



COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT

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The Honourable David Eby, Premier of British Columbia
Honourable Nathan Cullen, Minister of Water, Land and Resource Stewardship

Dear Premier Eby and Minister Cullen:

Re: Proposed Land Act Amendments

The Columbia Shuswap Regional District Board of Directors conveys their sincere gratitude to the Province for their decision to not proceed with the proposed amendments to the BC Land Act at this time.

The Board acknowledges that there have been recent consultations with more than 650 representatives of stakeholder groups and we value the time and consideration invested in these discussions. The Board appreciates the additional time afforded by pausing the process; this pause will allow for further engagement with community and stakeholder groups who represent British Columbians.

The Board supports the community consultation process that is being conducted by the Provincial Government and believes stakeholder engagement is extremely important on sensitive issues such as Land Act legislation. Our opinion is that the final product will benefit from being shaped by a range of perspectives and by moving forward together.

Yours truly,
COLUMBIA SHUSWAP REGIONAL DISTRICT
Per:



Kevin Flynn
Board Chair

cc: Peace River Regional District

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A GOLDEN-COLUMBIA
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C EAGLE BAY-WHITE LAKE-TAPPEN
D FALKLAND-SALMON VALLEY

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F NORTH SHUSWAP-SEYMOUR ARM
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