From: Rod Allan

To: Donaldson.MLA, Doug LASS:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; nicholas.simons@bcndp.ca; Sloan, Mark FLNR:EX;

Blake.Fougere@gov.bc.ca; Lefler, Derek FLNR:EX

Subject: s.22

**Date:** May 7, 2019 9:04:27 AM

Attachments: image002.png

s.22

### Good morning.

I have attached s.22

as was discussed in our meeting at Tla'amin on April 25.

If any of the FLNRO staff who wanted a copy are not on this e.mail, I am hoping that Derek, Mark or Blake can forward this to them.

Thank you

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 From:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 To:
 Kathleen O"Reilly

 Subject:
 RE: Arterran

**Date:** May 7, 2019 2:38:00 PM

### Hi Kathy;

Thanks for reminding me. I have sent this off to the comms shop. Will get something for you. It may help if you send requests directly to them. They have articles and points for attribution, and experts in the ministry for comment, etc.

I will let Minister Donaldson know your are following up with other stories. That is important. Thanks Kathy,

Kenn

From: Kathleen O'Reilly <publisher@northislandeagle.com>

**Sent:** May 7, 2019 2:29 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Arterran

Hi Kenn, How are you? I still haven't received a response. Cheers, Kathy

Kathy O'Reilly Publisher/Owner North Island Eagle Tel: (250) 949-0337 www.northislandeagle.com From: Lowther, Brett GCPE:EX

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

Subject: RE: the eagle

**Date:** May 7, 2019 2:50:17 PM

We will follow up with Kathy.

brett

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: Tuesday, May 7, 2019 2:35 PM

**To:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX <Vivian.Thomas@gov.bc.ca> **Cc:** Lowther, Brett GCPE:EX <Brett.Lowther@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: the eagle

Hi gang;

A couple of days ago Kathy sent me this request. Do we have something we can send to this (small) paper on the north island?

On May 4, 2019, at 7:45 AM, Kathleen O'Reilly

<publisher@northislandeagle.com<mailto:publisher@northislandeagle.com>> wrote:

Good morning Doug and Kenn,

How are you?

I am talking to a representative from Arterran Renewables for a story.

They are looking at the pulp mill in Port Alice to build a pellet plant.

Can you confirm they have reached out to the Ministry of Forests?

And Doug what do you think of the idea?

Kathy O'Reilly
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Thanks,

Kenn

Kenn McLaren

Ministerial Assistant | Honourable Doug Donaldson Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development

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From: Jill Thompson

To: Minister, ENV ENV:EX; Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX; Chief Seymour; Chairperson

Cc: Minister, IRR IRR:EX; Routley.MLA, Douglas G LASS:EX; Furstenau, Sonia; Alistair.MacGregor.C1A@parl.gc.ca;

Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX; de Bree, Jennifer FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Llewellyn-Thomas, Marnie ENV:EX; Kriwoken, Lynn ENV:EX; Hadway, Sharon L FLNR:EX; Barr, Larry FLNR:EX; Lapcevic, Pat FLNR:EX;

Robinson, David FLNR:EX; Larry George; Brian Carruthers; Rutherford, Tom

**Subject:** Letter from Cowichan Watershed Board Co-Chairs

**Date:** May 7, 2019 2:55:53 PM

Attachments: CWB letter to Ministers RE April 8 2019 meeting.pdf

#### Dear Honourable Ministers

Thank you for the opportunity to meet at the Legislature on April 8th regarding critical low water flow issues in the Cowichan and Koksilah watersheds.

Please see the attached letter from our co-Chairs acknowledging your collaborative support, and clarifying the outcomes of the discussion.

With best regards on behalf of Co-Chairs Chief William Seymour and Chair Ian Morrison.

Jill Thompson

Project Coordinator and Board Assistant

Cowichan Watershed Board

4335 Riverside Rd, Duncan BC V9L6M8

250-709-0492 (cell) / jill@cowichanwatershedboard.ca

 From:
 Milne, Gala ENV:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: Fwd: Wed/May 8 - 11am - Conference Call/Briefing w Jennifer Rice re Namu

**Date:** May 7, 2019 4:39:25 PM

FYI

Gala

Sent from my iPhone

Begin forwarded message:

From: "Rice, Jennifer" s.17

Date: May 7, 2019 at 4:16:10 PM PDT

To: "Giuliano, Angela LASS:EX" < Angela. Giuliano@leg.bc.ca>

Cc: "Milne, Gala ENV:EX" < Gala.Milne@gov.bc.ca>, "Renneberg, Tim

FLNR:EX" < Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: Re: Wed/May 8 - 11am - Conference Call/Briefing w Jennifer Rice

re Namu

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#### Jennifer

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Confirmed!

Have the call number

Thank you

### Harvey

On Tue, May 7, 2019 at 10:16 AM Giuliano, Angela < Angela. Giuliano@leg.bc.ca > wrote:

Hello Chief Harvey Humchitt,

Further to our discussion this morning please note the following conference call is confirmed:

Wed/May 8<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Dial in: 1-877-353-9184

Participant: |s.15

Please confirm you received this email.

Thank you, Angela

**Angela Giuliano** / Legislative Assistant New Democrat BC Government Caucus **T:** 250-387-9437

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Josh Page - CBC - Kelowna ISSUE: Mount Begbie name change STATUS: With GCPE

Blair McBride - Burns Lakes District News ISSUE: Lakes TSA public review period STATUS: With Program Area

John Boivin - Rossland News ISSUE: May water supply bulletin - RFC INVU requests STATUS: With GCPE

Doug Herbert - CBC - Kamloops ISSUE: INVU request: Hat Creek Ranch STATUS: With Program Area

Barry Janyk - Federation of Mountain Clubs of BC Newsletter ISSUE: FrontCounter BC and land authorization STATUS: With Program Area

Ben Bulmer - InfoNews ISSUE: Mystic Trail at Mabel Lake STATUS: With Program Area

Shelby Thom - Global - Okanagan ISSUE: Milfoil Okanagan Lakes - request to rototill STATUS: With Program Area

Rachel Jansen - Maisonneuve ISSUE: Morel mushroom STATUS: With Program Area

Ryley Mccormack - Summit 107 FM ISSUE: Climate change and impact on wildfire STATUS: With Program Area

Steph Wood - National Observer ISSUE: Trans Mountain eagle nest deterrant permit STATUS: With Program Area

Betsy Trumpener - CBC - Prince George ISSUE: Mountain pine beetle interview request STATUS: With GCPE

ISSUE: Kelowna water treatment plant STATUS: With Program Area

Aaron Orlando - Revelstoke Mountaineer ISSUE: Caribou study STATUS: With Program Area

Bob Keating - CBC Radio - Nelson ISSUE: Private land logging STATUS: With GCPE

Keith Vass - CHEK TV - Victoria ISSUE: Craigflower archaeological dig STATUS: With GCPE

Robert Koopmans - The Outdoor Narrative ISSUE: State of steelhead STATUS: With Program Area

Wolfgang Depner - Saanich News ISSUE: Follow-up on Colquitz River Spill STATUS: Provided Background

• Please attribute to a spokesperson with the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development.

As the ministry only learned of this incident on Friday, the investigation is still in its preliminary stages and it's too soon to determine how long it might take and what the outcome will be

Blair McBride - Burns Lakes District News ISSUE: Lakes TSA public review period STATUS: Provided Background

Ben Bulmer - InfoNews ISSUE: Eagle Pass lookout STATUS: Referred to Third Party

. The Forest Appeals Commission can provide you with a copy of the original decision, and an update on the current status of the appeal that has been filed.

Blair McBride - Burns Lakes District News ISSUE: Community resiliencey investment grants - Prince George Fire Centre STATUS: Provided Background

. Did you have a chance to read the backgrounder that was included with the release? It may provide some additional insight.

https://news.gov.bc.ca/releases/2019FLNR0115-000844

Let me know if you have any other questions

Wolfgang Depner - Saanich News ISSUE: Follow-up on Colquitz River Spill STATUS: Provided Statement

- • The Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development is looking into whether or not the Horticultural Centre for the Pacific had the appropriate permits under the Water Sustainability Act to remove the beaver dam.
- Any potential fines for non-compliance will be decided when the investigation concludes.

• Saanich is involved because the Colquitz River runs through the municipality. The Capital Regional District was notified because of potential effects to its infrastructure.

Michelle Morton - The Daily Hive - Vancouver ISSUE: COS comment on Delta racoon leg-hold trap STATUS: Provided Statement

- • Incidents such as that of the raccoon found in the leg-hold trap in Delta are very unfortunate.
- . Whether a municipality has authority to make trapping related bylaws will depend what trapping issue the bylaw is addressing.
- . With respect to the legality of leg-hold traps in an urban environment, if they are least 200 metres from a residence, they can be used to control nuisance General trapping guidelines are as follows:
- During regular trapping seasons, individual permits are not required beyond the usual trapping licence.
- However, the municipality/landowner needs to give their permission. The ministry suggests contacting the municipality in question if trapping occurred inside their municipal limits.
- It is unlawful to use a leghold trap which has teeth or other projections on the jaws of the trap.
- A holder of a licence, permit or other authorization to trap commits an offence unless that person examines the holding or non-killing traps he or she has set on a trapline at least once every 72 hours, the egg trap(s) he or she has set for raccoons at least once every 24 hours, and killing traps or killing snares that he or she has set on the trapline at least once every 14 days.
- A holder of a licence, permit or other authorization to trap on private property commits an offence unless that person examines the holding or non-killing traps he or she has set on private property at least once every 24 hours.
- It is an offence to trap a furbearing animal, and if the animal is alive when the trap is checked, fail to immediately release or kill the animal.
- All calls regarding suspected violations should go to the COS RAPP (Report All Poachers and Polluters) line: 1-877-952-7277 (RAPP)

ISSUE: RFC request - Kamloops STATUS: Scheduled Interview

. Jonathan Boyd with RFC provided interview on May 6.

Nicole Crescenzi - Victoria News ISSUE: Easter grey squirrels STATUS: Provided Background

> - Correct, municipalities can impose additional restrictions upon gray squirrels. But also note that in addition to municipal bylaws, provincial law prohibits a person from importing, transporting, trafficking, possessing or exporting wildlife without proper authorization

-While all Controlled Alien Species (CAS) are non-native to BC, not all non-native species have a CAS designation.

For more information about why some animals are designated CAS while others are not, view the CAS webpage which states that "the designated species listed in Schedule 1 and Schedule 2 of the Controlled Alien Species Regulation pose a serious risk to public safety".

Dustin Patar - UBC School of Journalism ISSUE: Chilcotin wild horse survey STATUS: Provided Background

. The inventory study is currently being finalized. Next steps are yet to be determined.

#### BCWS:

2019-05-02	Q101 Merritt Music Mix	Michael Reeves	Update on K60152 Nicola River and K60153 Patchett Road	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-02	Radio NL	Colton Davies	Update on K60152 Nicola River and K60153 Patchett Road	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-02	Merritt Herald	Dara Hill	Update on K60152 Nicola River and K60153 Patchett Road	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-02	Now Media	Josh Duncan	Update on K60152 Nicola River	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-02	Kelowna Capital News	Cameron Thompson	Update on K60152 Nicola River and K60153 Patchett Road	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-02	Now Media	Dayne Patterson	Update on K60152 Nicola River	Taylor	Email only
2019-05-03	Merritt Herald	Dara Hill	Update on K60158 Highway 8/97C	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-04	Global Okanagan	Doris Maria Bregolisse	Update on K50171 Carmi Road	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-06	AM 1150 News Kelowna	Regan Bartel	Update on K50182 Mackinnon Rd	Taylor	Phone
2019-05-06	Now Media	Dayne Patterson	Update on K50181 Top of Blue Grouse Mtn and K50182 Mackinnon Rd	Taylor	Phone

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**Date:** May 7, 2019 5:19:36 PM

Hi Jennifer,

Thanks for the background, it's really helpful. My understanding from Environment staff is that an update at this stage of the site would be best facilitated through FLNRO. I understand that Kenn McLaren from FLNRO will be helping to coordinate from here.

Apologies for the confusion and I hope all goes well with the briefing,

-Gala

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Confirmed!

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Thank you

Harvey

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**T:** 250-387-9437

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To: Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

**Subject:** RE: Issues note - spotted owl **Date:** May 7, 2019 5:25:31 PM

Thanks Vivian.

We haven't heard from CASA on what the Green caucus is planning to ask about tomorrow. Will let you all know when I do.

Thanks, Leila

From: Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

Sent: May 7, 2019 5:23 PM

**To:** Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX <Leila.Farmer@gov.bc.ca>; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX <Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca>; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX <Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>; Jones, Tristan

FLNR:EX <Tristan.Jones@gov.bc.ca> **Subject:** Issues note - spotted owl

Draft issues note. Depending on timing of ENGOs NR, this could be a green Q tomorrow.

# Subject: Notice: petition re Spotted Owl action plan will be sent tomorrow

Dear Ministers George Heyman and Doug Donaldson,

We are counsel for the Wilderness Committee. We are emailing to let you know that tomorrow, **Wednesday**, **May 8, 2019**, we will be sending a petition on behalf of the Wilderness Committee to the Hon. Catherine McKenna, Minister of Environment and Climate Change, demanding that she immediately initiate a process for identifying and protecting the Spotted Owl's critical habitat in BC through a *Species at Risk Act*-compliant action plan.

The petition will be accompanied by several documents, including an expert report that details BC's historic and continuing failure to identify – let alone protect – habitat necessary for the Spotted Owl's survival and recovery.

Ecojustice and Wilderness Committee will also be issuing a press release.

Sincerely,

Kegan Pepper-Smith

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To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: Fish report

Date: May 7, 2019 5:50:03 PM

https://www.ourcommons.ca/Content/Committee/421/FOPO/Reports/RP10387715/foporp21/foporp21e.pdf

From: KENMCLAR

To:McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EXSubject:Scan From <Device Name>Date:May 7, 2019 6:16:16 PMAttachments:Scan 20190507.pdf

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Hi all.

Please see below for the rundown of the day and what to expect tomorrow. As always, please text, email or call with any questions or concerns.

- Agriculture has finished their estimates after a full day of questions
- Finance completed another day of estimates and will be up again tomorrow
- . Education went the full day in estimates and will continue for about 1-2 hours tomorrow

#### TOMORROW

#### Main Chamber:

Estimates:

Finance (5 hrs remain)

Second Reading:

Bill 32 – Protected Areas of BC Amendment Act (No. 2)

Estimates:

Education (1-2 hrs remain)

Committee of the Whole:

- Bill 18 Workers Compensation Amendment Act
- Bill 29 Miscellaneous Statues Amendment Act
- Bill 14 Heritage Conservation Amendment Act
- Bill 16 Protected Areas of BC Amendment Act (No.1)

#### Third House:

Mun. Affairs & Housing (7.5 hrs remain)

#### Schedule:

	BIG HOUSE	/COMMITTEE B	LITTLE HOUSE/COMMITTEE A	THIRD HOUSE / COMMITTEE C
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Wednesday May 8	AFTERNOON	Estimates	Estimates	Estimates
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		Second Reading (only if needed)	Committee of the Whole	
		Bill 32 – Protected Areas of BC Amendment Act	Bill 18 – Workers Compensation Amendment Act	
		(No. 2)	Bill 29 – Miscellaneous Statues Amendment Act	
			Bill 14 – Heritage Conservation Amendment Act	
			Bill 16 – Protected Areas of BC Amendment Act (No.1)	

Will Maartman Sr. Ministerial Assistant | Assistant to the House Leader Ministry of Public Safety and Solicitor General 778-679-4952

From: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

To: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Request for Telephone Call Date: May 8, 2019 8:23:56 AM

Importance: High

Please advise if I should set up this call. We would need to shift time a little earlier as MDD in the air as of 2:20pm on May 10th

From: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX Sent: May 7, 2019 3:36 PM

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Cc: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX <Sandra.Purdy@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Request for Telephone Call

Importance: High

Please advise,

Sandra, pls log.

From: Sarah Hayes < Sarah. Hayes@tolko.com >

Sent: May 7, 2019 3:08 PM

**To:** Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX < FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca >; Allan, John FLNR:EX

<<u>John.Allan@gov.bc.ca</u>>

Cc: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX < Lisa.Silverio@gov.bc.ca >; Larkin, Brenda FLNR:EX

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**Subject:** Request for Telephone Call

Importance: High

Hon. Doug Donaldson and Hon. John Allan, Brad Thorlakson, President & CEO of Tolko Industries Ltd., requests time for a brief conversation to provide a courtesy heads up about Tolko's near term operating footprint.

Please advise if you are available at 2:15 pm on Friday, May 10<sup>th</sup> for a brief telephone call.

Thank you,

Sarah



#### Sarah Hayes

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 From:
 Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: Introducing Kenn to process

Date: May 8, 2019 9:05:30 AM

I will get back to you on this as soon as possible and let you know if Greg and Shawn are available for 11 or not.

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX
Sent: Tuesday, May 7, 2019 5:25 PM
To: FLNR Deputy Minister's Office FLNR:EX
Cc: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX; Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX
Subject: RE: Introducing Kenn to process

#### Hi Arianna;

PS Rice has set up a phone call with Chief Humchitt of Bella Bella to discuss Namu issues. However, she set this up with the ECCS gang and just now they told her that all this is with FLNRORD staff, in particular Shawn Meisner and Greg Gage.

#### From ECCS staff:

"Our understanding is that the responsible government authority at this point is FLNR
 (Contacts are Shawn Meisner and Greg Gage) and we have been directing media and others
 to them if questions revolve around site management status and cleanup. FLNR is doing this
 work independently as the landlord working with a tenant as I understand it."

The call, which is not completely set up, is planned for 11 am. I am sure Shawn and Greg do not yet know. If they are available for this time tomorrow we can changes the numbers and participate. If they are able to update Chief Humchitt on the status of the Namu issues at 11:00 tomorrow that is fine.

If they are not, we will reschedule. If staff are not available I will talk with PS Rice.

Please let me know.

Thanks.

Kenn

From: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX Sent: May 7, 2019 4:30 PM

**To:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX <Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>; FLNR Deputy Minister's Office FLNR:EX <FLNR.DMO@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX <Allison.Tripp@gov.bc.ca>; Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX <Lisa.Silverio@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject:** Introducing Kenn to process

Hi Arianna,

In Lisa's absence, I am introducing Kenn to your FNLR DMO office email so that he can connect with you to set up a meeting with staff.

Tristan

From: Kegan Pepper-Smith

To: Minister, ENV ENV:EX; Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX

Cc: Joe Foy; Beth Clarke; Devon Page; Liat Podolsky; Sean O"Shea; Zacharias, Mark ENV:EX; McLaren, Kenn

FLNR:EX; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Sather, Kelly ENV:EX; Milne, Gala ENV:EX; Peter Kidd

**Subject:** Petition re Spotted Owl action plan

**Date:** May 8, 2019 9:09:36 AM

Attachments: 2019 05 08 - Ltr from Ecojustice to McKenna - re spotted owl action plan....pdf

Dear Ministers Heyman and Donaldson,

We are counsel for the Wilderness Committee. For your reference please find attached a petition sent on behalf of the Wilderness Committee to the Hon. Catherine McKenna, Minister of Environment and Climate Change, demanding that she immediately initiate a process for identifying and protecting the Spotted Owl's critical habitat in BC through a *Species at Risk Act*-compliant action plan.

The petition with appendix documents (they are too large to send via email) can be accessed here: <a href="https://ln.sync.com/dl/2b4bf8500/3rxi74ea-d2hmmrtw-5jj9s2nh-kpmpq33v">https://ln.sync.com/dl/2b4bf8500/3rxi74ea-d2hmmrtw-5jj9s2nh-kpmpq33v</a>

We will also be sending a hard copy of the petition with a cd containing the appendix documents to your respective offices by courier.

Sincerely,

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 From:
 Cuddy, Andrew EMPR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Hammond, Danika S EMPR:EX

 Subject:
 RE: fish passage - Columbia system

**Date:** May 8, 2019 12:36:17 PM

MKC is the minister responsible for the CBT.

I can flag this for MMM as local issue and let you know next week if she has any concerns.

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: May 8, 2019 10:19 AM

To: Cuddy, Andrew EMPR:EX <Andrew.Cuddy@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: fish passage - Columbia system

#### Hi Andrew;

Do you guys oversee the Columbia Basin Trust or does MKC?
Attached is the FLNRORD note that MDD would like MMM to see. Is there any thing Minister Mungall is concerned with about this? Recommend to proceed?
Thanks,
Kenn

#### Kenn McLaren

Ministerial Assistant | Honourable Doug Donaldson Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development main- 250-387-6240 desk – 778-974-6002

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From: James Hickling

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: Editorial - Worth Reading

Date: May 8, 2019 1:08:33 PM

# Kenn,

Have a look at this. It speaks to some of the issues your Minister is dealing with, eg disinformed backlash and appurtenancy.

 $\underline{https://www.therockymountaingoat.com/2019/05/editorial-that-thieving-caribou-and-the-great-robbery-of-mcbride/}$ 

Regards,

JΗ

Sent from my iPhone

 From:
 Lowther, Brett GCPE:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

Subject: North Island Eagle - publisher inquiry

**Date:** May 8, 2019 3:42:46 PM

Hi – I called Kathy O'Reilly to confirm her questions and got answers from the ministry. See below. Brett

Can you confirm they have reached out to the Ministry of Forests?

Yes FLNRO staff have met a number of times with representatives of Arterran Renewables to discuss fibre opportunities and to outline how access to fibre is governed in BC by tenures.

Answer - The ministry recently introduced a Fibre Recovery Zone for Vancouver Island. The Fibre Recovery Zone is part of the Coast Revitalization process we introduced and it is designed to improve utilization and access to residuals from harvest. The FRZ's will help reduce the level slash pile burning and at the same time provide needed fibre for use in manufacturing a range of products such as pulp and paper, pellets and bio-fuels.

And Doug what do you think of the idea?

Answer – Our CleanBC framework establishes a path that will see BC use more clean and renewable energy in how we get around, heat our homes, and fuel our industry — setting us on the path to a cleaner, brighter future. Arterran Renewables technology appears to be in-line with achieving those objectives. I am not in a position nor is my staff in a position to evaluate the specific technology being employed by Arterran Renewables. My role and so is my staff's is to ensure sound forest management and through recent policy changes increase utilization of BC's timber resource to support economic development and jobs for rural communities.

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

**Sent:** Tuesday, May 7, 2019 2:35 PM

**To:** Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX < <u>Vivian.Thomas@gov.bc.ca</u>> **Cc:** Lowther, Brett GCPE:EX < <u>Brett.Lowther@gov.bc.ca</u>>

**Subject:** the eagle

Hi gang;

A couple of days ago Kathy sent me this request. Do we have something we can send to this (small) paper on the north island?

On May 4, 2019, at 7:45 AM, Kathleen O'Reilly

<publisher@northislandeagle.com<mailto:publisher@northislandeagle.com>> wrote:

Good morning Doug and Kenn,

How are you?

I am talking to a representative from Arterran Renewables for a story.

They are looking at the pulp mill in Port Alice to build a pellet plant.

Can you confirm they have reached out to the Ministry of Forests?

And Doug what do you think of the idea?

Kathy O'Reilly Publisher/Owner North Island Eagle Tel: (250) 949-0337

www.northislandeagle.com<http://www.northislandeagle.com>

Thanks, Kenn

Kenn McLaren
Ministerial Assistant | Honourable Doug Donaldson
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From: Mack, Jessica FLNR:EX

To: BCWS CAFC Information Officer FLNR:EX

**Subject:** Heads Up: Wildfire Information (Deka Lake -- C40192 -- Cariboo Fire Centre)

**Date:** May 8, 2019 5:36:38 PM

Attachments: image001.png

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#### Good afternoon,

The Deka Lake wildfire is located approximately 5 kilometres north of Sheridan Lake. It is currently mapped at 1.1 hectares in size and is classified as out of control. This fire falls within the jurisdiction of the Deka Lake Volunteer Fire Department, and there is currently one Response Officer, 11 BCWS firefighters and 35 members of the Deka Lake Volunteer Fire Department on site along with air tankers. No structures are currently threatened. At this time, the fire is suspected to be human-caused.

The information in this message is considered confidential and should not be forwarded.

Kind regards,

#### Jessica Mack

Communications Specialist, Cariboo Fire Centre

BC Wildfire Service | Ministry of Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations

Phone: 778-799-2101 |

Report Wildfires: 1 800 663-5555 or \*5555









From: Mike Waberski To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Subject: Re: British Columbia Utilities Commission - Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry Date: May 8, 2019 6:10:00 PM Kenn Still trying to feel unforgettable, not sure it's working. Sent from my iPhone > On May 3, 2019, at 3:56 PM, McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca> wrote: > Hi Mike; You are not forgotten. I will arrange a time next week hope fully Monday afternoon likely Tuesday after 1:30. What number shall I call you at? > Kenn > ----Original Message-----> From: Mike Waberski president@sspoa.ca> > Sent: May 3, 2019 3:25 PM > To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> > Subject: RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission – Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry > Kenn > Just making sure you won't forget me. I assume you have been busy so if you can let me know when it is convenient for you to chat I will attempt to be available. > Regards > Mike > -----Original Message-----> From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> > Sent: Friday, April 26, 2019 11:22 AM > Subject: Re: British Columbia Utilities Commission – Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry > Hi mike; > I will get back to you next week. We are on the road just now. You are in the thoughts. > Thanks, > Kenn > > Kenn McLaren > Ministerial Assistant > Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, Rural Development Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> | c-250-893-7231 Sent from my iPhone > On Apr 26, 2019, at 11:20 AM, Mike Waberski president@sspoa.camailto:president@sspoa.ca>> wrote: > Minister Donaldson > The Silver Star Property Owners Association (SSPOA) has been attempting to gain an audience with your government to address the Unregulated Wastewater Utilities in BC for well over a year now. We recently received notice of the Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry being held by the BCUC (copy attached). > From that document, and substituting "Wastewater" for the reference to "Indigenous" Utilities the BCUC

document is exactly our plight.

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> "On March 28, 2019, the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) established a process and regulatory
timetable for its inquiry exploring the regulation of Wastewater utilities in British Columbia. The Wastewater
Utilities Regulation Inquiry will explore and seek feedback on a number of important questions, including:
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         What are the characteristics of an "Wastewater Utility" with respect to:
> o The ownership and operation of the utility;
> o What services are provided;
> o Who the services are provided to; and/or
> o The location or area served by the utility?
         Should Wastewater utilities be regulated or not? And if so, how?
>
> o If they should be regulated, should they be regulated under the Utilities Commission Act or another mechanism?
> o If unregulated, how will the interests of wastewater utility customers be protected? "
>
> Can you inform our Association how we can have these same questions addressed? I look forward to a response
on this matter. I am sure you can sense the frustration we feel after the efforts we have made to bring this long
standing (since 2005) issue to your government's attention.
> Regards
> Mike Waberski SSPOA President
> Copy Ross Foden, Chair Utility Services Committee
>
> [https://ipmcdn.avast.com/images/icons/icon-envelope-tick-round-orange-animated-no-repeat-v1.gif]
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 From:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 To:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

 Subject:
 RE: 5:15 meeting today

 Date:
 May 9, 2019 9:47:00 AM

s.22 Not that I know of..

**From:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX **Sent:** May 9, 2019 9:34 AM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject:** RE: 5:15 meeting today

Kenn,

I have Shoemaker in his calendar for 3pm, is this time changing?

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: May 8, 2019 4:18 PM

**To:** Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX <<u>Sam.Godfrey@gov.bc.ca</u>> **Cc:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX <<u>Lisa.Silverio@gov.bc.ca</u>>

**Subject:** 5:15 meeting today

Hi;

I see our staff, Jennifer Davis is attending a meeting with MLP and the libs. What is this about? Also, MDD will call Deputy Shoemaker tomorrow after noon.

Thx. Kenn

#### Kenn McLaren

Ministerial Assistant | Honourable Doug Donaldson Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development main- 250-387-6240 desk – 778-974-6002

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From: Madevon, Solenn

Subject: Week in Review: April 6-9

Date: May 9, 2019 4:38:26 PM

Hi everyone,

Here are a few highlights from this week:

### Premier's statement on Ramadan

- The Premier released the following statement to mark the beginning of Ramadan:
- "As the month of Ramadan begins, I extend my best wishes to Muslim people in British Columbia and around the world during this time of reflection, prayer and fasting."
- "During Ramadan, many Muslim people will make new commitments to better themselves and the world around them through acts of charity, generosity and compassion for others. To observe this holy month requires great sacrifice and dedication."
- "Ramadan reminds us to lift each other up and always work to better ourselves and the community around us. Ramadan Mubarak!"

# Billions in money laundering increased B.C. housing prices, expert panel finds

- As public warnings on money laundering in real estate and casinos mounted over a period of years, the BC Liberals refused to take action. Our government is launching investigations, closing tax loopholes, and enforcing new laws to fight dirty money.
- A <u>report</u> released by government's Expert Panel on Money Laundering in Real Estate estimates that more than \$7 billion in dirty money was laundered in B.C. in 2018, increasing the cost of buying a home by 5%.
- The BC Liberal refusal to act on dirty money <u>has cost BC families billions</u>. With the composite price for homes in Metro Vancouver at just over \$1 million, 5% is an average of \$50,000 for every home purchase.
- The panel's report was released along with the remaining chapters of Peter German's Dirty Money report, which focuses on the real-estate, luxury cars and horse racing sector. German confirmed suspicions that B.C.'s luxury car sector is being used to launder the proceeds of crime, and uncovered a luxury-vehicle export scheme which has cost the province almost \$85 million in lost PST revenue.

### Province responds to housing task force with steps to protect renters, landlords

- Our laws haven't kept up with the changing housing market, and that has left both renters and landlords vulnerable. Our government is working hard to make renting more fair and secure for everyone.
- The BC government is addressing all the recommendations of the Rental Housing Task Force through three phases, and released its Phase 1 actions this week:
  - a. Public Education: New funding to Landlord BC and the Tenant Resource

- and Advisory centre to improving awareness for renters and landlords on their rights and responsibilities.
- b. Enforcement: Creating a new compliance and enforcement unit within the Residential Tenancy Branch (RTB) to investigate complaints and take action against renters/landlords.
- c. Co-ordination: Creating a new local government liaison within the RTB to tackle local issues, such as renovictions and demovictions.

# Aaa credit rating and stable outlook affirmed by Moody's

- Through strong fiscal management and a budget that lifts people up, we're delivering on our commitments to make life better and build a strong, sustainable economy for the people of B.C.
- This week, Moody's reaffirmed B.C.'s Ass credit rating citing strengths in B.C.'s diversified economy, consistent balanced budgets, projected surpluses and strong debt affordability.
- B.C. is the only province rated triple-A with all three international credit rating agencies: Moody's, Fitch and Standard & Poor's.

# New CleanBC program boosts energy-saving innovation for buildings

- Energy-friendly buildings reduce impact on climate change, reduce energy costs, and improve air quality. CleanBC will help us move forward to a future where buildings produce no polluting emissions at all.
- The <u>CleanBC Building Innovation Fund</u> launched today, and will provide \$1.8 million in funding to manufacturers, developers, builders and program administrators for the development and demonstration of innovative, low-carbon building solutions.

### New speed cameras coming to 35 B.C. intersections

- Government analyzed crash data from B.C.'s 140 Intersection Safety Cameras, and chose the 35 with the best opportunity to increase safety by cracking down on speeders.
- Beginning this summer, B.C. will install new warning signs and activate technology to ticket the registered owners of vehicles entering these intersections well over the posted limit on a red, yellow or green light.
- "The previous government only saw fit to activate each safety camera for up to six hours a day and to target only red-light runners. We moved quickly to fully activate the red-light cameras, and now we're adding speed enforcement because it works, and because we want people who travel through these busy intersections to get where

they're going safely," said Mike Farnworth, Minister of Public Safety and Solicitor General.

# Update on measles immunization catch-up program

- On March 20, 2019, the Province announced the measles immunization catch-up program to immunize K-12 children who were not previously immunized against measles and for those who may not have received both recommended doses.
- Since April, 129 in-school and 343 community clinics have been held, and 3,807 children received measles vaccines- a 106% increase compared to last April.

# British Columbians benefit from increased access to French resources in libraries

- With an increased demand for French services and education, our government is working hard to ensure that people have access to the resources they need.
- A \$21,500 grant from the Government of B.C. Francophone Affairs Program, will provide increased access to French public library e-books and audiobooks at 61 public libraries in the province, significantly increasing the French content available.
- "I am always looking for ways of making French Language resources more available and more accessible to our citizens. Public libraries are a perfect way to reach communities and especially benefit young people," said Adrian Dix, Minister Responsible for Francophone Affairs.

## Funding for Geoscience BC will strengthen mining sector

- As part of Mining Month, the provincial government is funding Geoscience BC with \$5
  million to help attract investment, create jobs and gather data by supporting
  Geoscience BC's minerals, energy and water earth science research.
- Providing bridge funding to Geoscience BC was one of 25 accepted recommendations brought forth by the Mining Jobs Task Force in 2019 to boost the mining sector, create good jobs and a strong, sustainable economy.

From: <u>Cadogan, Iris FLNR:EX</u>
To: <u>McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX</u>

Cc: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT PLEASE FW: Additional bullets for MDD, for tri-Minister meeting this afternoon

**Date:** May 9, 2019 4:50:13 PM

Thanks for confirming!

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:48 PM

**To:** Cadogan, Iris FLNR:EX

Cc: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT PLEASE FW: Additional bullets for MDD, for tri-Minister

meeting this afternoon

Hi Iris; Yup, got it. Kenn

From: Cadogan, Iris FLNR:EX Sent: May 9, 2019 3:36 PM

**To:** Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX <Tristan.Jones@gov.bc.ca>; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX <Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX <Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Cadogan, Iris FLNR:EX < Iris.Cadogan@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: CONFIRMATION OF RECEIPT PLEASE FW: Additional bullets for MDD, for tri-Minister

meeting this afternoon **Importance:** High

Hi Tristan, Kenn and Tim

I think Paul sent this email to Minister's email for correspondence (therefore he won't get it)

Can you please confirm to me, that he has the below in his hands ASAP?

Thanks!

From: Rasmussen, Paul FLNR:EX Sent: Thursday, May 9, 2019 4:18 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Donaldson.MLA, Doug LASS:EX

Cc: Cadogan, Iris FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Additional bullets for MDD, for tri-Minister meeting this afternoon

Importance: High

Hello Minister Donaldson, Kenn and Tim.

Per our pre-call briefing today, following is some additional information, in response to the Minister's questions, related to Esk'etemc.

I hope this helps. I'm pretty sure the meeting with the Chief will go well, he is great to work with.

Paul

#### Planting:

I was not able to separate out the planting that has occurred in Esketemc territory only. In the district (which is their territory), in 2018; 300,000 seedlings were planted in the Cariboo-Chilcotin burnt areas. In 2019; of the 4.3 million trees to be planted 4.1 million will be in burnt areas. So far this season, there has been 0.5 million planted.

Regarding cutblock reforestation, Licensees are held to standard free-to-grow requirements, per their FSP. I recommend asking what the Chief specifically thinks or dislikes about that, and whether or not they've had input to FSP development.

### **Prescribed fire:**

There are 5 approved burn plans. One more in progress for an understory burn in dry belt fir. This is important work to continue, there will be a lot more future work to reduce fuel loading. Thus, we appreciate Esk'etemc's engagement in this.

1 burn was completed this year (15ha): Hay meadow burn, eradicating spruce and willow. This is significant to the Esk'etemc community, they value getting this meadow back in production, to sustain their cattle. The burn was highly successful with only 2 FLNRORD staff. The rest were Esk'etemc crews.

Due to fine fuel deficient sites, no other burns occurred in Esk'etemc territory (due to early season grazing) this spring.

FLNRORD is working with 3 members of Esk'etemc, training to be burn bosses. Certification and qualification will allow them to develop plans, prepare and operationally carry out prescribed fire.

#### Additional info:

- Paul Rasmussen (with staff District Manager, Regional Exec Director and Exec Assistant) spent a day with the Esk'etemc's Chief Fred Robbins, on the Alkali Reserve, on April 29. The Chief was very gracious and showed us many of the things he and his community is working on. Many infrastructure improvements for his members, and great participation / engagement in the forest sector. This is a very forest dependant community.
- Esk'etemc has been one of the most progressive communities involved in the TSA Silviculture committee and has contributed to improvements in silviculture practices and stocking standards with the district and other licensees. The ministry values and appreciates the involvement of community members with traditional knowledge to add to our projects.
- Forest Enhancement Society Projects: Esk'etemc has been very pro-active with FES projects and has actively engaged with district staff, regional habitat staff and the fire centre staff to

develop and implement a number of FES projects for wildfire hazard mitigation, stand improvement. Of special note is a project that was in Mule Deer Winter Range (MDWR) that helped develop prescriptions for treatments that have informed other habitat enhancement projects.

- FLNRORD provided temporary emergency access to MoTI to use gravel from our FLNRORD Gravel Reserve on the Chimney Lake FSR (AKA Enterprise road) to repair an impassable section of the Dog Creek Public Road frequented by both Esketemc and Canoe Creek Band members.
- Through the Tolko-Esk'etemc discussions of land base resilience, we are developing a more focussed and meaningful approach to protection of communities and restoration of ecosystem resilience.

 From:
 Brown, Edena MCF:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX

 Subject:
 RE: CRT - Salmon letter

 Date:
 May 10, 2019 9:15:21 AM

Morning Kenn,

MKC has been made aware of the briefing note and we have also contacted CBT (you were right on that!) regarding their support for the project. Information is being collected.

She will talk to Doug next week on the issue and share her perspective.

Any questions please let me know.

Cheers, Edena

## Edena Brown

# Executive Assistant to Hon. Katrine Conroy

Minister of Children and Family Development and Minister Responsible for CBT, CPC and CRT Cell: 250-480-8627 Email: <u>Edena.Brown@aov.bc.ca</u>

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From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: May 8, 2019 1:24 PM

**To:** Brown, Edena MCF:EX <Edena.Brown@gov.bc.ca> **Cc:** Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX <Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: CRT - Salmon letter

Hi Edena;

Attached is the letter you are looking for. Doug would like Kat's feedback/agreement on the note and letter. We originally thought this was in Michelle's bailiwick. However, Kat is in charge of the CRT and the CBT.

Excuse the scribbling.

Thanks, Kenn

From: Brown, Edena MCF:EX Sent: May 6, 2019 5:00 PM

**To:** Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX < <u>Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca</u>>; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

<Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: CRT - Salmon letter

Hi both,

Eric in PO asking me if we have a note or a letter on particular CRT issues.

Myself and CRT Executive Director are pretty sure that this is in reference to a salmon reintroduction letter of commitment between the 3 FNs, Canada and BC – led by FLNRO on the provincial side.

Do either of you have a copy of this letter or know how to get one? We don't have one.

Thanks,

Edena

## Edena Brown

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From: <u>Mike Waberski</u>

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission – Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry

**Date:** May 10, 2019 10:09:58 AM

## Kenn

The reason for my conversation request was out of respect for your efforts to date on our file. As you can probably tell from the information that I have forwarded to you that the SSPOA is in the process of changing our strategy on our dealings with government.

Before we become more critical of your government I wanted to be sure that there is not a last minute hope of seeing progress without confrontation.

Again I appreciate the attention that we received from you, less so on the bureaucracy your ministry and government oversee.

It has been 14 months since our brief was sent to Minister Donaldson, next week we will assume that there is no interest from his (your) government in resolving this matter.

Regards

Mike Waberski

----Original Message----

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: Friday, May 3, 2019 3:57 PM

To: Mike Waberski president@sspoa.ca>

Subject: RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission - Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry

Hi Mike;

You are not forgotten. I will arrange a time next week hope fully Monday afternoon likely Tuesday after 1:30. What number shall I call you at?

Kenn

----Original Message-----

From: Mike Waberski president@sspoa.ca>

Sent: May 3, 2019 3:25 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: RE: British Columbia Utilities Commission - Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry

## Kenn

Just making sure you won't forget me. I assume you have been busy so if you can let me know when it is convenient for you to chat I will attempt to be available.

Regards

Mike

----Original Message----

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Sent: Friday, April 26, 2019 11:22 AM To: Mike Waberski president@sspoa.ca>

Subject: Re: British Columbia Utilities Commission - Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry

Hi mike;

I will get back to you next week. We are on the road just now. You are in the thoughts.

Thanks, Kenn

Kenn McLaren

Ministerial Assistant

Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, Rural Development

Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca<mailto:Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> | c-250-893-7231 Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 26, 2019, at 11:20 AM, Mike Waberski president@sspoa.camailto:president@sspoa.ca>> wrote:

#### Minister Donaldson

The Silver Star Property Owners Association (SSPOA) has been attempting to gain an audience with your government to address the Unregulated Wastewater Utilities in BC for well over a year now. We recently received notice of the Indigenous Utilities Regulation Inquiry being held by the BCUC (copy attached). From that document, and substituting "Wastewater" for the reference to "Indigenous" Utilities the BCUC document is exactly our plight.

"On March 28, 2019, the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) established a process and regulatory timetable for its inquiry exploring the regulation of Wastewater utilities in British Columbia. The Wastewater Utilities Regulation Inquiry will explore and seek feedback on a number of important questions, including:

What are the characteristics of an "Wastewater Utility" with respect to:

- o The ownership and operation of the utility;
- o What services are provided;
- o Who the services are provided to; and/or
- o The location or area served by the utility?

Should Wastewater utilities be regulated or not? And if so, how?

- o If they should be regulated, should they be regulated under the Utilities Commission Act or another mechanism?
- o If unregulated, how will the interests of wastewater utility customers be protected? "

Can you inform our Association how we can have these same questions addressed? I look forward to a response on this matter. I am sure you can sense the frustration we feel after the efforts we have made to bring this long standing (since 2005) issue to your government's attention.

Regards

Mike Waberski SSPOA President

Copy Ross Foden, Chair Utility Services Committee

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 From:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 To:
 Hammond, Danika S EMPR:EX

 Subject:
 Re: fish passage - Columbia system

 Date:
 May 10, 2019 10:24:28 AM

Yup, will do. Should have CC'ed you eh? It turns out it is in the portfolio of Kat as she is responsible for CRT and the Trust. Kenn

Kenn McLaren Ministerial Assistant Forests, Lands and Natural Resource Operations, Rural Development Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca | c-250-893-7231 Sent from my iPhone

On May 10, 2019, at 10:13 AM, Hammond, Danika S EMPR:EX < Danika. Hammond@gov.bc.ca > wrote:

Hello Kenn

It looks like the attachment you possibly sent Andrew didn't make it to myself. He's away now for the weekend. Can you send it to me?

Many thanks,

Danika

Danika Hammond Executive Assistant to the **Honourable Michelle Mungall** Minister of Energy, Mines and Petroleum Resources t 250.208.7363

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 From:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Attn: Kenn McLaren Re: Followup Meeting with Tla"amin

**Date:** May 10, 2019 11:34:10 AM

Hi,

As per scheduling meeting, I will defer this one to staff. You indicated you would reach out to advise Makenzie, you may have done this already.

From: Makenzie Leine < MLeine@aatrading.com>

Sent: May 6, 2019 5:52 PM

**To:** Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX <FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca> **Cc:** Roddan, Chris FLNR:IN <chris@tlaaminbusiness.com>

Subject: Re: Attn: Kenn McLaren Re: Followup Meeting with Tla'amin

Hello Kenn,

Tla'Amin still has not heard back on the meeting per the emails below.

Please contact us so we can follow up on the discussion as promised.

Thank you, Makenzie

Sent from my iPhone

On May 3, 2019, at 10:58 AM, Makenzie Leine < MLeine@aatrading.com > wrote:

Hi Kenn,

We have not heard back yet from your office on setting up a meeting per below.

Could someone please follow up ASAP?

Thank you, Makenzie

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 26, 2019, at 1:03 PM, Makenzie Leine < MLeine@aatrading.com > wrote:

Hello Kenn,

Thank you for coordinating a follow-up on Tla'amin's concerns about the

Coast Revitalization policies with Deputy John Allan. Tla'amin also looks forward to a conversation with the Minister regarding the letter from Hegus Clint Williams shared in our meeting yesterday.

Please let us know some dates that are suitable for your team and we will coordinate with ours. We are flexible on a meeting location; can travel to Victoria or Vancouver.

Look forward to hearing from you soon, Makenzie

Makenzie Leine, RPF
Vice President of Business Development
and Indigenous Partnerships
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From: <u>Utilities</u>

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Silver Star Property Owners Association (SSPOA) submission regarding Private Sewers in BC

**Date:** May 10, 2019 1:08:00 PM

Attachments: Cover letter to Minister Donaldson, March 5, 2018.pdf

Silver Star Sewer A TIME FOR CHANGE Mar. 5, 2018.pdf

Kenn

As discussed Regards

Mike

From: Michael Waberski <utilities@sspoa.ca>

Sent: Monday, March 5, 2018 7:34 AM

To: 'doug.donaldson.MLA@leg.bc.ca' <doug.donaldson.MLA@leg.bc.ca>

Subject: Silver Star Property Owners Association (SSPOA) submission regarding Private Sewers in BC

Honourable Mr. Donaldson

Attached please find a cover letter along with our position paper titled **Private Sewage Business** 

# Regulation in BC – A Case for Change

We look forward to hearing from you.

Regards

Mike Waberski, Chair SSPOA Utility Services Committee



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From: <u>Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX</u>

To: <u>Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX</u>

Cc: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX; Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

**Subject:** Watershed Watch Society re Lutes Creek salmon farm tenure - For Coast ADM response

**Date:** May 14, 2019 7:35:53 PM

Attachments: FW Lutes Creek salmon farm tenure clarifications.msg

Please assign to West Coast for Coast ADM response.

Tristan/Kenn, FYI.

 From:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 To:
 Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

**Subject:** send (reminder)

**Date:** May 15, 2019 9:12:00 AM

Please send me an note on Caribou you think might best capture;

- What we have done to date, who we have briefed (Partnerships, sect 11);
- state of play-timeline extension;
- Leckstrom to consult, reporting date.

Thanks,

kenn

# Kenn McLaren

Ministerial Assistant | Honourable Doug Donaldson Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development main- 250-387-6240 desk – 778-974-6002

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From: Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; Farmer, Leila GCPE:EX

Subject: TLA letter to MLA Furstenau - old growth

**Date:** May 16, 2019 2:37:33 PM

Attachments: TLBC Spring 2019 TLA Executive Directors message.pdf

TLBC Spring 2019 TLA Presidents message.pdf

TLBC Spring 2019 BC is not in Business without a working forest.pdf

20190516 LetterToMLAFursteneau.pdf

FYI, from TLA. They're also working on an op-ed for next week.

From: Rasmussen, Paul FLNR:EX

To: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Grilz, Perry L FLNR:EX

 Subject:
 Post & Rails - update

 Date:
 May 16, 2019 5:14:06 PM

Hello Tim and Kenn. Per our discussion this week with the Cattlemen, here is a basic update on Posts / Rails:

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I hope this helps for now. Please let me know if you require more.

Thanks.

Paul

PS:

In case you want more, following are some more details, around policy / operational considerations, from staff:

The Concurrent Residual Harvest System (CRHS) fix that allows post and rails to be processed during logging operations, is acceptable, but only a piece of the problem.

s.13

From: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson re: Cannabis Production

Date: May 24, 2019 1:32:21 PM

Attachments: UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson - Cannabis Production FINAL.pdf

Hi Kenn,

As discussed.

# Sam Godfrey

Senior Ministerial Assistant to the Honourable Lana Popham Minister of Agriculture, British Columbia Mobile: 250 208 1359 | Office: 250 387 1023 Rm 325, Parliament Buildings, 501 Belleville St., Victoria, B.C. V8V 1X4

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From: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Letter of Support - Continuation of the Milfoil De-Rooting Program

**Date:** May 24, 2019 2:08:45 PM

**Attachments:** 2019-05-23 OBWB support re milfoil de-rooting.pdf

Example of support for OBWB – we have received form pretty much every municipality and RD in that area.

From: XT:Jones, Karen CITZ:IN Sent: May 23, 2019 9:25 AM

To: min@dfo-mpo.gc.ca; Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX <FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Corinne Jackson < corinne.jackson@obwb.ca>

Subject: Letter of Support - Continuation of the Milfoil De-Rooting Program

Dear Hon. Ministers Wilkinson and Donaldson:

Attached please find a letter of support from Mayor Toni Boot regarding the continuation of the milfoil de-rooting program in the Okanagan lakes.

Thank you,

# Karen Jones | Executive Assistant | Municipal Hall

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 From:
 Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Meeting Request: Comox Valley - re Hamir Reclamation Society

**Date:** May 24, 2019 5:14:50 PM

Attachments: 20190506 Hamir Reclamation Society Clean Up.msg

Hi Kenn

Shawn Meisner from our West Coast Region is the contact.

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: Friday, May 24, 2019 11:37 AM

**To:** Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX **Cc:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: Meeting Request: Comox Valley - re Hamir Reclamation Society

Hi Allison;

Please send me the name of our staff who is dealing with this. I would like to talk about the contract

with this group.

Thanks, Kenn

From: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX Sent: May 23, 2019 2:29 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX <Tristan.Jones@gov.bc.ca>; Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX

<Tim.Renneberg@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: Meeting Request: Comox Valley - re Hamir Reclamation Society

Hi Kenn,

Can you please reach out to this group/MLA Leonard. THx.

From: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX Sent: May 6, 2019 5:17 PM

**To:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX < <u>Lisa.Silverio@gov.bc.ca</u>>; Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX < <u>Sandra.Purdy@gov.bc.ca</u>>; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX < <u>Tristan.Jones@gov.bc.ca</u>>

**Subject:** Meeting Request: Comox Valley - re Hamir Reclamation Society

Hello

Please see attached request to meet with the Minister.

This is not in cliff yet.

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# Allison Tripp

Manager, Executive Issues
Deputy Ministers Office
Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural
Development

Desk: **778-974-5876** Cell: 778-584-5091

From: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX
To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX; Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX

 Subject:
 RE: UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson re: Cannabis Production

Date:May 24, 2019 5:49:49 PMAttachments:cannabis lines from agri.msg

UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson - Cannabis Production FINAL.PDF

Hi Kenn, yes we are working on a response. I will ensure we incorporate these bullets from AGRI into our response.

Thanks!

(CSS please see attached)

From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: Friday, May 24, 2019 2:04 PM

**To:** Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX **Cc:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson re: Cannabis Production

Hi;

I am certain you have this letter from UBCM. Please work with Agri on a response to this. Probably underway.

Thanks, Kenn

From: Godfrey, Sam AGRI:EX Sent: May 24, 2019 1:32 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: UBCM Letter to Minister Donaldson re: Cannabis Production

Hi Kenn,

As discussed.

## Sam Godfrey

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From: Rick Leslie

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX
Subject: Nickel Plate Nordic
Date: May 25, 2019 9:58:14 AM
Attachments: Ministerial order with highlight.pdf

park proposal july 5 2018 with video & security.pdf

Thanks very much for taking the time yesterday to go over the issues facing Nickel Plate Nordic.

Attached is the Proposal to Expand Nickel Plate Provincial Park that was submitted last July.

What we feel the next step should be is public/stakeholder consultation. In other words send the proposal out for comment. This something only the province can do. Much of the prep work has been done within the Proposal. We would, of course, be happy to work with a ministry official to compile a list of possible interested stakeholders.

If this file should be on someone else's desk please let me know & I can follow up with them. I do, of course, understand that the wheels of government turn slowly but I would like to see them at least turning at a measurable rate. The amount of work needed to determine if the Park Expansion is viable shouldn't be overwhelming.

I've also attached the Ministerial Order I mentioned that says that industrial activity (read logging in this case) cannon have a material adverse impact on recreation in an Intensive Recreation Area.

Thanks again Ken,

Rick s.22

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# Rick Leslie

President Nickel Plate Nordic Ski Club Mailing Address

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<u>V2A 7N1</u>





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 From:
 Meisner, Shawn FLNR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Cc: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX; Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: Forbidden Plateau-Wood Mountain remediation lands file 1404390

**Date:** May 27, 2019 11:35:01 AM

Hello Kenn,

Let's say 1:15.

"State of play" is that I remember sending the draft contract forward to the Society on May 6, but "summer e-mail" appears to have let me down as I believe I tried to do this from home.

In general, last year the Society was offered a contract but rejected same due to the requirement for wildland fire fighting. This year they found out they had this insurance already, but the Society did not like the Province requiring completion of the contract to the Province's satisfaction. Thus, in this year's offer the Schedule A is looser.

Talk to you at 1:15.

Shawn Meisner
Manager, Major Projects and Crown Land Sales
West Coast Region
Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development
ph: 250-751-7255
shawn.meisner@gov.bc.ca

**From:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX **Sent:** Monday, May 27, 2019 11:29 AM **To:** Meisner, Shawn FLNR:EX

**Cc:** Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX; Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX **Subject:** Forbidden Plateau-Wood Mountain remediation

Hi Shawn;

Do you have time for a quick call this afternoon regarding this group? This is not urgent, just looking for the current state of play. Say around 1pm?

Thanks, Kenn

Kenn McLaren

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From: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT Lheidli T"enneh Nation letter of concerns re- Draft Caribou Agreements

**Date:** May 27, 2019 1:42:16 PM

Attachments: image001.png

LTFN letter re Caribou Agreements May 24 2019.pdf

Importance: High

FYI

From: Donison, Sonia FLNR:EX Sent: May 27, 2019 1:34 PM

To: Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX <FLNR.Correspondence@gov.bc.ca>

Cc: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX < Tristan. Jones@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: URGENT Lheidli T'enneh Nation letter of concerns re- Draft Caribou Agreements

Importance: High

HI, please log as FYI to RS-Species Risk

Thank you—Di Bohja!

Sonia Donison Team Lead Correspondence Services 778 974-5834

From: Rochon, Jake PREM:EX

Sent: Monday, May 27, 2019 8:56 AM

To: Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX; Donison, Sonia FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: URGENT Lheidli T'enneh Nation letter of concerns re- Draft Caribou Agreements

Importance: High

Hi Sonia!

Just sharing this one as an FYI as FLNR wasn't CC'd originally. Cheers.

From: Rena Zatorski < rzatorski@lheidli.ca>

**Sent:** May 24, 2019 4:06 PM **To:** bmlekstrom@gmail.com

Cc: Clayton Pountney < cpountney@lheidli.ca >; OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX

<Premier@gov.bc.ca>; Minister, ENV ENV:EX <ENV.Minister@gov.bc.ca>; don.wright@gov.bc.ca;

Deputy Minister ENV:EX < DM.ENV@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: URGENT Lheidli T'enneh Nation letter of concerns re- Draft Caribou Agreements

Importance: High

Blair Lekstrom.

Please see attached letter sent on behalf of Chief Pountney outlining Lheidli T'enneh Nation's key

concerns regarding the draft partnership agreement between Canada, B.C., Saulteau First Nations and West Moberly First Nations.

Note; the Caribou Agreements are of a great concern to Lheidli T'enneh Nation and we consider the proposed an urgent matter.

We look forward to your response.

Thanks Kindly,

Rena Zatorski | Community Economic Development Manager Lheidli T'enneh Nation 215 George Street | Prince George BC | V2L 1R1

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From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX
To: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX

Subject: RE: Follow up: Invite to Resilient Waters workshop

**Date:** May 27, 2019 4:14:00 PM

Hi;

Could you please send me the invite for this?

Thanks, Kenn

From: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX Sent: May 27, 2019 2:22 PM

**To:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca> **Subject:** FW: Follow up: Invite to Resilient Waters workshop

Importance: High

Kenn do we have to do anything with this request?

From: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX Sent: May 21, 2019 10:51 AM

**To:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca > **Subject:** FW: Follow up: Invite to Resilient Waters workshop

Importance: High

Just following up with you Kenn? Should staff attend?

From: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX Sent: May 15, 2019 9:38 AM

**To:** McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < <u>Kenn.McLaren@gov.bc.ca</u>> **Subject:** FW: Follow up: Invite to Resilient Waters workshop

Importance: High

Kenn, I sent regrets on May 9<sup>th</sup>. What do you think?

From: Lina Azeez < lina@watershedwatch.ca>

**Sent:** May 13, 2019 10:36 AM

**To:** Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX < FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca > **Subject:** Follow up: Invite to Resilient Waters workshop

Importance: High

To the office of Minister Donaldson,

On April 29 you received an event invitation to attend a convening titled *Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)* being hosted in Abbotsford to discuss the challenges in upgrading outdated flood control infrastructure in the Fraser Valley while considering environmental

values. I was wondering if you are considering coming or if you had a suggestion for an alternative who'd be able to attend on behalf of your office. I think there's a lot of value in having FLNR in attendance at this event.

Happy to jump on a call to discuss this further. If you have any questions about the event please let me know.

Hope to hear from you soon,

Lina Azeez
Campaign Manager, Connected Waters
Watershed Watch Salmon Society
www.watershedwatch.ca
Cell: 604-537-2341

## **OUR ADDRESS IS:**

#301-3007 Glen Drive, Coquitlam, BC, V3B 2P7 On Unceded Coast Salish territories

"Unless someone like you cares a whole aweful lot, nothing is going to get better, it's not" The Lorax

From: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

To: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Cc: Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: Okanagan Nation Alliance re State of Emergency at Kllilx"w (Spotted Lake)

Date: May 27, 2019 5:33:29 PM

Attachments: Okanagan Nation Alliance Correspondence - State of Emergency at kllilxw (Spotted Lake).msg

Attached is an incoming letter from the ONA re Spotted Lake.

I will ask staff to draft a response for the Minister.

From: Thomas, Vivian P GCPE:EX

To: Renneberg, Tim FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX

**Subject:** Forest Practices Board - FSP Follow-up Special Report

 Date:
 May 29, 2019 3:14:01 PM

 Attachments:
 BCFPB-NR-FSP-follow-up.pdf

 SR57-FSPs-Follow-Up.pdf

Sensitivity: Confidential

Hi! Forest Practices Board is issuing attached news release and report tomorrow at 11:00 a.m. Report talks to progress that government has made in implementing its recommendations from the Board's 2015 report about forest stewardship plans.

The board notes good progress and that original recommendations being met through recently introduced amendments to FRPA. Outstanding issues likely to be addressed through future amendments being contemplated.

Cheers,

Vivian

From: FLNR Deputy Minister"s Office FLNR:EX

 To:
 McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

 Cc:
 Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: You"re invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

**Date:** May 30, 2019 9:28:29 AM

Attachments: image001.png

Hi Kenn,

As per your suggestion that staff attend this in lieu of MDD, South Coast has offered Cher King-Scobie as tribute.

Best,

## **Arianna Klus**

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**From:** Mlinar, Shannon C FLNR:EX **Sent:** Thursday, May 30, 2019 9:22 AM **To:** FLNR Deputy Minister's Office FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

Hello,

FYI: Cher King-Scobie from South Coast will be attending. (not RSD)

Thank you! Shannon

From: White, Ted T FLNR:EX

**Sent:** Wednesday, May 29, 2019 4:46 PM

**To:** Mlinar, Shannon C FLNR:EX **Cc:** Siperka, Linda FLNR:EX

Subject: Re: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

Hi Shannon,

Cher King-Scobie frpm south coast will be attending.

Ted White Director, Water Management Branch 778-698-3981

----- Original message -----

From: "Mlinar, Shannon C FLNR:EX" <Shannon.Mlinar@gov.bc.ca>

Date: 2019-05-29 4:26 PM (GMT-08:00)

To: "White, Ted T FLNR:EX" < Ted.White@gov.bc.ca> Cc: "Siperka, Linda FLNR:EX" < Linda.Siperka@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun

2019)

Hi Ted,

Are you or is someone in your branch attending this?

Shannon

From: Nasadyk, Alanah FLNR:EX Sent: Monday, May 27, 2019 4:46 PM To: Mlinar, Shannon C FLNR:EX

Cc: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX; Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX; Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX; FLNR Deputy Minister's Office

FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

Hi Shannon,

Forwarding Kenn's request for staff (see below for details).

**Kenn and the lovely MO team**, just to let you know I've moved into a role with the Legislation Branch – so your contact for staff requests for RSD is Shannon Mlinar.

Best wishes,



**Alanah Nasadyk Legislation Coordinator and Analyst**Resource Stewardship Division

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From: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX Sent: Monday, May 27, 2019 4:41 PM

**To:** Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

Cc: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX; Nasadyk, Alanah FLNR:EX

Subject: FW: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

Hi Allison:

As you can see below Sandra has sent regrets on behalf of MDD. However I think there may be good value in having staff attend. Please forward to Jennifer's shop in Tom's Resource Stewardship Division. If staff are available I am sure their attendance and expertise would be greatly appreciated.

Thanks, Kenn

From: Purdy, Sandra FLNR:EX

**Sent:** May 27, 2019 4:30 PM

To: McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX < Kenn. McLaren@gov.bc.ca>

Subject: FW: You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)

Kenn,

Below is the original invite for MDD to attend the event "Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All", (Cliff #248594) to be held June 11 and 12<sup>th</sup>, 2019 in Abbotsford.

I sent regrets on May 9<sup>th</sup> to Lina. She wrote back suggesting that any staff member(s) are welcome to attend in place of MDD.

Do you want to forward this to DMO.

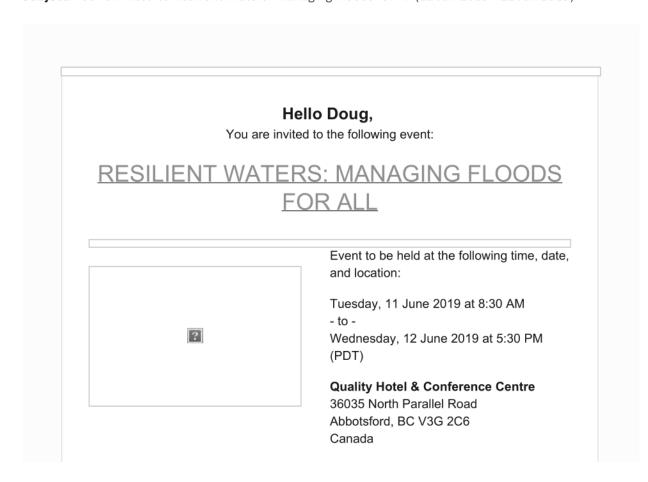
Thanks Sandra

From: Resilient Waters Steering Committee < invite@eventbrite.com >

**Sent:** April 29, 2019 7:35 PM

To: Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX < FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca>

**Subject:** You're invited to Resilient Waters: Managing Floods for All (11 Jun 2019 - 12 Jun 2019)



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Event registration is by invitation only. Register with your email address to attend this event.

You are invited to join us in a by-invitation, two-day gathering, *Resilient Waters:* Managing Floods for All, to discuss the challenges in upgrading outdated flood control infrastructure in the Fraser Valley. This event will be held on June 11th and 12th, 2019 in Abbotsford on the unceded territory of the Sumas First Nation.

Flood control infrastructure along the lower Fraser River is vital for the protection of our homes, farms and businesses; however, much of this infrastructure is outdated and due to be replaced. Added to this challenge, is a changing climate. Therefore, comprehensive discussion and timely actions regarding the future of flood control infrastructure will be instrumental in ensuring we are adequately protected, while also restoring natural resources like salmon and protecting cultural and recreational values.

To that end, Resilient Waters will bring together First Nations, municipal planners and decision-makers, agricultural representatives, conservation organizations, academia, and others for a solutions-focused meeting and workshop. Speakers from a range of backgrounds and expertise will discuss topics including policy, economics, funding, and current green infrastructure projects. Participants will work together to create a list of recommendations and action items on how to move forward in creating resilient waterways.

This free event is organized by Watershed Watch Salmon Society with the guidance of the Steering Committee. Please confirm your participation by May 13th, 2019 to guarantee your spot. The hotel is holding a block of rooms for out of town attendees. Details on price and the reservation process will be provided once your registration is complete. Please contact us if you have any questions.

If you know someone who should also attend, please contact us and we will do our best to include them.

We look forward to a productive event,

The Resilient Waters Steering Committee

## Committee Members:

Dave Zehnder, Project Lead, Farmland Advantage

Jason Lum, Councillor, City of Chilliwack

Jeanne Hughes, Biologist, Lower Fraser Fisheries Alliance

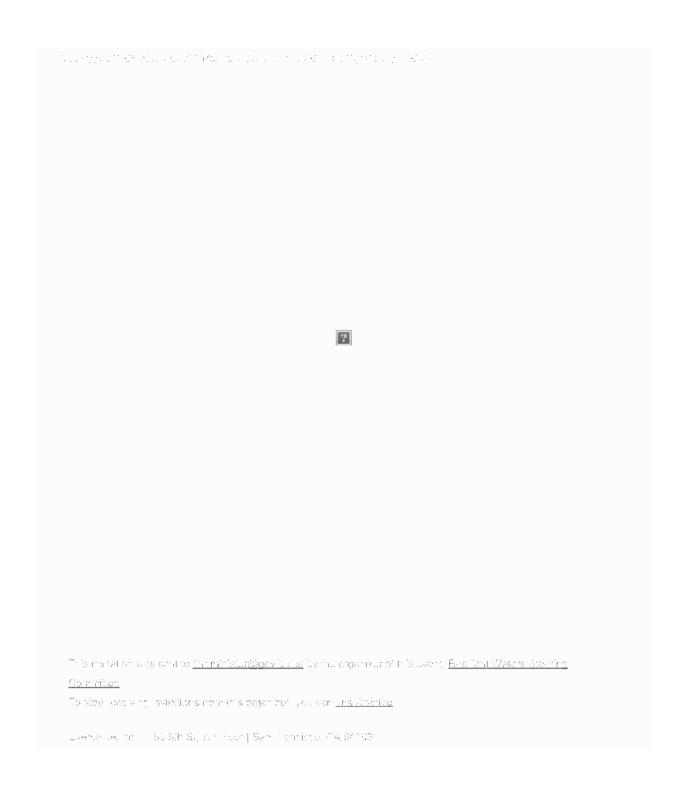
Jonathan Moore, Professor in the Department of Biological Sciences, SFU

Laura Dupont, Councillor, City of Port Coquitlam

Laurie Wood, Community Engagement and Research Initiatives Manager, SFU

Lina Azeez, Connected Waters Campaign Manager, Watershed Watch Salmon

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From: Tripp, Allison FLNR:EX

To: Correspondence Serv. Sectn, FLNR:EX

Cc: Jones, Tristan FLNR:EX; Silverio, Lisa FLNR:EX; McLaren, Kenn FLNR:EX

Subject: Letters re Caribou Recovery Program/Agreement - assign to RSD, SAR for ADM response

Date: May 30, 2019 6:09:57 PM Attachments: FW Caribou Recovery Plan.msq

MABC Comments on the Draft Conservation Agreement and Draft Partnership Agreement.msg

FW Valhalla Wilderness Society caribou submission.msg

RE Letter Regarding Southern Mountain Caribou Engagement.msg

RE Support for Intergovernmental Partnership Agreement for the conservation of the central group of

endangered mountain caribou..msg

Vanmin Devevlopment Corp. - Response to Draft Section 11 Agreement Between Canada and B.C. Draft

Partnership Agreement Between Canada B.C. West Moberly and Saulteau First Nations .msg

Comment on the draft Bilateral Conservation Agreement for Southern Mountain Caribou in British Columbia..msg Support Letter for Intergovernmental Partnership Agreement for the Conservation of the Central Group of the

Southern Mountain Caribou.msq

Intergovernmental Partnership for the Conservation of the Central Group of the Southern Mountain Caribou.msg

Please find attached incoming correspondence related to the Draft Conservation and Partnership Agreements from the following:

Cariboo Chilcotin Conservation Society

Valhalla Wilderness Society

MABC

Peace River Regional District

Yellowstone to Yukon Conservation Initiative

Vanmin Development Corp.

the District of Taylor's

Wolf Awareness

University of Alberta @ Yukon College

**UBC** Professor

Tristan/Kenn, please let us know if the Minister would prefer to sign on any of these.

Thanks