

Good morning Joe,

I hope all is well.

I am e-mailing to see if the Town can reconsider to tripartite protocol agreement for the following reasons:

- 1) We spent many hours with our consultant meeting with Town and CVRD representatives collectively over the pandemic to arrive at a document that would see us all work more collaboratively by the definition of the protocol
- 2) The protocol agreement is simply to lay out our strategic priorities and agree to meet with each other. There is nothing binding in the document and is a great relationship document
- 3) This protocol was a great way to demonstrate reconciliation and is a huge victory for all three levels of government that we should all be proud of
- 4) The recent ICET application that Ts'uubaa-asatx applied for took this relationship into account when we applied for this new position to look at identifying the economic opportunities and priorities of the region (which spans all three levels of government) and is critical to have these lined up to be as effective as possible.

Can you let us know as soon as possible if this is still an option as it will have effects on funding, etc.

Klecko, Klecko (Thank You),

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