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VIA Email: prrd.dc@prrd.bc.ca

Peace River Regional District
Box 810, Dawson Creek
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Re: Wireless Connectivity Improvements in the Peace River Regional District

Dear Members of the Board,

Rogers Communications is working with the Province to bring new service and improve wireless connectivity to your community. As part of the Province's Connecting BC program, Rogers will be proposing telecommunications infrastructure aimed at providing needed wireless infrastructure to improve service to Indigenous, remote and underserved areas.

Our investment will involve installing small towers near two communities that will provide high speed wireless services and home internet to local residences and businesses. The table below lists the proposed communities and an approximate location for where a tower would be ideal.

Community	Latitude	Longitude
Rolla	55.898159°	-120.145816°
Seven Mile Corner	55.897251°	-120.324157°

To initiate our engagement process, Rogers is notifying local stakeholders and the Regional District to determine suitable locations for installing a tower structure. The towers will need to be in close proximity to the communities in order to ensure that wireless services are fast and reliable. Over the next two months, Rogers will be speaking to landowners and District staff about potential locations. Our intent is to bring these proposals to the Board before the summer and install the towers by year end.

This past year, we have been challenged by the Covid-19 pandemic and it has demonstrated the critical need for all of us to stay connected and have reliable connectivity for all Canadians. Our commitment here is to ensure your community has the wireless infrastructure to stay connected.

Should you wish any additional information about our program, please do not hesitate to Garth Jones (garth.jones@rci.rogers.com).

Sincerely,

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Vice-President Access Networks West

CC : Shawn Dahlen, Chief Administrative Officer