

14 December 2017

Columbia Shuswap Regional District PO Box 978 Salmon Arm, BC V1E 4P1

Subject: Thompson Watershed Flood and Debris Flow Disaster Mitigation Risk Assessment

Dear Chair Martin and directors:

Elected leaders and emergency management and/or planning and development staff from your government are invited to attend a community to community meeting to initiate a risk assessment process for flood and debris flow in the Thompson watershed.

Local and First Nations governments from the entire Thompson River Watershed are invited to participate, from 100 Mile House and Clearwater in the north, Sicamous in the east, Enderby and Lumby in the south, to Lytton and Clinton in the west. Please refer to enclosure 1 for the project summary, scope, budget and timeframe; enclosure 2 for a map of jurisdictions within the Thompson watershed; and enclosure 3 for a draft agenda for the meeting.

When: 10:00AM to 3:00PM, Wednesday February 14, 2018 (lunch will be provided)

Where: Kamloops, BC (location to be determined)

Please advise me by email msimpson@fraserbasin.bc.ca with who will participate on your government's behalf by February 7, 2018.

Yours truly,

Mike Simpson, MA, RPF Senior Regional Manager

Enclosure 1: Project Summary

Enclosure 2: Thompson Watershed map with Jurisdictions

Enclosure 3: Draft agenda for Community to Community Meeting