

## STEP IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION

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### SPOKEN WORD

Regenerative sustainability:...putting life at the heart of everything we do. How do we live so that we don't harm the natural systems that sustain us?

How do we make the flow of materials circular, and minimize extraction of resources? Did you know that oil can be reused over and over and over again? Did you know that over 90 percent of tires in BC are recycled?

These may seem like small steps when the challenges are so huge. But when a lot of people make the same small changes, they add up to a big difference.

When we take a step...what direction are we facing? What is that right direction?

### INTRO

Indigenous Drums / Rattles

### PART A: CHORUS

**Step up, step up, step in...  
in the right direction**  
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### PART B: HALQ'EMÉYLEM

**Hey-oh way-ah hey hey**  
**Ólù ey - ts'elhí:mexósem**  
(Really good - walking together)  
**Hey-oh way-ah hey hey**  
**Xyolhmets te xa xa temexw**  
(caring for our sacred land)  
**Hey-oh way-ah hey hey**  
**Xwelelam - ye selyólexwa**  
(listen to our ancestors)  
**Hey-oh way-ah hey hey**  
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### C REGGAE

**Follow our teachers helping**

**Us to find the right way**

**Ó: xw'éywelh...siyam**

(good hearted respect)

**Cholt ye s'ew-í-wes**

(all of us following our teachers)

**Hakweles wiyotha**

(remember always)

**Always remember your way**

**Every day we wake up**

**Make many choices,  
right or wrong**

**I choose kindness rippling out  
through my song...**

**On and on and on**

**Ó xw'éywelh...siyam**

(good hearted respect)

### REPEAT PARTS A, B & C

### SPOKEN WORD

Chaos theory: A butterfly flaps its wings in the Amazonian rain forest and the weather changes half a world away.

Recycling old tires, oil and antifreeze  
Might seem like just a butterfly wing flap  
When it can really be a thunderclap!!!

I believe a tiny change can affect everything  
These notes we play, these words we sing  
When you see that ripple effect  
The results might be more than you expect.

### INSTRUMENTAL SOLOS

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