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5.	Consider climate change adaptation in its legislation, regulation, approvals and permitting processes.	<p><b>Local government land use planning</b> Based on actions identified by MAH and other ministries and the ideas put forward by the Green Communities Committee (GCC), assess adequacy of local government land use planning legislation in considering adaptation.</p> <p>Coordinate with other provincial agencies on any legislation, regulations, approvals or permitting processes that may impact local government capacity and land use planning authorities.</p> <p><b>Infrastructure</b> Local government Infrastructure grant programs incorporate climate change adaptation. MAH will explore opportunities to strengthen climate change adaptation at the project level through an increased emphasis on adaptation in program criteria and project conditions.</p> <p><b>Building Regulations</b> Consider BC Building Code revisions to address specific adaptation priorities (e.g., wildfire).</p>	<p>Estimate: 2020 onward</p> <p>Estimate: 2020</p> <p>Estimate: 2020-21</p>		<p><b>Building Regulations</b> The National Research Council of Canada and Natural Resources Canada are updating climate forecast data. MAH monitors this work as it pertains to provincial building codes.</p> <p><b>Infrastructure</b> April 2nd, 2018 – Investing in Canada Infrastructure Program agreement signed between federal and provincial government. The agreement sets framework to begin to develop new funding program streams</p>

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15.	Assess more fully the challenges facing local governments around climate change adaptation, identify priority areas and take action on the findings.	<p><b>Assess challenges</b> Develop a plan to identify full spectrum of local government climate adaptation challenges, building off of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- work done by the Green Communities Committee (GCC) Adaptation working group in 2017.</li> <li>- In-house knowledge</li> <li>- Work currently being done in the context of policy fellow research on potential for planning and land use strategies to improve community resilience to flood and wildfire hazards</li> <li>- MAH participation in cross-ministry committees and working groups</li> </ul> <p>Review and validate plan with Green Communities Committee, and execute plan.</p> <p><b>Identify priorities</b> Overlay the challenges identified above with results of the comprehensive tools and resources assessment (see recommendation 4). This gap analysis will inform priority areas and will serve to validate existing recommendations of the GCC on adaptation.</p> <p><b>Take action on findings</b> Collaborate with GCC to develop a plan to address the recommended priority areas. Take action on the plan.</p>	<p>Estimate: late 2019</p> <p>Estimate: 2019 onward</p>		<p>Funding and capacity support to Fraser Basin Council's Northeast Climate Risk Network project.</p> <p><b>Infrastructure</b> Partnering with Municipal Natural Assets Initiative (through Smart Prosperity Institute) on a pilot project with BC municipalities on refining and implementing natural asset solutions in a BC watershed.</p>

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