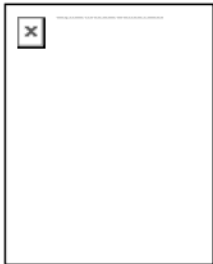


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**From:** Beare, Lisa TAC:EX  
**Sent:** Monday, April 16, 2018 8:31 PM  
**To:** Newhook, Kelly TAC:EX; Infante, James TAC:EX  
**Subject:** Fwd: Proposed Mine and Quarry - Kent , BC

**Honourable Lisa Beare**, Minister  
Ministry of Tourism, Arts & Culture  
250-356-8247



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**From:** s.22  
**Date:** April 16, 2018 at 4:16:46 PM PDT  
**To:** <lisa.beare@gov.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** Proposed Mine and Quarry - Kent , BC

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April 16, 2018

Dear Sirs,

Re: Proposed Mine & Quarry to be located at PID 013-160-583, Parcel "A" (Reference Plan 4345) South East Quarter Section 1 Township 4 Range 29, West of the Sixth Meridian New Westminster District - 3628 Hot Springs Road, Agassiz BC

We are writing this letter to voice our opposition to the above-mentioned mining permit application.

The recent and intensely concentrated aggregate extraction occurring within Kent is creating a patchwork of industrial land. The pastoral beauty of the townships of Agassiz and Harrison Hot Springs are being eroded, community members property will be devalued, social relations between

community members are being tested and the environment is being challenged beyond its caring capacity.

The most obvious concerns are noise, dust, pollution, public safety, property devaluation, wildlife concerns and aesthetics.

Harrison Hot Springs is a peaceful resort destination. Thousand of tourists travel in to see the lake. This is where residents and tourists can escape the noise and busyness of the city. People buy here to relax and the enjoy the tranquil settings of their properties. Hot Springs Rd., which is the only way in, is a recreational rd. used by cyclists, car enthusiasts and boaters. It is narrow, has blind corners and very little shoulder room. It already is challenging for cycling groups and for walking. Adding a continuous flow of dump trucks will be just a matter of time before a deadly accident occurs.

Agassiz is a small township with a very close knit community. The increased traffic through town will certainly increase infrastructure damage and will be a huge safety concern. These trucks will be directly passing a school in which there will be a number of students crossing the road to get to.

Health and Environment concerns– Noise & dust from crushing and blasting operations will disturb the peace of the area daily and expose nearby residents & tourists to the negative health effects of silica dust.

The blasting will have a huge negative effect on livestock, pets and wildlife.

If a permit were granted, the negative impact that this pit would have on the environment and its inhabitants is irreversible. It would compromise the health and safety of our communities and ruin the character of Agassiz and Harrison Hot Springs forever.

We need to have more respect for agricultural and recreation land as well as for the people who live in and around it. The province should not be sacrificing rural land for industrial enterprise.

Sincerely,

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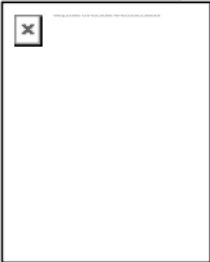
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**From:** Beare, Lisa TAC:EX  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 7, 2018 9:45 PM  
**To:** Donaldson, Doug FLNR:EX  
**Subject:** Re: s.22

Thanks so much Doug. I really appreciate it!

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On Apr 7, 2018, at 6:04 PM, Donaldson, Doug FLNR:EX <[Doug.Donaldson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Doug.Donaldson@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

Hi Lisa. s.22 : s.22  
s.22  
Doug

Sent from my iPhone

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**From:** Beare, Lisa TAC:EX  
**Sent:** Saturday, April 7, 2018 9:44 PM  
**To:** Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX  
**Subject:** Re: Hi

Thanks so much Shane<sup>s.22</sup>

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On Apr 7, 2018, at 1:00 PM, Simpson, Shane SDPR:EX <[Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca](mailto:Shane.Simpson@gov.bc.ca)> wrote:

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Shane

Sent from my Samsung Galaxy smartphone.

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**From:** Beare, Lisa TAC:EX  
**Sent:** Thursday, April 5, 2018 10:55 AM  
**To:** Sullivan, Sam  
**Cc:** Lynn Zanatta  
**Subject:** Re: Thank you!

Dear MLA Sullivan

I am very glad to hear you and Lynn enjoyed the event. It was a great evening.

See you next week.

Lisa

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On Mar 30, 2018, at 8:21 PM, Sullivan, Sam .s.17

> wrote:

Dear Minister Beare

Lynn and I really enjoyed the Juno Awards. Thank you so much for the tickets!

Sam

Sent from my iPad