#### **AGENDA**

### **Columbia Basin Regional Advisory Committee**

Meeting #7

October 13, 2016, 1:00pm – 5:30pm October 14, 2016, 8:00am – 12:15pm

Regent Hotel, 112 First Street East, Revelstoke, BC Selkirk Room

Dinner and Social Gathering October 13, 2016, 6:00pm – 9:00pm

112 Restaurant and Lounge - in the Regent Hotel

#### **Meeting Objectives**

At this meeting, we aim to:

- 1. Review feedback on the Mid-Arrow study and discuss next steps
- 2. Learn about, discuss and provide feedback to the Province on environmental interests for the Columbia River Treaty
- 3. Learn about Mica and Revelstoke Dam operations
- 4. Understand the current state of potential Columbia River Treaty negotiations with the US
- 5. Gain better understanding of the US Recommendations to the State Department
- 6. Receive an update from BC Hydro on Columbia Basin operations
- 7. Receive an update from the Local Governments' Committee on relevant activities
- 8. Review CBRAC Terms of Reference and prioritize information needs
- 9. Explore CBRAC's direction
- 10. Strengthen relationship between CBRAC members
- 11. Identify next steps for CBRAC and its Steering Committee

## Day 1 - Thursday, October 13

Time	Agenda Item	Details
9:30 – 11:30	Revelstoke Dam Tour	Meet at the top of Revelstoke Dam Visitor Centre access road
1:00 – 1:30	Check-in and Networking	Coffee and tea will be available
1:30 – 2:00	Welcome	Introductions Agenda + Meeting Objectives
2:00 – 2:10	Opening Remarks	Les MacLaren, Assistant Deputy Ministry, Electricity and Alternative Energy Division, Ministry of Energy and Mines
2:10 – 2:20	Local Governments' Committee Update	Deb Kozak, Chair, Local Governments' Committee Karen Hamling, Vice-Chair Local Governments' Committee
2:20 – 2:50	Virtual Tour of Mica and Revelstoke Dams	Jen Walker-Larsen, Stakeholder Engagement Advisor, Communications, BC Hydro
2:50 – 3:20	Mid-Arrow Study Update	Summary of feedback + Next Steps on the Mid-Arrow Study Kathy Eichenberger, Columbia River Review Team

3:20 – 3:30	Bio Break	Coffee, tea and snacks will be available
3:30 – 4:15	Columbia River Treaty Environment Discussion Paper	Presentation by Glen Hearns, PhD, Principal, Eco-Logical Resolutions Co-Director, Transboundary Water Initiative, University of British Columbia
4:15 – 5:15	Breakout Session	Feedback on Environmental Discussion Paper
5:15 – 5:30	Next Steps	
5:30	Adjourn	
6:00	Dinner Social	112 Restaurant and Lounge – in the Regent Hotel

# Day 2 – Friday, October 14

Time	Agenda Item	Details
8:00 -8:15	Check-in and Networking	Coffee and tea will be available
8:15 - 8:30	Welcome	Housekeeping Agenda for the day
8:30 – 9:15	CRT Update U.S. Recommendations to the State Department and	Presentation by Kathy Eichenberger, Columbia River Review Team
9:15 – 9:45	Hydro Operations Update	Presentation by Darren Sherbot, Manager, Operations Planning Generation Resource Management, BC Hydro
9:45 – 10:00	Bio Break	Coffee, tea and snacks will be available
10:00 - 10:15	CBRAC Terms of Reference	Update and discussion on CBRAC Terms of Reference Brooke McMurchy, Columbia River Treaty Review Team
10:15 – 11:00	Breakout Session	CBRAC Information Needs - Priorities and out of scope topics
11:00 – 11:30	Breakout Session	<ul><li>CBRAC's Direction</li><li>What is working, what is missing, what would you like done differently?</li></ul>
11:30 – 12:15	Wrap up	Meeting recap Comments from the room Vote on your top information needs
12:15	Adjourn + Lunch to go	Bagged lunches will be available