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CAO Resignation

The Village of Valemount is announcing the departure of Mr. Eric Depenau, Chief Administrative & Corporate Officer. Mr. Depenau will be joining the City of Prince George as Manager, Intergovernmental Relations.

“During his tenure with the Village, Mr. Depenau made significant contributions to the organization, leaving an indelible mark on various projects and initiatives. His dedication, expertise, and collaborative spirit have been instrumental in achieving several milestones identified in Council’s priorities. Eric has been an extremely valued member of Team Valemount, and while we will miss his leadership and cadence, we wish him and his family all the very best in their future endeavors” – Mayor Owen Torgerson.

Mr. Depenau’s resignation is effective October 22nd 2023, until that time he will continue in his role as the search for a new CAO gets underway. The search for a new CAO is planned to be undertaken using both in house resources and the support of Brentwood Advisory Group.

“I would like to thank Council and Staff for the opportunity to serve the Village of Valemount. I believe Valemount is well positioned to steward a prosperous future for residents and to showcase itself as a resort municipality to be envied. Valemount has something very special and I am better for having spent this time in the community, thank you for welcoming me so openly” – CAO Eric Depenau.

Over the last year the Village has celebrated several advancements around asset management, housing and service expansions, the Village remains focused on delivering on its 2022-2026 Strategic Priorities throughout this transition.

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