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April 21, 2023

British Columbia Utilities Commission
Suite 410, 900 Howe Street
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Attention: Patrick Wruck, Commission Secretary

Dear Patrick Wruck:

Re: FortisBC Inc. (FBC)

Application for a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity (CPCN) for the A.S. Mawdsley (ASM) Terminal Station Project (Application)

British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) Order G-70-23 – Public Notice Confirmation Compliance Filing

On February 24, 2023, FBC filed the Application referenced above. On March 30, 2023, the BCUC issued Order G-70-23 establishing a regulatory timetable for review of the Application, directing FBC to provide notice as follows: provide a copy of the Order to various parties,¹ make the Application and Order available on its website,² and post information regarding the Public Notice on social media platforms.³

The Application and Order G-70-23 including the Public Notice are available on the FBC website at the following link: [A.S. Mawdsley Terminal Station Project \(fortisbc.com\)](https://www.fortisbc.com/A.S.-Mawdsley-Terminal-Station-Project). FBC confirms that the notice requirements under Directives 2, 3, and 4 have been completed, as described below.

Pursuant to Directive 2, FBC provided a letter to all Area Residents noted in the Application, dated April 6, 2023, containing the Public Notice attached as Appendix B to Order G-70-23 and providing the links to the FBC website where the Application and Order G-70-23 are located as well as the BCUC website. A copy of the letter to Area Residents is provided in Appendix A. In addition, on April 6, 2023, FBC also provided an email to all parties listed below, attaching Order G-70-23 and providing a link to the Application on the FBC website.

a. FBC Annual Review for 2023 Rates Proceeding

- British Columbia Public Interest Advocacy Centre representing the British Columbia Old Age Pensioners' Organization, Active Support Against Poverty, Disability Alliance BC, Council of Senior Citizens' Organizations of BC, Together Against Poverty Society, and the Tenant Resource and Advisory Centre et al. (BCOAPO);

¹ Directive 2.

² Directive 3.

³ Directive 4.

- BC Sustainable Energy Association (BCSEA);
- British Columbia Municipal Electrical Utilities (BCMEU);
- Commercial Energy Consumers Association of British Columbia (CEC);
- Industrial Customers Group (ICG);
- Movement of United Professionals (MoveUP); and
- Residential Consumer Intervener Association (RCIA).

b. All Stakeholders identified in the Application

- Webster School.

c. All municipalities and regional districts located within the Boundary and Similkameen areas that are within FBC's service territory

- City of Trail;
- Village of Warfield;
- City of Rossland; and
- Regional District of KB.

d. All Indigenous groups identified in the Application

- Ktunaxa Nation;
- Penticton Indian Band;
- Okanagan Indian Band;
- Lower Similkameen Indian Band;
- Upper Nicola Indian Band;
- Osoyoos Indian Band;
- Shuswap Indian Band; and
- Splotsin First Nations.

Pursuant to Directives 3 and 4, posts regarding the Public Notice on FortisBC's social media channels including Twitter, Facebook and LinkedIn were made on April 19, 2023 with weekly reminder posts also scheduled to occur on April 26, May 3, and May 4.

If further information is required, please contact the undersigned.

Sincerely,

FORTISBC INC.

Original signed:

Sarah Walsh

Attachment

Appendix A

LETTER TO AREA RESIDENTS



Jennifer Datchkoff
Community and Indigenous
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FortisBC

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April 4, 2023

Address

We are planning work in your neighborhood

FortisBC has filed an Application for approval of a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity with the British Columbia Utilities Commission (BCUC) for the A.S. Mawdsley Terminal Station Project. This project will replace aging infrastructure and equipment near end-of-life to improve FortisBC's electricity system reliability. In addition, it will increase Boundary and Similkameen area capacity supporting the region's growth and development.

FortisBC encloses a copy of the BCUC's Public Notice of Application which provides information on the regulatory process and how to participate. To view FortisBC's application please visit FortisBC's website at: <https://www.fortisbc.com/about-us/corporate-information/regulatory-affairs/our-electricity-utility/electric-bcuc-submissions/cpcn> under the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity Applications or the BCUC's website at www.bcuc.com under Our Work – Proceedings.

For any questions regarding this project, please contact me directly at 1-250-368-0674.

Respectfully;

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. Datchkoff".

Jennifer Datchkoff
Community and Indigenous Relations Liaison
FortisBC