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Rick Gateman, President
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Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Project
760 Kinsmen Place
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Dear Mr. Gateman and Mr. Patry,

On behalf of the Chetwynd Chamber of Commerce, we are writing to express our support of TransCanada's proposed Coastal GasLink and Prince Rupert Gas Transmission natural gas pipeline projects. As a center of industry in BC with a diverse business offering, we believe these projects are in the best interest of the community and the businesses we represent.

The development of LNG in BC provides the opportunity for significant economic benefits for Chetwynd, which is crucial at a time when many other sectors in Western Canada are slowing down. The business community looks forward to the numerous employment and contracting opportunities, in addition to the increased local spend, community investment, and tax base that will benefit the community as a whole.

Through events such as Chamber luncheons and trade shows, TransCanada representatives have continued to provide valuable information to members with respect to TransCanada's contracting programs and practices and the various local services that will be required for the projects throughout construction. TransCanada's ongoing engagement with our Chamber has indicated a commitment to the community and delivering local benefits, and we look forward to a positive Final Investment Decision for TransCanada's northern BC projects.

Sincerely,

Carmen Westgate
President, Chetwynd Chamber of Commerce

Tonia Richter
Executive Director, Chetwynd Chamber of Commerce