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Hello Mark, Caelie and Eveline,
Thank you for meeting with us on December 4 and apologies for the late follow-up email, it was a rough month.
Please find attached the PDF versions of the NGO Policy Recommendations for Old-Growth Forest Protection, support for First Nations and Sustainable Forestry Jobs in BC (short and expanded).
Instead of additional briefing notes, I am also attaching the two Tyee articles we shared, one summarizing the climate urgency for protecting carbon-rich old-growth rainforest, and the second one summarizing the good news story underway in Clayoquot Sound with the Ahousaht land use vision (which will require provincial support). Also attached is the IPCC table I shared highlighting the immediate benefit of protecting carbon rich intact forest in contrast to benefits of other forest management options which require more time to show a benefit.
Here is the link to our Vancouver Island 'hotspot' map
https://www.dropbox.com/s/kg69xmbvgl0y659/Hot_Spots_Oct17_2017_27x36.pdf?dl=0
Here is a different version of the same map without the hotspots, focusing on the state of the forest and a table showing how little productive old-growth rainforest remains on the island

https://www.dropbox.com/s/1x8fmtzzor0pf9z/VI_no_Hot_Spots_Chart_Nov20_2017_18x24.pdf?dl=0

This is a useful backgrounder summarizing the state of the forest on Vancouver Island and very high ecological risk for species as a result of extensive clearcutting of old-growth rainforest ecosystems

https://sierraclub.bc.ca/wp-content/uploads/2015/08/South-Coast-Backgrounder_March-2016.pdf

We are looking forward to working with the BC government in 2018 to identify next steps to protect highly endangered ecosystems, the species that depend on them and keeping carbon stored in endangered old-growth on the ground.

Happy holiday and best wishes

Jens

Jens Wieting

Forest and Climate Campaigner

Policy Recommendations for Old-Growth Forest Protection, support for First Nations and Sustainable Forestry Jobs in BC

Additional background in the context of the high-level policy recommendations for old-growth forest protection and sustainable forestry jobs in BC sent July 27, 2017, to the Hon. Doug Donaldson, Minister of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Rural Development (copied to the Hon. Scott Fraser, Minister of Indigenous Relations and Reconciliation, the Hon. George Heyman, Minister of Environment, and John Horgan, Premier of British Columbia).

FOR DISCUSSION

Prepared by the Ancient Forest Alliance, Sierra Club BC, Wilderness Committee, and Dr. Andy MacKinnon.

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