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To all Huu-ay-aht Citizens:

It is with deep sadness that we share the passing of Executive Councillor Stella Peters. We honour her service, dedication, and the many contributions she made to our community. Our thoughts and heartfelt condolences are with her family, friends, and all who were touched by her life.

With this loss, a vacancy now exists on Executive Council. This notice is being made as a requirement of the *Government Act*, (s. 24(4)), which details that a **Public Notice** must be issued, and therefore the Acting Law Clerk has officially declared the office of Council member vacant.

In accordance with the processes detailed in the *Election Act* for these situations (s. 12(1)(b)), a by-election is required to fill a vacancy following the passing of a Council member.

Additional information, including key dates and next steps in the by-election process, will be shared with citizens in the coming days.

We thank you for your understanding, and we come together as a community to remember and honour her during this difficult time.

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