Housing Solutions for Changing Communities

"Passive Housing" Workshop

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Mayor City of Fort St. John

Lori has lived in all four western provinces. She moved to Fort St. John in 1988. She is the mother of 3 children and step-mom of 3. Married to Andy and together they have 11 grandchildren. Lori was first elected to City Council in 2005 and started serving as a Director for the Peace River Regional District in 2006. She was elected Mayor in November 2011. A business management graduate, Lori's background is in marketing, economic development and small business counseling. Lori is a graduate of the Institute of Corporate Directors' Governance Essentials Program and is presently enrolled in Athabasca University's BA Political Science Major Program.

Lori assisted entrepreneurs and innovators in North East BC take their idea from "concept to commercialization" and believes that through innovation, BC has the ability to extract our resources and leave a lighter footprint. In recognition of her community involvement in 2002 and 2012, Lori received the Queen's Jubilee Medal and in 2005, she received the Silver Acorn for her distinguished service to Scouting and was named one of the Top 35 Most Influential Women in BC in February of 2016.

