

## Meeting Minutes

### Welcome from Anita (1:00pm)

### Safety Share- Nich

### Teck HR – Creighton Glober

- Creighton shared current hiring and vacancy statistics

### ENGO- Evgeni Matveev

- Evgeni shared information about upcoming initiatives including:
  - The stake collection program aimed at reducing erosion in riverbanks
  - A request for volunteers to help at the Elk River Alliance farmers market booth

### Michel Creek Rd/Gn Rd – Shelly Wedderburn

- Shelly shared updates from Michel Creek and GN rd. residents including
  - Concerns around speeding on MCR

### Seniors – Rosa Maria Rocca

- Rosa shared seniors related updates. She has been working with the organizations in the pass and helping them put together an application for an AED and blinds to help reduce the soon to come summer heat at one of the seniors Centres.

### Education – Anita Palmer

- Anita Palmer shared an update on the college. Her position is being filled at the college by Tim Schoals and he will be attending the next meeting and taking over her position as educational representative.
- Anita shared an update on the micro degrees program provided at the College of the Rockies.

### Healthcare – Nancy-Jo

- Nancy-Jo provided an update on health care in the valley. She mentioned that the UPC facility in Elkford was still ongoing.

#### **Recreation – Tom Kramer**

- Tom gave an update on work he'll be doing with the ATV community, including an update on connecting the trails in the north of the valley.

#### **Families – Katey Taylor**

- Construction season has started.

#### **Teck Feedback Update- Nich Godri**

##### Blasting

- New monitors installed to help confirm the efficacy of our existing monitors and monitoring locations.

##### Dust

- House washing new website
- Foam Trial- Got approved by the province
- Dirty vehicles- We've got em. Elkview carwash is back up. Been contacting Contractors to remind them that we require all mine vehicle to be clean prior to entering our communities.

##### Elkview dryer

- Elkview and the plant's management are aware of the recent issues with the dryer stack emissions, specifically related to colouration and the appearance of smoke.

To better understand our plant's performance, we have initiated an investigation which includes:

- Conducting a thorough review of our coal blends and drying procedures to identify trends, potential cause, and next steps.

- Scheduling targeted emissions and particulate sampling to characterize the change.
- Increasing our visual monitoring of the stack discharge, including during the next scheduled specific coal blend run, which at this time is believed could be generating the colour change. During this next planned specific product run we are planning to alter processing conditions in a controlled manner to help narrow down root cause of the colour change.
- Conducting an effectiveness review of our wet scrubbers which remove particulate from the stack discharges (complete and determined to be effectively operating).
- To mitigate the potential for future colouration change and smoke generation, we are planning to thoroughly clean the dryer rod deck, combustion chamber, ducting and scrubbing equipment on our next plant shutdown day (currently scheduled for April 23). The cleaning will remove any buildup and help ensure adequate flow through the system. Additionally, we will perform internal inspections on various components in the system during the shutdown.

### **Teck updates- Nich Godri**

May is Mining month:

- Site tour available to be booked through the chamber.
- BBQ on the 23<sup>rd</sup> at the chamber

Elk Valley Lodge

- Hearing last month, decision is scheduled for May 13<sup>th</sup>

Interim Relationship Agreement signed with Yaqit ʔa·knuq̓i ʔit

Teck sponsored the

- Sparwood and District Fish & Wildlife Association Banquet (April 13),
- the Kananaskis Pro Rodeo in the Crowsnest Pass (April 26-28) and
- the Fernie Rod and Club's 125th Anniversary Banquet (April 27).

Teck representatives attended the Elk Valley Metis (EMV) Biodiversity and Reforestation Conference –(April 24).

BC Government Press Release about Elkford Senior's Housing Project featured Teck's contribution of the land and a \$1 million

Upcoming events:

- Skatepark grand opening- May 16<sup>th</sup>
- BRE open house- May 22<sup>nd</sup>

#### **Elkview AMC update- Adam Savidant**

Adam Savidant, the Lead of Operational readiness, gave an overview of the new Elkview administration and maintenance complex. Adam gave an overview of visual impacts and the mitigations his team took into consideration during construction. He also described why the building moved and the scale of the build.

#### **COIAI Terms and Conditions**

#### **Fernie Fix Add**

#### **Summer Partner's Meeting**

#### **Closing Remarks**