



May 2, 2020

Dear Respective Elected Councils:

We have received your (undated) Joint Statement Regarding the Wet'suwet'en Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) letter. We thank you for bringing forward concerns regarding the internal communications regarding the MOU and the proposed trilateral MOU signing on May 14th, 2020.

We would like to invite you to participate in a virtual meeting the week of May 4th to have further dialogue on the proposed MOU. We would like to continue building on the good work that took place in February 2020 with the community-based dialogue sessions that occurred before the COVID19 pandemic and public health crisis. We have had a number of clan meetings, across the territory, in Prince George and in Vancouver, and most recently, in virtual formats, to discuss the proposed MOU.

We would like to take some time to explore how we will work together, in our ancestral Wet'suwet'en homelands and communities.

In the spirit of working together,

Wet'suwet'en Hereditary Chiefs

Chief Hagwilnegh, Laksilyu Clan, **Ron Mitchell**

Chief Lay-oh, Gil_seyhu Clan, **James Namox**

Chief Knedebeas, Gil_seyhu Clan, **Warner William**

Chief Na'Moks, Tsayu Clan, **John Ridsdale**

Chief Wo'os, Gitdumden Clan, **Frank Alec**

Chief Madeek, Gitdumden Clan, **Jeff Brown**

Chief Gisday'wa, Gitdumden Clan, **Fred Tom**

Chief Kloum Khun, Laksamshu Clan, **Alphonse Gagnon**

Smogelgem, Laksamshu, **Warner Naziel**