

File: 0400-70

August 21, 2020

Williams Lake First Nation
315 Yorston Street
Williams Lake, BC V2G 1H1

Att: Chief Willie Sellars

Dear Chief Sellars:

Re: Inclusion of the 150 Mile Ranch Into Reserve Lands

Thank you for reaching out and inviting us to discuss the proposed inclusion of the 150 Mile Ranch into IR #1 of the Williams Lake First Nation.

As we stated in our meeting, the inclusion of the ranch has minimal impacts on the services provided by the Cariboo Regional District.

In light of this initiative of the Williams Lake First Nation we would appreciate the following opportunities:

- 1) A discussion of the current fire services agreement by our respective staff. We feel there is an opportunity for a clearer, more concise agreement that will serve both communities as we face the challenges and opportunities of the future.
- 2) That our two organizations enter into a protocol that addresses land use and land use planning in the area. Cooperation and harmonization will limit land use conflicts and will serve us well.

In general, the Cariboo Regional District can state that it has no objection to the Williams Lake First Nation adding the lands of the 150 Mile Ranch to its reserve lands.

Thank you again for reaching out, and we look forward to future meetings.

Yours Truly,

Margo Wagner
Chair

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