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OKIB offices closed for three weeks; staff will continue to provide services

As you may be aware, all OKIB facilities and meeting rooms were closed Friday. Today, we are taking the extraordinary step of closing all OKIB offices for a minimum of 3 weeks, from March 17 to April 6, 2020 or until further notice.

OKIB phone lines will remain open and staff are working remotely in order to do our best to provide the same levels of service that you are used to. Reception will direct calls to the appropriate staff.

You can contact OKIB departments at the numbers below:

- Band Administration - 250-542-4328
- Education - 250-542-5094
- Public Works & Housing - 250-542-3444
- Lands - 250-542-3444
- Community Services & Development - 250-542-5094
- Territorial Stewardship Department - 250-542-7132

To keep up to date on events as they change, visit the OKIB COVID-19 web page for daily updates at <https://okib.ca/departments/community-services-development/health/covid-19>. Please share this URL with family and tell your friends.

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