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Topic for Article Submission: Rurals & Urbans: The great shift
How can the diminishing rural population continue to sustain urban B.C.?

Article Theme:

There has been a significant shift from rural living to urban over the past few decades. The exponential growth in B.C.'s urban centres has left only 20% of the population to produce and extract the raw goods from our seven natural resources. Some of these resources provide for the direct needs of the Urban and Rural populations, while most resources are exported, helping pay for the imported wants and needs of both. We ask: how is this sustainable, and how do we educate urbanites on the balance and perceived dichotomy between urban values, and B.C.'s resource-based economy?

Share your insight on this theme for your opportunity to win \$10,000 and potentially have your article published.

Submission Deadline:



Contest Details:

One winner will be chosen from each region of the province of B.C., of which, one will be awarded the Grand Prize of \$10,000, second place will be awarded \$5,000, the subsequent regional winners (five) will receive \$1,000 and ten runner-ups will receive \$100 each. The winning article will be submitted to media publications. Word count 1200 max.

Contest is open to B.C. residents only. Submit entry to your local Chamber of Commerce.

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