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Regional District of Okanagan-Similkameen 101 Martin Street, Penticton, BC V2A 5J9

Attention: Mark Pendergraft, Chair

Re: Naramata Diversion Flume Decommissioning

Dear Mr. Pendergraft,

I am writing in response to Karla Kozakevich's letter regarding the disposition of the Naramata Creek flume. A 2021 engineering assessment, completed by Hatch Engineering, concluded that a significant initial and ongoing financial investment is required to maintain the flume in satisfactory condition; the Ministry of Forests will not be assuming ownership and operation of the flume at this time.

Sincerely,

Jocelyn Campbell

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Director of Resource Management Resource Management Division

Thompson Okanagan Region