



# SLIAMMON TREATY SOCIETY

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## Tla'amin Final Agreement Communication Session

**Date:** February 26, 2012 (Sunday)

**Time:** 12:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m. (lunch provided)

**Place:** *Sandman Hotel, 2852 Douglas Street, Victoria*

**Resource People:** Bill Stipdonk, Sliammon Tax Advisor  
Representative from Canada and British Columbia  
Michelle Washington, STS Land Use Planning

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**Topic overviews will include, but are not limited to:**

- Tax & Fiscal** (requested by attendees at the December session)

**Materials available:**

- ✓ Taxation and Treaty Powerpoint (Sales tax, Income tax, property tax)
- ✓ Enrolment Packages (for members not yet enrolled, please confirm)
- ✓ Minutes from the last Victoria session

**For those members not in attendance at the December session:**

- ✓ Final Agreement & Appendices copies (also at [www.sliammontreaty.com](http://www.sliammontreaty.com))
- ✓ Brochures & fact sheets (for those who have not received mail)

Updating contact lists is a constant challenge to ensure people get updated information like the Nehmotl newsletter, please make sure you keep your contact information up to date and get in touch with any **Sliammon members** in the greater Victoria area that we may have missed.

**To confirm:**

Call the toll free number or email me: [mwashington@sliammontreaty.com](mailto:mwashington@sliammontreaty.com)  
Your questions are important to us. If there is a question we cannot answer at the session, we will provide you a written answer within the week. Thank you for your assistance, we look forward to seeing you and discussing these very important issues.

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**Status Cards:**

*The Sliammon Band Membership Clerk has offered to do applications if there is enough interest confirmed in advance. **Please confirm by February 17 and ensure you have all documentation ready.** The clerk can also update name changes and register children.*

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***NANAIMO & DUNCAN Membership***

If you would like to attend the Victoria Tax and Fiscal session, we recognize that it is a bit of a distance to travel, so a mileage allowance will be available for those in attendance. **Confirmation in advance would be helpful.**

If you prefer a group session in your area, a focus group, or a home visit, please specify dates and times that would work best. You can also identify a speaker based on topics of interest. We look forward to your earliest response.

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**Mission Statement:** *To honour and respect our Ancestors through implementation of a true community based process to negotiate a fair and equitable treaty settlement that will ensure the building blocks of good government and a foundation for the well being of future generations.*