## SCNATEA's Business Exchange Day returns for the 14<sup>th</sup> Edition

**Val-d'Or, September 27, 2017** - The Secretariat to the Cree Nation Abitibi-Temiscamingue Economic Alliance, also known as (SCNATEA) will hold the 14<sup>th</sup> edition of its **Business Exchange Day,** on Wednesday, November 29, 2017, at the Hôtel Forestel in Val-d'Or, from 8 am to 5 pm.

Through a series of scheduled business meetings, this event will enable the Abitibi-Témiscamingue business community to meet with representatives of the Cree Nation. This event is expected to host over 250 participants with over 700 business meetings being scheduled.

In addition to the meetings and talks, the event is also an opportunity to meet the new Grand Chief of the Grand Council of the Crees Eeyou Istchee/ CNG, Dr. Abel Bosum. As Honorary Guest Speaker, he will make his first speech in Abitibi-Témiscamingue during lunchtime, to present his plan and his vision for the coming years.

**Drs. Ted Moses** President of SCNATEA, **Mr. Pierre Corbeil**, Mayor, City of Val-d'Or, **Mr. Stéphane Poulin**, VP of Finance and Administration at VCC General Contractor Inc. and **Mr. Martin Desgagné**, Interim Director of Capital Works and Services at the CNG / Capital Works and Services Department, will also be present as invited speakers for the event. Simultaneous translation will be available on site.

For more information on programming and to register online, please visit our website.

We would also like to thank our partners the Grand Council of the Crees, Canada Economic Development for Quebec regions, the cities of Val-d'Or, Amos, Rouyn-Noranda, Matagami, Lebelsur-Quévillon, and Makivik Corporation, and our sponsors Air Creebec, Youdin Rouillier Drilling, SNC-Lavalin, Youdin CMAC-Thyssen, Raymond Chabot Grant Thornton, Desjardins Enterprises, Petronor, Blais Industries and the Quebec Mineral Exploration Association.

Lastly, it will be possible to meet and interact with the speakers and participants during the event using the hashtag #SAENCAT17.

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## **About SCNATEA**

The Secretariat's mission is to promote sustainable relations and socio-economic alliances between the Cree Nation (Eeyou Istchee), Jamésie, Abitibi-Témiscamingue and Nunavik regions, in order to foster their harmonious development. To learn more about the Secretariat, visit <a href="https://www.creenation-at.com">www.creenation-at.com</a>.

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