From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Sent: Friday, December 1, 2017 2:05 PM

To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX; Aaron, Sage PREM:EX

Subject: Letter

Attachments: Scan\_20171201.pdf

Just an FYI – this letter from the Greens about Site C was delivered to us this afternoon, and the Greens will probably post or send news release shortly. I understand it was delivered to the PO today as well.

From: MELSANDE [mailto:Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Friday, December 1, 2017 1:48 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: Scan From

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Friday, December 1, 2017 4:14 PM

To: Kennedy, Christine PREM:EX

**Subject:** FW: Letter

Attachments: Scan\_20171201.pdf

This letter from the Greens about Site C was delivered to us this afternoon.

**From:** Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX **Sent:** Friday, December 1, 2017 4:20 PM

To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX

**Subject:** RE: s.12,s.13 - Cabinet Confidential

That looks pretty great. Thanks

From: Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX

Sent: Friday, December 1, 2017 4:12 PM

To: Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: s.12,s.13 - Cabinet Confidential

From: Kennedy, Christine PREM:EX Sent: December 1, 2017 3:24 PM

To: Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX < Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca >; MacLaren, Les EMPR:EX < Les.MacLaren@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: s.12,s.13 - Cabinet Confidential

s.12,s.13

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 6, 2017 10:01 AM

**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX

Subject: Re: Teck Resources: meeting request

I may have breakfast with him if you want to join?

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 6, 2017, at 9:54 AM, Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX < Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hi Melissa,

Do we want to have this meeting together?

It may also just be an intro meeting for us since we haven't met yet.

Caelie

From: Maynard Benjamin VANM [mailto:Benjamin.Maynard@teck.com]

Sent: Wednesday, December 6, 2017 8:16 AM

To: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX

Subject: Teck Resources: meeting request

Dear Ms. Frampton,

I am writing on behalf of Tom Syer, Director of Government Affairs at Teck Resources Limited, who would welcome the opportunity to meet you on Friday December 8 in Victoria. The purpose of this meeting would be to provide you with a briefing and outlook on Teck's mining activities in BC. For reference, Teck is Canada's largest diversified natural resource company with business units focused on steelmaking coal, copper, zinc and energy. We are headquartered in Vancouver, and, in BC, we own five steelmaking coal operations in the Elk Valley; one of the world's largest fully integrated zinc and lead smelting and refining complexes in the community of Trail; a copper and molybdenum operation near Kamloops; a 50 percent share of the Neptune port facility; and two other major mining projects in northeast and northwest B.C. Teck employs over 7,000 people across the province.

Tom Syer is available to meet in the morning on December 8, so to schedule to time, or if you have any questions or concerns, please get in touch at <a href="mailto:benjamin.maynard@teck.com">benjamin.maynard@teck.com</a> or 604.699.4504.

Thank you and best regards,

Benjamin

#### **Benjamin Maynard**

Government Affairs Coordinator Teck Resources Limited

Direct Phone: +1.604.699.4504

www.teck.com

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 5:43 PM

To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT!!! SITE C - Duty to Consult still required

Attachments: Print KLMSS revised claim area (2).pdf

From: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 3:49 PM

To: Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Cc: Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT!!! SITE C - Duty to Consult still required

FYI. I'll be sending you a few of these

From: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 3:25 PM

To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX Cc: Farmer, Susan PREM:EX; Rochon, Jake PREM:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT!!! SITE C - Duty to Consult still required

Hello again,

Forwarding one more email regarding Site C as an FYI as it is from someone s.16

s.16 Not sure if the Ministry of

Indigenous Relations & Reconciliation should be included in this as well, but currently they haven't been cc'd on it. If you need anything from our branch, please let me know!

### Thanks,

Allegra Wolansky Correspondence Officer Office of the Premier (778) 698-5465

From: s.16

Sent: Wednesday, December 6, 2017 9:09 PM

To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Minister, FIN FIN:EX; Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX; Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX; Lyle Campbell-Letendre

Subject: URGENT!!! SITE C - Duty to Consult still required

Importance: High

Dear Government of British Columbia:

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 5:44 PM

To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX

**Subject:** FW: Impacts of Site C decision or <sup>s.16</sup>

FYI

From: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 3:50 PM

To: Sas, Jonathan IRR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: Impacts of Site C decision on s.16

From: Wolansky, Allegra PREM:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 3:02 PM

To: Van Meer-Mass, Kate PREM:EX; Hannah, Matt GCPE:EX Cc: Farmer, Susan PREM:EX; Rochon, Jake PREM:EX Subject: FW: Impacts of Site C decision on s.16

Good Afternoon,

Just wanted to share this one as an FYI in case any further action needs to be taken. s.16

s.16 who is requesting to talk with either the Premier or a minister before the Site C decision is made. Looks like it has already been cc'd to all the relevant ministers. Please let me know if anything further is needed from the correspondence branch on this one!

### Thanks,

Allegra Wolansky Correspondence Officer Office of the Premier (778) 698-5465

From: s.16

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 8:54 AM To: OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

Cc: Minister, FIN FIN:EX; Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX; Minister, ENV ENV:EX; Minister, IRR IRR:EX

Subject: Impacts of Site C decision on s.16

Greeting Premier Horgan:

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 10:02 PM To: Syer Tom VANM Subject: Re: Friday - Teck Let's do 8:30 at my office. Sent from my iPhone > On Dec 7, 2017, at 9:49 PM, Syer Tom VANM < <a href="mailto:Tom.Syer@teck.com">Tom.Syer@teck.com</a>> wrote: > Melissa - anytime 730-9. What works best for you. Apologies for missing call, s.22 s.22 > Sent from my iPhone >> On Dec 7, 2017, at 7:00 PM, Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX <Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote: >> Hi Tom - sorry I tried to call. It would be great to grab a coffee at my office or Starbucks. I'm not sure what time you are looking available? >> >> Sent from my iPhone >> >> On Dec 6, 2017, at 9:19 AM, Syer Tom VANM <Tom.Syer@teck.com<mailto:Tom.Syer@teck.com>> wrote: >> Hi Melissa - would Friday morning work for you? Realize it is extremely busy... >> >> tom >> ----->> Tom Syer >> Director, Government Affairs >> Teck Resources Limited >> Direct Phone: +1.604.699.4458 >> Phone: +1.604.699.4000 >> Cell: +1 604.880.0128 >> eMail: Tom.Syer@teck.com<mailto:Tom.Syer@teck.com> >> www.teck.com<http://www.teck.com> >> >> >> >> >> From: McNish, James EMPR:EX [mailto:James.McNish@gov.bc.ca] >> Sent: Monday, December 04, 2017 1:44 PM >> To: Syer Tom VANM >> Subject: RE: Friday - Teck >> >> Hey Tom, love to get together for breakfast on Friday but I'll be over in Vancouver that day. >>

>> Melissa would be free though, and she would like to meet you anyways.
>>
>> Shall I set something up? What time were you thinking and where are you staying?
>>
>> -James
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>> From: Syer Tom VANM [mailto:Tom.Syer@teck.com]
>> Sent: Monday, December 4, 2017 9:05 AM
>> To: McNish, James EMPR:EX
>> Subject: Friday - Teck
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>> James - I'm over in Victoria at the end of the week. Would you have time for a catch-up Friday morning? Perhaps a
breakfast meeting?
>>
>> Regards,
>>
>> tom
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>> Tom Syer
>> Director, Government Affairs
>> Teck Resources Limited
>> Direct Phone: +1.604.699.4458
>> Phone: +1.604.699.4000
>> Cell: +1 604.880.0128
>> eMail: <u>Tom.Syer@teck.com<mailto:tom.syer@teck.com< u="">&gt;</mailto:tom.syer@teck.com<></u>
>> <u>www.teck.com<http: u="" www.teck.com<="">&gt;</http:></u>
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**From:** Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX **Sent:** Friday, December 8, 2017 9:26 AM

To: Haslam, David GCPE:EX

**Subject:** FW: Van Sun op-ed -- With or without Site C, the future is electric

Importance: High

Opinion: With or without Site C, the future is electric

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Sent: Friday, December 8, 2017 2:46 PM

To: McNish, James EMPR:EX

**Subject:** FW: Van Sun op-ed -- With or without Site C, the future is electric

Importance: High

From: Dan Woynillowicz [mailto:dan@cleanenergycanada.org]

Sent: Thursday, December 7, 2017 7:24 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: Van Sun op-ed -- With or without Site C, the future is electric

Importance: High

Hi Melissa,

It was great to finally meet you at the Generate conference reception in Vancouver last week.

Just wanted to flag for you (& hope that you will share with Minister Mungall) that we had an <u>op-ed published</u> in the Vancouver Sun on Site C, electrification, and the inevitable need for more power.

I've pasted it below as well.

I'm keen to engage on some of the next steps that will follow a decision—the BC Hydro review, IRP, and especially the energy roadmap—and can hopefully share some insight and expertise that's helpful. When appropriate, it would be appreciated if I could schedule a meeting with Minister Mungall—and also happy to connect with you and/or serve as a resource for you whenever helpful.

Thanks and look forward to connecting again.

Cheers

Dan

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### **Dan Woynillowicz**

**Policy Director** 

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 9:53 AM

To: Haslam, David GCPE:EX

Subject: Correspondence

Any issues with this as the response to the thousands of emails? In particular the mitigation.

Dear				

Thank you for taking the time to share your views with me about the future of the Site C dam. I appreciate the active participation from British Columbians on this issue and want to assure you that I listened and heard your concerns.

As you are most likely aware, we have made the difficult decision to proceed with Site C. The project should never have been started, but we cannot change the previous government's mistakes. To do anything but move forward would require British Columbians to take on \$4 billion in debt with nothing to show for it – and worse, force us to impose massive cuts to the services people count on us to deliver and make us unable to follow through on our commitments.

I understand that this was not the outcome you hoped for, and want to assure you that as this project continues, we will honour and respect the commitment demonstrated by those who oppose Site C and share in their determination to move B.C to a better future.

Our government will address many of the concerns we heard from British Columbians throughout the province with a number of conditions and initiatives including:

- · A new Project Assurance Board that will provide independent oversight to future contract procurement and management, project deliverables, environmental integrity, and quality assurance all within the mandate of delivering the project on time and budget. Based on current projections, BC Hydro has revised the budget to \$10.7 billion.
- · Establishing new Community Benefits Programs mandated with ensuring that project benefits assist local communities, and increasing the number of apprentices and First Nations workers hired onto the project.
- · Ensuring the Peace River Legacy Fund implements solutions to longer-term environmental, social and economic issues.
- · A new BC Food Security Fund based on Site C revenues dedicated to supporting farming and enhancing agricultural innovation and productivity across BC.
- · Activating the \$20-million agricultural compensation fund to offsets lost sales and stimulate long-term productivity enhancements in Peace Valley agriculture.

We recognize the significant impacts on Treaty 8 First Nations and held direct government-to-government meetings with those most affected. Our government and BC Hydro will work in partnership with Treaty 8 First Nations on measures to address their concerns, including a re-design of the Highway 29 re-alignment to reduce

impact on potential burial sites and sacred places, input in to the design of a Peace River Legacy Fund and the establishment of a Treaty 8 project advisory committee. Further, we will ask BC Hydro to consider the development of a new procurement stream for smaller scale renewable electricity projects where First Nations are proponents or partners.

Our government remains fully committed to meaningful reconciliation with Indigenous peoples. to working in partnership with all First Nations, and to implementing the UN Declaration on the Rights of Indigenous Peoples Once again, I want to thank you for your valuable perspective on this. I am committed to continuing a dialogue with all British Columbians as the project proceeds.

Sent from my iPhone

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:46 PM

To: Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX

**Subject:** RE: Replies/coordinated response to SC

Has not been approved by HQ:

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From: Vasilev, Susan [mailto:Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:45 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: Replies/coordinated response to SC

Can you share the one from the minister with me?

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX [mailto:Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 11:05 AM
To: Vasilev, Susan < Susan. Vasilev@leg.bc.ca >
Subject: RE: Replies/coordinated response to SC

I am doing one from the Minister - didn't know if Ed was doing one for CAs?

From: Vasilev, Susan [mailto:Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 11:03 AM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: Replies/coordinated response to SC

Melissa – please see Hilary's note below. Will you send me something today specifically for the constituency offices to use across the board, or should CAs create their own responses using key messages and the press release?

From: McNaughton, Hilary

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 11:00 AM To: Vasilev, Susan <Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca>

Do we have any direction on sending out replies to all the Site C emails we've been receiving, once the decision is made public?

The messaging we've gotten so far will be useful, but I'm wondering if there will be an official coordinated response, if we're encouraged to contact people or hold off on contacting them, etc.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:46 PM

To: Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX

**Subject:** RE: Replies/coordinated response to SC

Are you in your office?

From: Vasilev, Susan [mailto:Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:45 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: Replies/coordinated response to SC

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 2:42 PM

To: 'Dan Woynillowicz'

**Subject:** RE: Statement on Site C - FYI

Thank you for sharing Dan.

I also wanted to reach out about the meeting request. I am not sure if it makes sense, but the Minister is meeting with Jae on December 20 – would that be something for you to be a part of as well? If you would like a separate meeting we will take a look at when the Minister is in Victoria or Vancouver next.

From: Dan Woynillowicz [mailto:dan@cleanenergycanada.org]

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 1:06 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX Subject: Statement on Site C - FYI

Hi Melissa,

Here's our <u>statement</u> on the Site C decision today, just FYI (also pasted below).

Cheers

Dan

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# Dan Woynillowicz

**Policy Director** 

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Policies to drive shift from fossil fuels to clean power must follow Site C decision

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 3:45 PM

To: Marshall, Fraser IIT:EX

**Subject:** RE: Important: Site C Correspondence Response

Please hold for a moment.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 2:10 PM

To: Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX

Subject: Important: Site C Correspondence Response

Can we begin to distribute this? Please read it over and let me know what you think.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 3:56 PM

To: 'Cheryl Muir'

**Subject:** RE: BCBC Statement on Site C

Thank you for sharing with us.

From: Cheryl Muir [mailto:cheryl.muir@bcbc.com] Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 3:47 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX Subject: BCBC Statement on Site C

Hello Melissa,

Please be advised the Business Council released the statement below earlier this afternoon.

Thank you, Cheryl

BCBC Statement on Provincial Government Decision to Complete Site C

Posted Dec 11, 2017

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:36 PM

To: Hansen, Lucy HLTH:EX
Cc: McNish, James EMPR:EX
Subject: RE: Dec.12th 5pm meeting

Probably in her binder and also in the calendar invite. Did you find out if this was required or is it a rehash of what she already knows?

From: Hansen, Lucy EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:34 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX Cc: McNish, James EMPR:EX

Subject: FW: Dec.12th 5pm meeting

Melissa,

Do you want me to email this to her or just put it in her binder?





Administrative Coordinator to the **Honourable Michelle Mungall**Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

Direct: 250-387-2201 Office: 250-953-0900

E-mail: Lucy.Hansen@gov.bc.ca

From: Cochrane, Marlene EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:32 PM

To: Hansen, Lucy EMPR:EX
Cc: McCann, Meghan EMPR:EX
Subject: Dec.12th 5pm meeting

Good afternoon,

Please see attached EAED and MMRD budget summaries approved by the DM for tomorrow's meeting. Thanks,

Meghan for

Marlene Cochrane

Executive Coordinator | Deputy Minister's Office Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources Victoria | British Columbia Phone (778) 698 7254

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:48 PM

To: Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX

**Subject:** FW: Site C Correspondence Response

**Attachments:** Correspondence Dec 10.docx

Les flagged the line about the s.13 s.13

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 2:49 PM

To: Clark, Layne PREM:EX

Subject: Site C Correspondence Response

Hi Layne,

Attached is the correspondence response. I have now run it by the Minister, Don Z, Eric K and David H.

We will use it unless you flag any further issues – I will work with Susan on a coordinated office response.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:58 PM

To: Marshall, Fraser IIT:EX

Cc: MacLaren, Les EMPR:EX; Nikolejsin, Dave EMPR:EX

**Subject:** RE: Site c letters

The Minister approved the letter as is – it just would require a fact check.

From: Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 4:53 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Cc: MacLaren, Les EMPR:EX; Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX

Subject: FW: Site c letters

Melissa, we've made a few edits to the letter recommended by Les. Dave hasn't approved yet, so I've copied him on this.

Fraser

On Dec 11, 2017, at 4:47 PM, Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX <Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Mo is looking for the letter they can use to respond to stakeholders. Do we have that?

Dave Nikolejsin Deputy Minister

Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 11, 2017 6:36 PM

To: Oreck, Mira PREM:EX

**Subject:** Fwd: response from the COs - Site C

Attachments: Site C - CO response- December 11, 2017.xlsx; ATT00001.htm; Dec 11 Site C calls-

Premier Horgon Co.docx; ATT00002.htm

### Sent from my iPhone

### Begin forwarded message:

From: "Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX" < Susan. Vasilev@leg.bc.ca>

Date: December 11, 2017 at 5:53:41 PM PST

To: "Moran, Roseanne LASS:EX" < Roseanne. Moran@leg.bc.ca>, "Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX"

< Melissa. Sanderson@gov.bc.ca >

Subject: response from the COs - Site C

Roseanne and Melissa – only heard from one third of the offices but in most cases it has been less negative response than anticipated. There will probably a bunch of calls on the CO answering machines overnight.

We will continue updating this document and get a sense of how things are overall tomorrow on the con call at 11:30am.

I've also attached the calls to PJH's constituency office.

Susan

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, December 12, 2017 10:28 AM

**To:** Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX

**Subject:** Fwd: CKNW: Weaver - Site C apology ■

FYI

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: <tno@gov.bc.ca>

Date: December 12, 2017 at 10:21:42 AM PST

To: Undisclosed recipients:;

Subject: CKNW: Weaver - Site C apology ■

CKNW (Vancouver)

12-Dec-2017 10:00

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, December 12, 2017 11:14 AM

**To:** Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX **Subject:** what room is the Pine room?

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, December 12, 2017 1:16 PM

**To:** Haslam, David GCPE:EX **Subject:** Request from Justine Hunter

Minister Eby had a media request from Justine on the court cases about Site C that have taken place. I remember us doing something on this in the past. Can you share with their CD?

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 2:30 PM

**To:** Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX **Subject:** Re: Dear EMPR team,

Will do

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 13, 2017, at 2:29 PM, Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX < Michelle.J.Mungall@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Ok, please have tit sent out tomorrow

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Tuesday, December 12, 2017 12:48 PM

**To:** Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX **Subject:** Re: Dear EMPR team,

I think that's great

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 12, 2017, at 12:20 PM, Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX < Michelle.J.Mungall@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Thoughts on the below? to be sent out to all Empr staff Thursday?

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Mungall, Michelle" s.17

Date: December 12, 2017 at 12:18:55 PM PST

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- Vancouver Sun

Sorry pulled in to meeting

Sent from my iPhone

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You bet.

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Let me give you a call in 10 or so?

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Date: December 13, 2017 at 7:48:59 AM PST

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Thanks, Mmm

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Sent: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 9:47 AM

To: Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX

**Subject:** Re: John Horgan: Making the best decision on Site C for the people and future of B.C.

- Vancouver Sun

The emails are going out - they just can't do a bulk all at once email. They prioritize the personally written ones and then the campaign ones secondly.

Thought we could add it as they continue to move forward with responses.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 13, 2017, at 9:41 AM, Mungall, Michelle EMPR:EX < Michelle.J.Mungall@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

So the email hasn't gone out? The one I edited on Monday? Why? I thought it would be going out Monday. I actually thought that there was coordination of an email to go out for all constit offices too. No?

If the emails haven't gone out, please re read my email below, as I don't know how to be more clear about responding to ALL emails that came to my offices.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 13, 2017, at 8:07 AM, Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX < Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca> wrote:

Did you want this in the letter back to people who wrote to you as Minister?

Sent from my iPhone

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Mmm

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 10:49 AM
To: Langille, Laurie LASS:EX; Hill, Robert EMPR:EX

Subject:Correspondence Dec 10 LM - v2Attachments:Correspondence Dec 10 LM - v2.docx

This is what we are using from the Minister.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 13, 2017 10:50 AM

To: Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX

**Subject:** Correspondence Dec 10 LM - v2 **Attachments:** Correspondence Dec 10 LM - v2.docx

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 9:43 AM

To: Marshall, Fraser IIT:EX

**Subject:** Re: Site C Email - One last decision

Sounds good - the first subject line is fine.

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 14, 2017, at 9:29 AM, Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX < Fraser.Marshall@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

OK, one more thing before we can start hitting the send buttons. The subject line in the emails: How about:

Site C Decision

Or

Thank you for your input into the recent Site C Decision

My thoughts anyways. Also, we will let Samantha know that she may want to set up an outlook rule in the minister's email box routing all replies to this email into a Site C response folder. We will be sending out 10,500 emails. If even 10% hit reply, you will be overwhelmed.

Fraser

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To: "Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX" < Fraser.Marshall@gov.bc.ca>

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 5:16 PM

To: McNish, James EMPR:EX; Hansen, Lucy HLTH:EX

Subject: Fwd: Note from Minister

I'm not sure if you were on this but I need someone to get this out tonight - sorry

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX" < <u>Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca</u>>

Date: December 13, 2017 at 2:36:00 PM PST

To: "Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX" < Melissa.Sanderson@gov.bc.ca>, "Cochrane, Marlene EMPR:EX"

<<u>Marlene.Cochrane@gov.bc.ca</u>>
Subject: RE: Note from Minister

There is a dist list to all EMPR staff. Marlene can help you find that. Then she can send direct, or her office can on her behalf.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX Sent: December 13, 2017 2:32 PM

To: Cochrane, Marlene EMPR:EX < Marlene.Cochrane@gov.bc.ca >; Nikolejsin, Dave MNGD:EX

<Dave.Nikolejsin@gov.bc.ca>; McNish, James EMPR:EX <James.McNish@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject:** Note from Minister

Hello,

MMM would like the following sent out tomorrow to the EMPR team - how's the best way to distribute

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	From: Sent: To: Subject:	Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX on behalf of Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX Friday, December 15, 2017 9:59 AM McNish, James EMPR:EX FW: Site C Related Media
	From: Ken Boon [mailto:pvla@xplornet.com] Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 10:53 AM To: Ken Boon Subject: Site C Related Media Copyright	
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Website: <a href="http://www.peacevalleyland.com/">http://www.peacevalleyland.com/</a>

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Friday, December 15, 2017 1:42 PM

To: Vasilev, Susan LASS:EX

Subject: RE: fracking

#### This is it so far:

• The provincial government is attentive to the concerns expressed about hydraulic fracturing in British Columbia, and we respect the diversity of opinions shared with us by third parties and stakeholders.

We will act on our commitment and appoint a scientific panel to review hydraulic fracturing in British Columbia.
 This will include looking at impacts on water and the relationship to seismic activity. Industry activities will continue during the review period. Further details will be announced in the near future.

We are working on a more robust response.

From: Vasilev, Susan [mailto:Susan.Vasilev@leg.bc.ca]

Sent: Friday, December 15, 2017 1:37 PM

To: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Subject: fracking

Hey Melissa -s.22

Do yo have anything recent that we re saying on fracking to send to CAs?

They are getting both campaign/template emails and emails from their constituents on it.

From: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX [mailto:Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca]

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 7:58 PM

To: Vasilev, Susan Subject: Re: fracking

Melissa from MMPR says she'll be in touch tomorrow.

From:s.22

Sent: Thursday, December 14, 2017 4:25 PM

To: Chouhan.MLA, Raj <Raj.Chouhan.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: I call for an inquiry into fracking

I am writing to add my voice to the call on the provincial government to establish a formal Public Inquiry that would investigate the risks and harms associated with fracking.

The ecological, human health and safety, and climate costs associated with fracking in BC are tremendous and poised to get worse.

The BC NDP's campaign commitment to appoint a scientific panel to review fracking in BC is a start—but it does not go far enough.

A formal Public Inquiry should address whether provincial agencies adequately oversees fracking operations, ensuring that companies comply with existing laws and regulations, respect Indigenous rights and title, safeguard public health, and protect the environment.

The Inquiry should have powers and sufficient funds to: compel legal testimony, commission professional research, and hold public hearings across BC.

BC is long overdue for a thorough, public, transparent review of how natural gas is produced in this province.

s.22

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From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent:Friday, December 15, 2017 1:53 PMTo:McCarthy, Samantha EMPR:EXSubject:FW: Updated: Weekly Binder

Attachments: 1 TB Sub s.12.s.13 .pdf; 2 Gastech 2018 Participation -

FINAL.pdf; 3 101543 - WGC 2018 Participation.pdf

From: Cochrane, Marlene EMPR:EX Sent: Friday, December 15, 2017 9:08 AM

To: Hansen, Lucy EMPR:EX

Cc: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX; McNish, James EMPR:EX

Subject: Updated: Weekly Binder

Hi Lucy. As mentioned yesterday, attachment number one has been updated to include both submissions. Thanks.

Please find attached material for the Weekly Binder. The corresponding index is below. Thanks.

1. DRAFT TB SUMBISSIONS s.12,s.13

Memo for Consideration

2. DECISION BN: Gastech Conference

3. DECISION BN: World Gas Conference

Thanks.

#### Marlene Cochrane

Executive Coordinator | Deputy Minister's Office Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources Victoria | British Columbia Phone (778) 698 7254

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 9:36 AM

**To:** Giles, Alison GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: EMPR Follow-up Media Request: Justine on Site C new labour model and

apprentices

Thanks Alison – did Les look this over?

From: Giles, Alison GCPE:EX

Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 9:26 AM

To: McNish, James EMPR:EX; Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Cc: Hill, Robert EMPR:EX; Plummer, Glen GCPE:EX

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Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 9:38 AM

To: Holmwood, Jen PREM:EX

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This was approved by our ADM – are you good if we send it?

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I have shared with Evan and Don to get feedback. I think there is a KM we use on this issue that is missing. Will get back to you.

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Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 3:16 PM

To: Robb, Peter L. EMPR:EX

Subject: List

I actually never saw it come through – I don't think we have it.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Monday, December 18, 2017 4:16 PM

**To:** Plummer, Glen GCPE:EX

**Subject:** Finance Points

Did you have those few key messages.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:21 AM

**To:** Hansen, Lucy HLTH:EX **Subject:** FW: EMP - 2017 - 73684

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:16 AM

To: Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX Subject: EMP - 2017 - 73684

There is no correspondence between the Federal government and the MO on Southern Mountain Caribou and their habitat.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:22 AM

**To:** Hansen, Lucy HLTH:EX **Subject:** FW: emp- 2017 - 73441

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:12 AM

To: Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX Subject: emp- 2017 - 73441

There were no responsive records on our end. Lucy informed them on Dec 8.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:22 AM

**To:** Hansen, Lucy HLTH:EX **Subject:** FW: emp - 2017- 73532

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Wednesday, December 20, 2017 11:05 AM

To: Marshall, Fraser EMPR:EX Subject: emp - 2017- 73532

I don't have any records related to this.

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX

Sent: Friday, December 22, 2017 12:54 PM

To: May, Ed LASS:EX

**Subject:** Press Release for Wednesday

Hi Ed - just wanted to give you a heads up that we plan to send this on Wednesday. Would you happen to know the best person to share it with in Jennifer Rices office to let them know?

For Immediate Release [release number] [Date]

Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources

Province invests in community-owned clean energy projects

VICTORIA – The Province is supporting local governments and First Nations investments in projects that will lower energy costs, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and lead to more affordable and sustainable community infrastructure.

Among the projects receiving funding is a solar powered Zamboni at the Chilton Regional Arena in the Regional District of Mount Waddington. The unique project began as a propane-powered Zamboni, was subsequently converted to solar charged/lithium ion battery electric and is estimated to save approximately \$9,000 per year in operating costs.

Four additional communities across British Columbia are receiving funding for projects that include energy efficiency retrofits to community-owned facilities in the District of Clearwater and the Township of Langley, a run-of-river hydro project in Wuikinuxv Nation, and a solar energy system in Xeni Gwet'in First Nations.

"From renewable energy projects in remote First Nations communities to energy efficiency retrofits in public buildings and a solar-powered Zamboni, these innovative projects will reduce energy costs and GHG emissions," said Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources Michelle Mungall. "By promoting conservation, we are also creating good jobs and encouraging economic activity that will benefit communities across the province."

Total funding of \$620,000 comes from the Clean Energy Leadership Program (\$482,000) and the Remote Community Implementation Program (\$138,000).

"The Zamboni project was first proposed to the Arena Committee as just a conversion to replace the existing 20 year old unit," said Andrew Hory, Chair, Regional District of Mount Waddington. "However, by fundraising with corporate and private partners and with provincial support, we were able to come up with this innovative machine which saves us money and will help bring our arena service to operational carbon neutral in 2018." The Community Energy Leadership Program (CELP) supports investments in energy efficiency and clean energy projects that help communities reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, increase energy efficiency, stimulate economic activity and promote partnerships that advance British Columbia's growing clean energy

sector.

Funding for CELP comes from the B.C. Innovative Clean Energy (ICE) Fund, designed to support the Province's energy, economic, environmental and greenhouse gas reduction priorities and advance B.C.'s clean energy sector.

The Remote Community Implementation (RCI) Program has assisted B.C.'s remote communities in reducing their dependence on diesel generation by funding capital costs of implementation or construction of clean energy systems, such as hydro, wind and solar energy.

Support for these projects is aligned with the Government's commitment to re-invigorate the Innovative Clean Energy (ICE) Fund to boost investments in ground breaking new energy technologies, climate change solutions, and community-focused energy projects, especially projects that drive development in rural, northern and First Nations communities.

# Quick Facts:

- · CELP contributions for 2017/18 range from \$30,000 to \$160,000 per project and applicants are required to cover a minimum of 5% of total project costs and secure alternate sources of funding as needed.
- · CELP funding for 2017/18 will leverage \$3 million in investment from communities and other funding partners.
- · Since its launch CELP has provided \$1.2 million for 19 projects to help communities implement local energy efficiency and clean energy projects.
- · The 19 projects that have received funding from CELP will result in annual greenhouse emissions reductions of over 4,000 tonnes, equivalent to taking 850 passenger vehicles off the road each year.

### Learn More:

#### CELP:

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A backgrounder with more information on the projects follows

From: Sanderson, Melissa EMPR:EX
Sent: Friday, December 22, 2017 1:40 PM

**To:** j.rice@leg.bc.ca

**Subject:** Clean Energy Leadership Program Press Release

Hi Jennifer,

I wanted to keep you in the loop. On Wednesday there is a press Release going from the Ministry of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources that cites funding for a project in your riding, a run-of-river hydro project in Wuikinuxv Nation. I can give you a call to answer any questions or brief you on it. Let me know if you want to discuss further.

Please see Release below:

Province invests in community-owned clean energy projects

VICTORIA – The Province is supporting local governments and First Nations investments in projects that will lower energy costs, reduce greenhouse gas emissions and lead to more affordable and sustainable community infrastructure.

Among the projects receiving funding is a solar powered Zamboni at the Chilton Regional Arena in the Regional District of Mount Waddington. The unique project began as a propane-powered Zamboni, was subsequently converted to solar charged/lithium ion battery electric and is estimated to save approximately \$9,000 per year in operating costs.

Four additional communities across British Columbia are receiving funding for projects that include energy efficiency retrofits to community-owned facilities in the District of Clearwater and the Township of Langley, a run-of-river hydro project in Wuikinuxv Nation, and a solar energy system in Xeni Gwet'in First Nations.

"From renewable energy projects in remote First Nations communities to energy efficiency retrofits in public buildings and a solar-powered Zamboni, these innovative projects will reduce energy costs and GHG emissions," said Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources Michelle Mungall. "By promoting conservation, we are also creating good jobs and encouraging economic activity that will benefit communities across the province."

Total funding of \$620,000 comes from the Clean Energy Leadership Program (\$482,000) and the Remote Community Implementation Program (\$138,000).

"The Zamboni project was first proposed to the Arena Committee as just a conversion to replace the existing 20 year old unit," said Andrew Hory, Chair, Regional District of Mount Waddington. "However, by fundraising with corporate and private partners and with provincial support, we were able to come up with this innovative machine which saves us money and will help bring our arena service to operational carbon neutral in 2018." The Community Energy Leadership Program (CELP) supports investments in energy efficiency and clean energy projects that help communities reduce greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions, increase energy efficiency, stimulate economic activity and promote partnerships that advance British Columbia's growing clean energy sector.

Funding for CELP comes from the B.C. Innovative Clean Energy (ICE) Fund, designed to support the Province's energy, economic, environmental and greenhouse gas reduction priorities and advance B.C.'s clean energy sector.

The Remote Community Implementation (RCI) Program has assisted B.C.'s remote communities in reducing their dependence on diesel generation by funding capital costs of implementation or construction of clean energy systems, such as hydro, wind and solar energy.

Support for these projects is aligned with the Government's commitment to re-invigorate the Innovative Clean Energy (ICE) Fund to boost investments in ground breaking new energy technologies, climate change solutions, and community-focused energy projects, especially projects that drive development in rural, northern and First Nations communities.

# Quick Facts:

- · CELP contributions for 2017/18 range from \$30,000 to \$160,000 per project and applicants are required to cover a minimum of 5% of total project costs and secure alternate sources of funding as needed.
- · CELP funding for 2017/18 will leverage \$3 million in investment from communities and other funding partners.
- · Since its launch CELP has provided \$1.2 million for 19 projects to help communities implement local energy efficiency and clean energy projects.
- The 19 projects that have received funding from CELP will result in annual greenhouse emissions reductions of over 4,000 tonnes, equivalent to taking 850 passenger vehicles off the road each year.

# Learn More:

## CELP:

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