

CPABC Regional Check-Up 2017

Northeast Development Region (NEDR)

HIGHLIGHTS

Population:
70,032 residents or **+0.3%**

34.3 years is the median age in NEDR, the youngest in BC.

FORECAST



WORK



Job Losses: -1,000

Highest unemployment rate in BC and in **at least 15 years**

Industries with the Most Job Losses:



- #1** Construction (-1,700)
- #2** Transportation & Warehousing (-800)
- #3** Trade (-400)

Unemployment:
9.7% > 6.0%
NEDR BC

Youth Unemployment:
11.9% > 8.7%
NEDR BC

INVEST



Value of Projects:
-0.6% to
\$36.8 billion



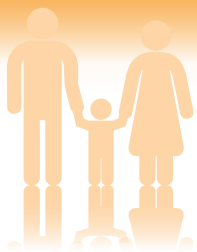
77% of the total value of major projects is related to the oil & gas and utilities sector



Major projects data is based on Q3 2016. +/- are in comparison to Q3 2015 data.

Business Bankruptcies: +100% to 2 reports

LIVE



Educational Attainment:

53.8% of labour force has post-secondary certificate/diploma or higher (unchanged)



Consumer Insolvencies:

Personal Bankruptcies:
1.7 per 1,000 adults or **+112.5%**

Consumer Proposals:
2.2 per 1,000 adults or **+57.1%**