



Nous prévoyons une première séance d'information lundi le 3 décembre. Matt Jones, sous-ministre adjoint du Bureau de la mise en œuvre du cadre pancanadien, accompagnera Catherine. Restez à l'écoute pour plus de détails!

Si vous avez des questions, écrivez-moi à [melanie.mitchell2@canada.ca](mailto:melanie.mitchell2@canada.ca).

Nous avons hâte de vous rencontrer,  
Melanie Mitchell

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX](#); [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: For decision: event pitch - Clean Communities Fund  
**Date:** December 3, 2018 9:25:45 AM

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I believe that Eveline has an update for you on timing.

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**From:** Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, December 3, 2018 9:23 AM  
**To:** Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: For decision: event pitch - Clean Communities Fund

'morning Caelie, Eveline – could you pls check in with the PO at some point to see which way they want to go with this? If they haven't decided, that's good info to have too.

Thx,

Dave

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**From:** Chambers, Craig GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, November 29, 2018 3:41 PM  
**To:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** For decision: event pitch - Clean Communities Fund

Hi, Eveline – here's an event pitch for decision on the Clean Communities Fund announcement. Dave suggests this would be useful for your Friday calendar meeting. Let us know which direction is preferred.

Thanks,

Craig

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Government Communications and Public Engagement

Ministry of Environment & Climate Change Strategy

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Hold - 190325 - Loiacono, Sabrina EAO:EX](#); [Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#); [Lo, Reamick ENV:EX](#); [Drew, Ashley ENV:EX](#); [Jardine, Kevin EAO:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Materials for Monday's EAR Engagement Plan  
**Date:** December 3, 2018 10:02:27 AM

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Can someone please text me when they arrive? Thanks!

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**From:** Loiacono, Sabrina EAO:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, December 3, 2018 9:56 AM  
**To:** Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX; Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Lo, Reamick ENV:EX; Drew, Ashley ENV:EX; Jardine, Kevin EAO:EX  
**Subject:** RE: Materials for Monday's EAR Engagement Plan

Just an update, looks like we will be sending you this document around 3pm today.

Kind regards,

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**From:** Loiacono, Sabrina EAO:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, November 30, 2018 4:13 PM  
**To:** Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX; Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Lo, Reamick ENV:EX; Drew, Ashley ENV:EX; Jardine, Kevin EAO:EX  
**Subject:** Materials for Monday's EAR Engagement Plan

As the meet for the EAR Engagement Plan has been moved to Monday, materials will likely be sent a few hours before hand. I hope this is not an issue. It will be an info graphic.

Have a great weekend.

**Sabrina Loiacono**

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Heyman, George ENV:EX](#); [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: BNN Interview  
**Date:** December 3, 2018 3:09:12 PM

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It's all on EV's

And you need to be there for 8:10 am - details are in the calendar

-----Original Message-----

From: Heyman, George ENV:EX  
Sent: Monday, December 3, 2018 3:08 PM  
To: Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
Cc: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
Subject: BNN Interview

In my calendar for an hour with no travel time to my next event. How long is it really for after 8:20 start? And do I need any material or is it general?

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#); [Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#); [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Media requests - talk shows - Climate plan  
**Date:** December 4, 2018 3:09:18 PM

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Let's go ahead with these!

Thanks,  
Caelie

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**From:** Karn, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Tuesday, December 4, 2018 3:02 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Media requests - talk shows - Climate plan

Caelie,

For approval and confirmation.

All calls are LIVE and one on one except CHNL which is pretape.

Wednesday:

Date: Wed, Dec. 5

Time: 2:05pm

Show: CKNW Lynda Steele

Dial-in: 604-331-2733 call at 2:02pm

Host: Lynda Steele

Topic: BC Climate plan release.

Date: Wed, Dec. 5

Time: 4:05pm

Show: CBC's On The Coast

Dial-in: 604-662-7157 call at 4:02pm (backup JIC 604-669-3733)

Host: Gloria Macarenko

Topic: BC Climate plan release.

Thursday

Date: Thurs, Dec. 6

Time: 6:50am

Show: CFAX Morning

Dial-in: 250-920-4619 call at 6:48am

Host: Al Ferraby

Topic: BC Climate plan release.

Date: Thurs, Dec. 6

Time: 8:15am

Show: CHNL Jim Harrison

Dial-in: 250-374-1610.

Host: Jim Harrison

Topic: BC Climate plan release.

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: FYI: Updated technical deck and NR  
**Date:** December 4, 2018 8:17:57 PM

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Congrats for all of your work Rosa!

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 4, 2018, at 8:15 PM, Kouri, Rosa GCPE:EX <[Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Rosa.Kouri@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:  
>  
> Hi all – attached is the updated technical deck, and NR (still penultimate, hasn't been through our editors) which will include this compilation of validator quotes.  
>  
> Thanks,  
> Rosa  
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> <CLEANBC - media v31 4Dec18 with speaking notes.pdf>  
> <CLEANBC - media v31 4Dec18 with speaking notes.pptx>  
> <NR-CleanBC-PenultimateToEditorial.docx>  
> <Clean BC Validator Quotes Dec 4 7pm.docx>

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#); [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Media request - Alaska Hwy News - caribou recovery  
**Date:** December 5, 2018 10:50:12 AM

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Approved.

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**From:** Karn, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 5, 2018 10:47 AM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Media request - Alaska Hwy News - caribou recovery

Caelie,

Approved by JLM.

**Reporter**

Matt Preprost, Alaska Highway News

[editor@ahnfsj.ca](mailto:editor@ahnfsj.ca)

250-271-0724 c: 250-785-5631

**Deadline** ASAP

**Request**

The ministry was scheduled to meet with the Peace River Regional District on Dec. 7 to outline caribou recovery activities planned west of Chetwynd, but has backed out. Can the ministry please explain why?

I understand there's a difference in opinion over whether the meeting should be open to the public, or be held in camera.

**Recommendation**

We are actively discussing all aspects of caribou recovery and are very mindful of community concerns and the need for more information.

We are continuing to engage the Peace region stakeholders with information about caribou recovery efforts in the local areas.

Public engagement, including public meetings will be shared as soon as details are developed.



**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#); [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Neilson, Kirsten ENV:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: Media request - Washington Times - CleanBC  
**Date:** December 6, 2018 9:33:10 AM

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Can you please schedule for 10:15?

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 6, 2018, at 9:00 AM, Karn, David GCPE:EX <[David.Karn@gov.bc.ca](mailto:David.Karn@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Can we tee up a time for today. He's available anytime after 10am. 10 -15 max

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**From:** Karn, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 5, 2018 4:24 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Media request - Washington Times - CleanBC  
Caelie,  
For your consideration.  
**Reporter**  
Barry Brown, Reporter  
Washington Times  
s.22

**Deadline** Thursday, December 6, 2018 1:00 PM

**Request**

seeking interview regarding the environmental, economic and political aspects of the clean BC announcement. "doing a story on Canada's climate plan, specifically the fed. Gov't carbon tax and was reading about your (BC's) new program fits within it.

**Recommendation**

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Lee Rodriguez, Lai-Yin \(EC\)](#)  
**Cc:** [Bourgeault, Elliott ENV:EX](#); [Soni, Shannon-Marie \(EC\)](#); [Martinez-Alvarado, Bianca \(EC\)](#); [Fabry2, Jean-Sébastien \(EC\)](#)  
**Subject:** Re: RESCHEDULE - Bilat with Minister McKenna  
**Date:** December 12, 2018 12:30:49 AM

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Yes that works! Thank you, Caelie

Sent from my iPhone

> On Dec 12, 2018, at 1:34 AM, Lee Rodriguez, Lai-Yin (EC) <[lai-yin.leerodriguez@canada.ca](mailto:lai-yin.leerodriguez@canada.ca)> wrote:  
>  
> Dear Caelie,  
>  
> I'm following up on Js' message regarding a new time for a meeting between Minister McKenna and Minister Heyman. There is availability on Dec. 13th, 10:30-11:00. Please do let me know if this suits Minister Heyman's schedule.  
>  
> Best,  
>  
> Lai-Yin  
> \*\*\*\*\*  
> Coordinator / Coordonnatrice  
> Major Events and Visits Office / Bureau des visites et événements majeurs  
> Deputy Minister's Office/ Cabinet du sous-ministre  
> Environment and Climate Change Canada / Environnement et changement climatique Canada  
> Government of Canada/ Gouvernement du Canada  
>  
> Tel: 819.938.3827  
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>  
> -----Original Message-----  
> From: Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX [<mailto:Caelie.Frampton@gov.bc.ca>]  
> Sent: December 11, 2018 4:39 PM  
> To: Fabry2, Jean-Sébastien (EC)  
> Cc: Bourgeault, Elliott ENV:EX; Lee Rodriguez, Lai-Yin (EC); Soni, Shannon-Marie (EC); Martinez-Alvarado, Bianca (EC)  
> Subject: Re: RESCHEDULE - Bilat with Minister McKenna  
>  
> Hi JS,  
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> We can meet anytime between 9-1:00 pm on Thursday.  
>  
> Thanks,  
> Caelie  
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> Sent from my iPhone  
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> On Dec 11, 2018, at 1:37 PM, Fabry2, Jean-Sébastien (EC) <[jean-sebastien.fabry2@canada.ca](mailto:jean-sebastien.fabry2@canada.ca)<<mailto:jean-sebastien.fabry2@canada.ca>>> wrote:  
>  
> Hi Caelie and Elliott,  
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> We need to reschedule the bilat between Minister Heyman and Minister McKenna to Thursday. Can you kindly provide us with a couple of timing options so we can try to accommodate.

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> Thanks kindly!

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> Js.

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> Jean-Sébastien Fabry

> Conseiller politique principal / Senior Policy Advisor

> Environnement et changement climatique Canada / Environment and Climate Change Canada

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Social media  
**Date:** December 17, 2018 2:40:23 PM

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Hey all,

Can I please get some social media content for tomorrow's announcement?

Thanks,  
Caelie

Sent from my iPhone

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Drew, Ashley ENV:EX](#)  
**Subject:** Re: 337842\_Invitation to participate  
**Date:** December 18, 2018 3:33:32 PM  
**Attachments:** [image003.png](#)

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Please let them know that the minister will not be available.

Thanks,  
Caelie

Sent from my iPhone

On Dec 18, 2018, at 1:43 PM, Drew, Ashley ENV:EX <[Ashley.Drew@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Ashley.Drew@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

How would you like to proceed with this? s.22

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**From:** [ed@rmcoalition.com](mailto:ed@rmcoalition.com) <[ed@rmcoalition.com](mailto:ed@rmcoalition.com)>

**Sent:** December 13, 2018 9:12 AM

**To:** Mungall.MLA, Michelle LASS:EX <[Michelle.Mungall.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Michelle.Mungall.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>; Heyman.MLA, George LASS:EX <[George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:George.Heyman.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>; Donaldson.MLA, Doug LASS:EX <[Doug.Donaldson.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Doug.Donaldson.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>; Fraser.MLA, Scott LASS:EX <[Scott.Fraser.MLA@leg.bc.ca](mailto:Scott.Fraser.MLA@leg.bc.ca)>

**Cc:** Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX <[EMPR.Minister@gov.bc.ca](mailto:EMPR.Minister@gov.bc.ca)>; Minister, ENV ENV:EX <[ENV.Minister@gov.bc.ca](mailto:ENV.Minister@gov.bc.ca)>; Minister, FLNR FLNR:EX <[FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca](mailto:FLNR.Minister@gov.bc.ca)>

**Subject:** 337842\_Invitation to participate

Good morning,

The Resource Municipalities Coalition extends an invitation to participate in an open forum to discuss the impacts of the Caribou Recovery Plans, on various sectors within the province of British Columbia. The forum will offer government an opportunity to speak to the Caribou Protection Plan to the extent that they can, recognizing cabinet confidentiality and status of agreements. The venue, the Pomeroy Hotel and Conference Centre in Fort St. John, BC on January 4, 2019 – starting approximately at 9:00 am.

The forum will allow the province to hear from a world café perspective, the impacts and mitigation of those impacts from various sectors within the province. The theme of the forum is “Seeking Solutions”, an opportunity for local government and the public to provide valuable feedback to the province.

Working together for the benefit of the province.

Thank you,

Mike Whalley

Executive Director

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**From:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**To:** Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX; Xia, Eveline MAH:EX  
**Cc:** Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** RE: MO approval needed: Media request: Fish farm in Tofino  
**Date:** December 19, 2018 2:17:58 PM

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Hi Pamela,  
Good to go.  
Caelie

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**From:** Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 19, 2018 2:16 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX ; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX ; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** MO approval needed: Media request: Fish farm in Tofino

Good afternoon Caelie and Eveline,  
I have another media request for approval. The response has been approved by acting ADM Tessa Graham.

**Reporter**

Megan Thomas, Reporter  
CBC - Victoria  
[megan.thomas@cbc.ca](mailto:megan.thomas@cbc.ca)  
250-414-4707 c: 250-661-6185

**Deadline** Wednesday, December 19, 2018 3:00 PM

**Request**

Diver Tavish Campbell says he is still finding PRV from effluent at a fish farm (Creative Salmon) near Tofino. Reporter would like to know:

- the outcome of the investigation into fish plant effluent across the province last year?
  - whether any changes have been implemented at the plant in Tofino, or elsewhere following the investigation
  - whether the ministry has concerns about PRV being found near outfalls from fish plants
- If someone is available to speak to this, I'm available to do the interview by phone.

**Recommendation**

The Ministry conducted an audit of the fish processing sector earlier this year. The audit can be found at: <https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/research-monitoring-reporting/reporting/env-compliance-inspection-report/fish-processing-compliance-audit>

Details regarding the fish processing inspections, sampling results and compliance actions can be found at:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/research-monitoring-reporting/reporting/env-compliance-inspection-report/fish-processing-compliance-audit/fish-processing-plant-audit-reports-data>

Subsequently, the Ministry launched a permit amendment project to review, and where necessary, amend, each of the 30 effluent discharge permits issued under the *Environmental Management Act*

(EMA) for fish processing facilities. The objective of the project is to ensure that effluent discharge permits in the fish processing sector contain provisions that are protective of the environment. The permit amendment project is currently underway.

Further details regarding the project can be found at:

<https://www2.gov.bc.ca/gov/content/environment/waste-management/waste-discharge-authorization/fish-processing-permitting-project>

Through this work, some facilities have proposed additional treatment to improve their effluent quality.

The Ministry continues to liaise with Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) on concerns related to potential fish pathogens.

**Pamela Roth**

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX](#); [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: MO approval required: ENV Media Request: Recently discovered cave in Wells Gray Provincial Park  
**Date:** December 19, 2018 4:02:17 PM

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Approved.

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**From:** Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 19, 2018 3:44 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX ; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Crebo, David GCPE:EX ; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** MO approval required: ENV Media Request: Recently discovered cave in Wells Gray Provincial Park

Hello Caelie,

I have another media request for your approval. Approved by ADM Standen. Thanks!

**Reporter**

Patrick Kiger, Reporter

HowStuffWorks.com

s.22

**Deadline** Tuesday, December 18, 2018 5:00 PM

**Request**

I'm a writer for HowStuffWorks. My editor assigned me to write a short article about the large cave recently discovered in Wells Gray Provincial Park, which I have read actually was first spotted by employees from the ministry who were doing a caribou survey from the air. Is there someone who would be able to answer a few questions about the cave and its discovery (and the significance) by email?

**Recommendation**

1. What is the significance of the discovery of the cave in Wells Gray Provincial Park? Is it mostly the size that is noteworthy, or are there other qualities that make it an important find?
  - Geologist, Catherine Hickson, who did her PhD research in Wells Gray Provincial Park, visited the cave in September of this year, has stated that the cave is the largest known of its type; a variety of striped karst, which is marble interspersed with other types of ancient rock. Additionally, it is in an area where a cave of this type is unusual.
2. Since the cave has such a large, prominent entrance, why did it remain undiscovered for so long? Is that due to the remote location?
  - It is thought that due to the recession of the glaciers, it is now visible, however this is yet to be confirmed.
  - There is no way to determine its age until further exploration takes place.
3. What were the circumstances of the aerial discovery? Was that the first time that an

aircraft had flown over that location?

- In the spring of 2018, members from the Ministry of Forests, Lands, Natural Resource Operations and Regional Development were conducting a caribou survey by helicopter and photographed a large pit that is now known to be the opening to the karst cave.
- This is not the first time this survey has been conducted however the cave was not noticed during previous flights - the cave could have been missed or obscured by snow/ice.

4. What are the cave's estimated dimensions at this point? How much uncertainty is there about the size?

- The actual size of the cave in Wells Gray Park is not known at this time, since an expedition has only ventured into the opening area. It has the potential to be massive
- The entrance pit to the cave is about 100 metres long and 60 metres wide. While its depth is hard to measure because of the mist from a waterfall, initial examinations show it is at least 135 metres deep.

5. What was the extent of the subsequent investigation of the cave site? The Canadian Geographic article said that one of the explorers was able to go 80 meters into the cave before an underground river prevented further passage.

- 80m would be approximate, however this should be confirmed by those cavers involved in the investigation.

6. Has the cave been surveyed using LIDAR or other technological tools at this point?

- We are not able to confirm what technology was used by the cavers involved in the initial exploration.

7. What will be the process or strategy for exploring the cave? What will be the next steps? Is it feasible for a team of explorers to venture inside? If so, who will do that?

- Until risks to public safety have been assessed and engagement with First Nations has been concluded, the newly discovered cave and surrounding area will remain closed and no cave exploration will take place.
- When First Nations consultation has concluded, BC Parks will work with First Nations, geologists, and experienced advanced cavers to move toward planning and conduct further exploration. Any access granted to the cave would be through application and approval of a Park Use Permit.

8. I know the exact location hasn't been revealed publicly, but will the BC government be taking other steps to prevent people from finding it and attempting to enter? Is there a way to remotely monitor the entrance?

- As stated on our BC Parks webpage, a Director's order has been issued closing the area surrounding the cave

Until First Nations Consultation has concluded, for Public Safety, and conservation and ecological values have been determined, the Director's Order will remain in effect and no further exploration will be conducted.

- Any member of the public in contravention of Order is subject to the following:

i. Under Section 17 of the Park Act, Section 28

ii. 28 (1) A person who contravenes any provision of this Act commits an offence and is liable to a fine of up to \$1,000,000 or a term of imprisonment of not more than one year or both.

iii. (3) When a contravention of the Act or regulations continues for more than one day, the person is guilty of a separate offence for each day on which the contravention

continues.

- BC Parks is managing the situation of closure as it relates to the Director Order issued for the location.

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX](#); [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: MO approval needed: ENV Media Request: Wells Gray Cave closure  
**Date:** December 19, 2018 4:03:13 PM

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Good to go!

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**From:** Roth, Pamela GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Wednesday, December 19, 2018 3:37 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX ; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Crebo, David GCPE:EX ; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** MO approval needed: ENV Media Request: Wells Gray Cave closure  
Good afternoon Caelie and Eveline,  
I have another media request for approval. It's been approved by ADM Standen.

**Reporters**

Betsy Trumpener, Reporter  
CBC - Prince George  
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Carly Yoshida - Butryn  
Producer  
CTV News (BC)

**Deadline** Wednesday, December 19, 2018 5:00 PM

**Request**

Reporters are inquiring about the closure (posted on the BC Parks website) of the cave in Wells Gray Provincial Park and are wondering if someone can talk about it.

- Why does BC Parks want people to stay away?
- How will you deter people from showing up?
- What are the potential penalties?
- How important is the cave?
- What First Nations are being consulted?
- Will the province be contributing any funds to the expedition?

**Recommendation**

- Why does BC Parks want people to stay away?
  - BC Parks has issued a Directors Order to ensure Public Safety, accommodate First Nations consultation, provide time to determine heritage, conservation and ecological values, and to preserve the integrity of the cave and surrounding area.
- How will you deter people from showing up?

- By issuing the Directors Order under Section 17 of the Park Act, closing the cave and surrounding area.

Any member of the public in contravention of Order is subject to the following:

Park Act, Section 28:

- A person who contravenes any provision of this Act commits an offence and is liable to a fine of up to \$1,000,000 or a term of imprisonment of not more than one year or both.
- (3) When a contravention of the Act or regulations continues for more than one day, the person is guilty of a separate offence for each day on which the contravention continues

- BC Parks is managing the situation of closure as it relates to the Director Order issued for the location. Consideration is being given to compliance actions at this time (signage, cameras, patrols, but detailed information may not be released publicly).

- What are the potential penalties?

Any member of the public in contravention of Order is subject to the following:

i. Under Section 28 of the Park Act:

- (1) A person who contravenes any provision of this Act commits an offence and is liable to a fine of up to \$1,000,000 or a term of imprisonment of not more than one year or both.

- (3) When a contravention of the Act or regulations continues for more than one day, the person is guilty of a separate offence for each day on which the contravention continues.

- How important is the cave?

- This is thought to be the largest cave in Canada, however this has not yet been confirmed.
- Until heritage, conservation and ecological values have been determined and further exploration has concluded, it is difficult to determine the importance of the cave.
- Geologist, Catherine Hickson, who conducted her PhD research in Wells Gray Provincial Park, visited the cave in September of this year, has stated that the cave is the largest known of its type; a variety of striped karst, which is marble interspersed with other types of ancient ocean rock. Additionally, it is in an area where a cave of this type is unusual.

Which First Nations are being consulted?

- Simpcw First Nation
- Canim Lake Indian Band.

Will the province be contributing any funds to the expedition?

- The initial exploration flight in September was partially funded by BC Parks.
- Additional funding for further exploration has yet to be determined.

**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** ["Mark Nantais"; Minister, ENV ENV:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX](#); [OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX](#); [Yasmin Tarmohamed](#); [Marg Crate](#)  
**Subject:** RE: CVMA request for meeting to discuss auto industry's journey toward a low carbon transportation economy in B.C.  
**Date:** December 20, 2018 1:19:06 PM

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Thanks Mark.

We'll be in touch soon about a meeting in the new year.

Best,

Caelie

Caelie Frampton

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**From:** Mark Nantais [<mailto:mnantais@cvma.ca>]  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 20, 2018 1:08 PM  
**To:** Minister, ENV ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX ; Minister, EMPR EMPR:EX ; [OfficeofthePremier, Office PREM:EX](#) ; [Yasmin Tarmohamed](#) ; [Marg Crate](#)  
**Subject:** CVMA request for meeting to discuss auto industry's journey toward a low carbon transportation economy in B.C.

Dear Minister Heyman:

I am writing on behalf of senior executives of Fiat Chrysler Automobiles (FCA) Canada Inc., Ford Motor Company of Canada, Limited, and General Motors Company Canada, seeking a meeting with you to discuss the auto industry's journey toward a low carbon transportation economy and how we can work collaboratively more effectively with the government of British Columbia under its Clean B.C Plan to reduce greenhouse gas emissions in the province. I have provided the attached letter in this regard.

We would welcome a positive reply to our request to meet with you at the earliest opportunity.

Wishing you all the best for a very Happy Holiday Season!

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**Subject:** RE: Media Request - Freelance s. 14  
**Date:** December 20, 2018 4:28:59 PM

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**From:** Karn, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, December 20, 2018 2:00 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Xia, Eveline ENV:EX ; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX ; Crebo, David GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Media Request - Freelancer s.14

Caelie,

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**Reporter**

s.22

**Deadline** Monday, December 24, 2018 12:00 PM

**Request**

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**Recommendation**

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**From:** [Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX](#)  
**To:** [Karn, David GCPE:EX](#)  
**Cc:** [Crebo, David GCPE:EX](#); [Xia, Eveline MAH:EX](#); [Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Media request - Thompson Reuters - WCC LNG  
**Date:** December 22, 2018 8:32:45 AM

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**From:** Karn, David GCPE:EX  
**Sent:** Friday, December 21, 2018 4:43 PM  
**To:** Frampton, Caelie ENV:EX  
**Cc:** Crebo, David GCPE:EX ; Xia, Eveline ENV:EX ; Cotton, Brian GCPE:EX  
**Subject:** Media request - Thompson Reuters - WCC LNG

Caelie,

Approved by Kevin Jardine.

**Reporter**

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**Deadline** Thursday, December 20, 2018 5:00 PM

**Request**

saw an announcement that ExxonMobil withdrew WCC LNG project from environmental assessment. Could you please confirm that? Did ExxonMobil give reasons for the withdrawal?

I understand that the project was submitted to Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency in 2015. Why was it on consideration for almost four years?

**Recommendation**

- WCC LNG was issued their Application Information Requirements on March 31, 2016 and the company was able to submit an Application at any time thereafter. It did not do so.
- On December 5, 2018, WCC LNG requested to withdraw from the EA Process and the BC EAO complied with this request <https://projects.eao.gov.bc.ca/p/wcc-lng/docs>

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**Subject:** Re: Media request - CHEK TV - BC Parks storm impacts  
**Date:** December 28, 2018 8:42:48 AM

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On Dec 27, 2018, at 8:09 PM, Karn, David GCPE:EX <[David.Karn@gov.bc.ca](mailto:David.Karn@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Caelie,

Approved by A/ADM Doug Forsdick.

Reporter: Dave Biro, CHEK TV

Deadline: Friday, Dec. 28

Request: seeking and update regarding parks that have been impacted by the recent storms. What's closed or open.

Response:

BC Parks west coast region including Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands received damage due to the recent storms.

Parks in the mid and southern island took the brunt of the damage with primarily downed trees over roads and hazard trees.

Park Operators have initiated post storm assessments.

Parks of note, Goldstream, Englishman River, Little Qualicum and Bamberton have been closed to the public for safety reasons.

Closed

Little Qualicum falls

Englishman river

Bamberton

Goldstream

Montague harbour

Macmillan

Maquinna

Roberts Memorial

Hemer

Reopened

Golden Ears

Gowland Tod

Current conditions are also available on each park  
webpage as well. (webpage link)

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