Good morning

Please find attached a resolution that the Village of Pouce Coupe is putting forward to the committee at NCLGA for consideration. We would appreciate it if you and your councils would offer letters of support for this resolution.

Thank you for your consideration.



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CORPORATION OF THE VILLAGE OF POUCE COUPE

Council Resolution for consideration at NCLGA

Local Consultation for Provincial Impacts to Resource Sector Jobs

WHEREAS The provincial government does not currently have the obligation to meaningfully consult with municipalities and/or regional districts regarding provincial policy changes or decisions that impact employment for people that live in those municipalities and/or regional districts. The recent provincial policy changes and decisions have and will continue to negatively impact resource sector-based employment that disproportionately impacts rural, northern, and remote communities;

AND WHERE AS Rural, remote and northern communities local tax bases are dependent on a strong resource sector in order to provide services to those that live there;

THEREFORE, IT BE RESOLVED that NCLGA and UBCM lobby the provincial government to engage in meaningful consultation with the municipalities and/or regional districts whose people's employment in the resource sector may be negatively impacted by those provincial policy changes.

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