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Subject: **RDI and BC Rural Dividend partnership proposal opportunity**

Hello Northern Basin partners,

I hope everyone had a great holiday season!

The RDI BC Rural Dividend proposal was submitted and we now have until January 31, 2018 to finalize cash contributions. Please see attached for an updated Proposal Brief that provides more detail on the opportunity to join this exciting initiative - including details specific to return on investment of your cash contribution.

I'm happy to make myself available for a phone chat to answer any questions / provide additional detail. I'm heading to the East Kootenays to present to the RDEK board this week. I'll be back online Friday.

Thank you for your kind consideration of this funding opportunity.

Kind regards,
Terri

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Hello Northern Basin partners,

I'm just checking in to see if you have had a chance to gauge interest in the idea outlined in the attached brief.

To remind, the proposed funding model was \$15K a year for 2 years from Northern Basin partners for a total cash contribution of \$30K from your group.

This would be leveraged with \$100K CBT/RDI dollars + a total of \$40K each from RDEK, RDCK, and RDKB. This leveraged funding could result in \$500K from the Provincial government via the BC Rural Dividend Fund, proposal due Dec 15.

I'd like to make the go/no go call on this by Friday at the latest if possible. Thank you to Ron and Jon for your confirmation of interest. If others have interest please let me know at your earliest convenience.

Note the Province is allowing related resolutions to be submitted after the Dec 15 deadline (Jan 31 is the deadline for that).

Pls let me know if you'd like to have a phone chat. I'm off campus but could make myself available at your convenience.

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Good afternoon 'Northern Basin' partners,

I'm reaching out to you with a partnership funding idea.

The attached proposal brief outlines a possible regional-scale local government-RDI-colleges partnership submission to the BC Rural Dividend fund. If there is interest in this idea we would seek to build a related proposal for submission (note the December 15 deadline). Selkirk College is eligible to submit on our collective behalf.

If there is interest we would work with you to co-develop the proposal. In the short term if you'd like to discuss the feasibility of the idea I'm happy to arrange a time to chat. If there is interest in moving forward, RDI Lead Researcher Lauren Rethoret (cc'd here) will run point on our end to pull the details of the proposal together based on your input.

Thank you for your kind consideration of this funding opportunity.

Cheers,
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