



*MEDIA ADVISORY*  
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### **LAUNCH OF STRATEGIC HORN RIVER BASIN PARTNERSHIP**

Black Diamond Income Fund (TSX:BDI.UN) and Fort Nelson First Nation (FNFN) to celebrate signing of limited partnership agreement and formation of Black Diamond Dene.

- TO:** Business/Energy and Aboriginal News Editors, Reporters & Assignment Desks
- WHAT:** Ceremonial signing of an **agreement that addresses resource development** as well as other commercial and industrial activity **in the Horn River Basin**. North-eastern BC's Horn River Basin, believed to be North America's largest natural gas play, is located within FNFN's traditional and reserve lands
- WHO:** Expected attendees include:  
Chief, Councilors and Elders of the Fort Nelson First Nation  
Trevor Haynes, President & CEO of Black Diamond, company personnel  
Representatives of the Horn River Producers Group, BC Oil & Gas Commission and Fort Nelson Chamber of Commerce.
- PHOTOS:** Still images taken by a professional photographer will be available on a ftp site shortly after the event. *Call Gail Lilge @ 403-816-8315 now to arrange site access.*
- WHERE:** Fort Nelson First Nation Band Office, Mile 293-295, Alaska Highway  
*To arrange a seat on the plane flying from and to Calgary that day, contact Gail Lilge at 403-816-8315. Limited seats. Departs 1 PM. Returns 6:30 PM*
- WHEN:** September 28, 2009, 4:00 to 5:00 PM
- WHY:** Chief Kathi Dickie explains: "We see this agreement as a modern interpretation of Treaty 8 in which the FNFN people continue to make a living off the land in the spirit of sharing. The partnership is a way to actively participate in the future of our lands".
- The new business venture will build upon (1) Black Diamond's expertise in providing remote workforce accommodation solutions, oilfield equipment & services and modular offices; (2) and the First Nation's location in Fort Nelson as well as their local knowledge of the Horn River Basin.

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