312
Hammell, Sue	Surrey-Green Timbers	19	29,677	\$ 93,987	\$ 7,835	\$ 7,589	\$ 2,808	\$ 66	\$ 4,792	\$ 117,077
Heyman, George	Vancouver-Fairview	9	42,274	\$ 91,119	\$ 2,088	\$ 4,848	\$ 3,203	\$ 61	\$ 1,238	\$ 102,557

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Hogg, Gordon	Surrey-White Rock	61	38,926	\$ 105,586	\$ 4,563	\$ 5,630	\$ 1,194	\$ -	\$ 2,197	\$ 119,170
Holman, Gary	Saanich North and the Islands	1,519	44,220	\$ 97,707	\$ 2,604	\$ 10,516	\$ 1,632	\$ 545	\$ 919	\$ 113,923
Horgan, John	Juan de Fuca	2,759	39,368	\$ 97,753	\$ 679	\$ 11,987	\$ 4,554	\$ -	\$ 4,422	\$ 119,395
Hunt, Marvin	Surrey-Panorama	62	45,086	\$ 62,292	\$ 7,457	\$ 12,739	\$ 2,492	\$ 464	\$ 2,802	\$ 88,246
Huntington, Vicki	Delta South	464	34,091	\$ 103,485	\$ 3,311	\$ 7,178	\$ 4,976	\$ -	\$ 2,842	\$ 121,792
James, Carole	Victoria-Beacon Hill	102	41,608	\$ 92,546	\$ 3,198	\$ 18,846	\$ 8,639	\$ 100	\$ 2,845	\$ 126,174
Karagianis, Maurine	Esquimalt-Royal Roads	69	37,684	\$ 106,443	\$ 277	\$ 6,986	\$ 276	\$ -	\$ 2,595	\$ 116,577
Krog, Leonard	Nanaimo	449	38,961	\$ 105,239	\$ 2,275	\$ 12,377	\$ 1,966	\$ -	\$ 3,125	\$ 124,982
Kyllo, Greg	Shuswap	8,611	39,491	\$ 76,077	\$ 8,780	\$ 28,355	\$ 6,773	\$ 3,773	\$ 12,457	\$ 136,215
Lake, Terry	Kamloops-North Thompson	21,641	39,159	\$ 101,852	\$ 2,272	\$ 19,595	\$ 4,054	\$ 276	\$ 2,802	\$ 130,851
Larson, Linda	Boundary-Similkameen	11,174	28,286	\$ 103,907	\$ 468	\$ 4,965	\$ 5,079	\$ 3,971	\$ 4,392	\$ 122,782
Lee, Richard	Burnaby North	24	39,415	\$ 74,241	\$ 19,906	\$ 29,320	\$ 4,068	\$ 1,612	\$ 2,140	\$ 131,287
Letnick, Norm	Kelowna-Lake Country	1,165	43,625	\$ 95,829	\$ 4,035	\$ 23,216	\$ 4,506	\$ -	\$ 412	\$ 127,998
Macdonald, Norm	Columbia River-Revelstoke	39,732	23,306	\$ 111,442	\$ 1,329	\$ 7,138	\$ 195	\$ 966	\$ 4,598	\$ 125,668
Mark, Melanie	Vancouver-Mount Pleasant	14	38,225	\$ 90,108	\$ 8,154	\$ 9,859	\$ 8,936	\$ 120	\$ 4,582	\$ 121,759
Martin, John [Note 10]	Chilliwack	146	36,288	\$ 50,211	\$ 5,031	\$ 21,691	\$ 1,426	\$ 141	\$ 3,329	\$ 81,829
McRae, Don	Comox Valley	2,526	48,672	\$ 100,621	\$ 4,380	\$ 6,714	\$ 6,020	\$ 232	\$ 8,108	\$ 126,075
Morris, Mike	Prince George-Mackenzie	20,440	31,880	\$ 110,128	-\$ 91	\$ 9,838	\$ 2,454	\$ 282	\$ 1,393	\$ 124,004
Mungall, Michelle	Nelson-Creston	13,212	26,543	\$ 98,174	\$ 1,354	\$ 13,361	\$ 2,367	\$ 839	\$ 5,267	\$ 121,362
Oakes, Coralee	Cariboo North	39,770	22,873	\$ 77,812	\$ 2,560	\$ 20,353	\$ 10,628	\$ 1,768	\$ 7,890	\$ 121,011
Pimm, Pat	Peace River North	175,813	24,435	\$ 83,516	\$ 3,015	\$ 3,642	\$ 1,512	\$ 189	\$ 1,691	\$ 93,565
Plecas, Darryl	Abbotsford South	211	34,881	\$ 83,710	\$ 11,690	\$ 30,117	\$ 3,896	\$ 59	\$ 9,308	\$ 138,780
Polak, Mary	Langley	95	45,448	\$ 99,959	\$ 2,131	\$ 7,708	\$ 1,526	\$ 101	\$ 2,800	\$ 114,225
Popham, Lana	Saanich South	91	38,193	\$ 96,198	\$ 2,758	\$ 13,174	\$ 2,360	\$ 10	\$ 4,068	\$ 118,568
Ralston, Bruce	Surrey-Whalley	30	35,213	\$ 93,774	\$ 9,023	\$ 12,191	\$ 8,361	\$ -	\$ 1,318	\$ 124,667
Reid, Linda	Richmond East	92	42,754	\$ 81,252	\$ 10,713	\$ 17,915	\$ 3,198	\$ 332	\$ 5,137	\$ 118,547
Reimer, Linda	Port Moody-Coquitlam	83	34,871	\$ 86,882	\$ 11,074	\$ 30,598	\$ 8,939	\$ 62	\$ 924	\$ 138,479
Rice, Jennifer	North Coast	143,865	14,064	\$ 84,924	\$ 10,086	\$ 24,474	\$ 2,716	\$ 339	\$ 11,301	\$ 133,840
Robinson, Selina	Coquitlam-Maillardville	32	36,933	\$ 98,411	\$ 2,940	\$ 28,393	\$ 5,189	\$ -	\$ 1,629	\$ 136,562
Routley, Bill	Cowichan Valley	1,685	41,747	\$ 122,372	\$ 151	\$ 1,822	\$ 1,089	\$ -	\$ 1,101	\$ 126,535

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Routley, Doug	Nanaimo-North Cowichan	2,709	39,646	\$ 91,025	\$ 135	\$ 12,331	\$ 2,773	\$ 849	\$ 7,135	\$ 114,248
Rustad, John	Nechako Lakes	73,795	15,800	\$ 85,186	\$ 1,903	\$ 23,964	\$ 2,696	\$ 891	\$ 3,378	\$ 118,018
Shin, Jane	Burnaby-Lougheed	36	34,466	\$ 94,451	\$ 5,827	\$ 5,450	\$ 2,351	\$ 76	\$ 7,807	\$ 115,962
Simons, Nicholas	Powell River-Sunshine Coast	21,007	36,273	\$ 102,828	\$ 909	\$ 6,576	\$ 2,835	\$ 544	\$ 3,795	\$ 117,487
Simpson, Shane	Vancouver-Hastings	14	37,809	\$ 101,304	\$ 2,148	\$ 6,685	\$ 5,163	\$ -	\$ 2,546	\$ 117,846
Stilwell, Michelle	Parksville-Qualicum	962	42,013	\$ 112,020	\$ 6,836	\$ 24,528	\$ 5,315	\$ 1,090	\$ 2,291	\$ 152,080
Stilwell, Moira	Vancouver-Langara	15	35,575	\$ 113,450	\$ 1,220	\$ 6,958	\$ 7,322	\$ 1,786	\$ 5,433	\$ 136,169
Stone, Todd	Kamloops-South Thompson	2,377	40,692	\$ 100,509	\$ 1,451	\$ 7,658	\$ 2,101	\$ 200	\$ 3,024	\$ 114,943
Sturdy, Jordan	West Vancouver-Sea to Sky	9,598	36,159	\$ 109,983	\$ 1,094	\$ 8,638	\$ 3,712	\$ 446	\$ 7,038	\$ 130,911
Sullivan, Sam	Vancouver-False Creek	7	41,282	\$ 66,447	\$ 2,898	\$ 6,084	\$ 1,979	\$ 1,222	\$ 48,121	\$ 126,751
Sultan, Ralph	West Vancouver-Capilano	80	37,468	\$ 113,109	\$ 710	\$ 2,931	\$ 528	\$ -	\$ 930	\$ 118,208
Tegart, Jackie	Fraser-Nicola	33,784	20,877	\$ 111,131	\$ 1,598	\$ 5,660	\$ 1,089	\$ 11,356	\$ 3,444	\$ 134,278
Thomson, Steve	Kelowna-Mission	528	43,864	\$ 94,083	\$ 2,604	\$ 9,860	\$ 2,475	\$ 12	\$ 4,144	\$ 113,178
Thornthwaite, Jane	North Vancouver-Seymour	387	37,463	\$ 73,666	\$ 6,657	\$ 27,725	\$ 3,313	\$ 885	\$ 18,260	\$ 130,506
Throness, Laurie	Chilliwack-Hope	10,813	35,232	\$ 79,559	\$ 5,119	\$ 22,335	\$ 2,593	\$ 1,018	\$ 3,386	\$ 114,010
Trevena, Claire	North Island	45,036	38,894	\$ 101,900	\$ 2,095	\$ 27,168	\$ 12,232	\$ 720	\$ 4,069	\$ 148,184
Virk, Amrik	Surrey-Tynehead	60	35,384	\$ 88,703	\$ 5,697	\$ 25,705	\$ 2,673	\$ 549	\$ 240	\$ 123,567
Wat, Teresa	Richmond Centre	440	40,231	\$ 91,348	\$ 960	\$ 3,506	\$ 1,263	\$ 885	\$ 712	\$ 98,674
Weaver, Andrew	Oak Bay-Gordon Head	315	36,448	\$ 108,605	\$ 2,548	\$ 6,060	\$ 1,123	\$ 40	\$ 99	\$ 118,475
Wickens, Jodie	Coquitlam-Burke Mountain	620	36,812	\$ 81,737	\$ 7,568	\$ 25,364	\$ 12,282	\$ -	\$ 1,384	\$ 128,335
Wilkinson, Andrew	Vancouver-Quilchena	23	35,388	\$ 53,386	\$ 104	\$ 58,692	\$ 3,175	\$ 42	\$ 5,083	\$ 120,482
Yamamoto, Naomi	North Vancouver-Lonsdale	26	38,792	\$ 100,770	\$ 2,820	\$ 20,681	\$ 4,553	\$ 28	\$ 2,227	\$ 131,079
Yap, John	Richmond-Steveston	32	39,885	\$ 95,497	\$ 4,173	\$ 15,408	\$ 3,167	\$ 3,322	\$ 1,967	\$ 123,534
Total				\$ 8,045,886	\$ 324,763	\$ 1,379,116	\$ 337,932	\$ 57,097	\$ 425,038	\$ 10,569,832

The accompanying notes form an integral part of this report

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Constituency Office Funding

Members of the Legislative Assembly are provided with an annual budget to cover the costs associated with operating and staffing constituency offices. Constituency office funding is deposited monthly to a Member's constituency office bank account. The amount deposited is net of constituency office salary and benefits, which are administered centrally by the Legislative Assembly. The total constituency office allowance is \$119,000 for fiscal 2016/17. In addition, constituency offices in non-urban ridings are provided with an annual travel allowance to cover costs incurred by office staff while travelling on a Member's behalf within the constituency. This allowance is intended to cover travel expenses, such as mileage, taxis, hotels, and meals. The annual travel allowance payment is made once per fiscal year. Constituency assistants in urban ridings are reimbursed for out-of-pocket work-related travel expenses from the constituency office allowance.

Constituency Office Expenses

Certain constituency office expenses are paid directly by a Member using the annual funding provided, while other expenses are paid directly by the Legislative Assembly. The information contained in this report refers only to those constituency office expenses paid directly by a Member which includes the use of the annual constituency allowance of \$119,000 and the use of the annual in-constituency travel allowance. Because the constituency office allowance amounts are reported on a cash basis, and constituency offices have the ability to carry-forward unspent balances from prior years, some offices may report amounts in excess of the \$119,000 annual amount. When a Member is no longer an MLA, any remaining unused funds are to be returned to the Legislative Assembly. Notes 2 through 7 provide definitions for each of the expense categories listed in the report. Information on Constituency Office funding and expenses can be found in *the Members' Orientation 2017* website at <http://members.leg.bc.ca>.

Note 1 Basis of Accounting

This report has been prepared on the cash basis of accounting whereby expenses are recorded when cash is actually received or paid out.

Note 2 Office Administration

This expense category includes constituency staff salary and certain benefits (e.g. Medical Services Plan, Extended HealthCare), WCB insurance, staff professional development, and conference and registration fees.

Note 3 Special Events and Protocol

This expense category includes non-partisan special events hosted by the Member in their constituency, community events, and may include the purchase of small items, such as flags or pins.

Note 4 Communications and Advertising

This expense category allows Members to provide information to their constituents including information on constituency office services and contact information. Expenses may include newspaper ads, householders, brochures, signage, inserts in special event programs, and subscriptions and memberships.

Note 5 Office Supplies

This expense category includes stationery supplies in excess of those provided centrally, postage, courier expenses, and other minor office equipment/furniture purchases.

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- Note 6 **Travel**
This expense category includes constituency office staff travel costs incurred while travelling on a Member's behalf, such as mileage, taxis, hotels and meals.
- Note 7 **Other Office Expenses**
This expense category includes annual service contracts (e.g. water delivery, security monitoring), utilities not covered under a lease agreement, minor repairs and maintenance, fees for other contracted services (e.g. writers, office maintenance workers), cell phones, cable services, and janitorial supplies and services.
- Note 8 **Centralized Expenses**
Constituency office expenses paid directly by the Legislative Assembly are not included in this report. These expenses include the rental of constituency offices and other constituency office expenses, such as insurance, telecommunications, photocopier charges, basic internet, cable services, basic stationery and supplies and the constituency office portion of certain benefits for constituency assistants (e.g. employment insurance, Canada Pension Plan and public service pension). The Legislative Assembly also provides each Member with computers, telecommunications and photocopier equipment for their constituency office. Equipment is upgraded after each general election. Total constituency office related expenses paid directly by the Legislative Assembly on behalf of all Members, for the period April 1, 2016 to March 31, 2017 is \$6.3 million. These centralized costs do not form part of the \$119,000 annual constituency office allowance.
- Note 9 **Receipts**
Members' constituency office expense receipts are available on the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia website at <https://www.leg.bc.ca/Members-Disclosure-and-Receipts>. Receipts for constituency offices are not provided for the "Office Administration" category as this category includes confidential staff salary and certain benefits information.
- Note 10 The expenses of the Chilliwack constituency office are currently under external review. The amounts currently disclosed are for expenses incurred for the period April 1, 2016 to December 31, 2016. Updated amounts will be provided following the review.