



MUSKWA-KECHIKA ADVISORY BOARD

September 25, 2023

Honourable Nathan Cullen
Minister of Land, Water and Resource Stewardship
Room 310, Parliament Buildings
Victoria, British Columbia
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Dear Minister Cullen:

On behalf of the Muskwa-Kechika Advisory Board, I wish to invite you to our annual board meeting being held in Victoria on November 7-8, 2023. At our previous board meeting on October 19 and 20, 2022, we had an opportunity to meet with Minister Osbourne to talk about the inherent value of the Muskwa-Kechika Management Area in advancing meaningful reconciliation with Indigenous Peoples, ensuring a sustainable environment and growing the economy.

Going forward, we recommended meeting with the Minister responsible and accountable for the Muskwa-Kechika Management Area on an annual basis to ensure alignment and congruity between the Advisory Board's strategic and operational priorities and the Ministry's Service Plan goals, objectives and key strategies that apply to the Management Area.

This year we'd appreciate having a discussion with you at our board meeting in the afternoon of November 7, 2023, to ensure our three-year strategic plan that focuses on three key themes; "Indigenous Relations", "Management Advice", and "Board Governance and Administration", aligns with your Ministry's Service plan.

I have attached a copy of our draft M-KMA Advisory Board meeting agenda and our M-KMA Strategic Directions and Operational Business Planning 2023/24-25/26, for your reference.

We look forward hearing from you.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephanie Killam". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Stephanie Killam
Chair,
Muskwa-Kechika Advisory Board

cc. Lori Halls
Deputy Minister, Lands, Water, and Resource Stewardship

James Cuell
Executive Director, Strategic Land Use, North Area

Shayla Blue
Land and Resource Specialist, Northeast Region

Stephanie Killam
Board Chair, Muskwa-Kechika Advisory Board

Attachments:

1. Draft M-KMA Advisory Board meeting agenda
2. M-KMA Strategic Directions and Operational Business Planning 2023/24-25/26