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Re: Support to Applications in Oil & Gas Pipeline Construction for Mackenzie & Area.

The Mackenzie Chamber of Commerce is writing to express our strong support for pipeline construction in the oil & gas industry for Mackenzie and area. These projects, such as TransCanada's Prince Rupert Gas Transmission Line and Spectra Energy's Westcoast Connector Gas Transmission Line are in the best interest of our community.

The proposed lines will provide significant economic benefits for our region. At a time when local and provincial governments are struggling to balance their budgets, these employment and revenue benefits are critical to our region.

These projects will be an important contributor to the future prosperity of our area, province and country. To date, the open houses these companies have held in our community indicate they are taking great care that the proposed projects will cause minimal short term effects on people and the environment. We will continue to foster relationships with all involved, with the ultimate outcome being positive economic growth for Mackenzie and our residents.

Sincerely,

Peter McGaffin
President, Mackenzie Chamber of Commerce

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