



March 2, 2020



His Worship Don Darling
Mayor of Saint John
15 Market Square
P.O. Box 1971
Saint John, New Brunswick E2L 4L1

Re: Integrated Bilateral Agreement

Dear Mr. Mayor:

I want to thank you for your interest in the Integrated Bilateral Agreement (IBA) funding. The Regional Development Corporation had a strong response to the first call for *Expressions of Interest* (EOI) under the IBA, receiving 163 submissions for infrastructure projects.

All EOIs have been reviewed to ensure that they meet the required immediate outcomes of the IBA. Each project was evaluated by our multi-disciplinary team following a consistent and objective methodology.

Given limited budget capacity, it was determined that water and wastewater projects would receive priority at this time, with a focus on projects that had identified public health issues. Thus, we consulted the specialists in the Departments of Environment and Local Government and Health.

Following the evaluation, each project was included in one of four categories. Appendix A contains important information as well as the evaluation results for your submission(s) and an explanation of each category.

I do not anticipate another call for interest for funding this year, however, your EOI will be kept open for future consideration.

Should any details regarding your EOI change and you wish to bring it to the attention of the Regional Development Corporation, please contact us at (506) 453-2277.

I appreciate the work that has gone into preparing your EOI and wish you the best in the completion of your infrastructure project(s).

Sincerely,

Cade Libby
Acting President

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Lead #	Project Title	Description	Total Project Cost	Status
11971	Uptown/Central Peninsula Water/Wastewater project	Separation of combined sewers in the Uptown/Central Peninsula as there is high risk of failure of the aged combined sewer systems and the possible restriction on development in the key growth areas which in most cases date back well over 100 years with resulting impact and disruption to residential and business customers in the high density areas of the uptown core.	\$40,580,000	Pending – Priority Project
12023	Fundy Quay Infrastructure Development	Project will include enhanced seawall, community spaces, living spaces, casino, etc.	\$218,613,000	Pending

Successful

Project chosen for submission to Infrastructure Canada for approval. **Note that you must have a signed contribution agreement prior to incurring project costs.**

Pending – Priority Project

Project **not** chosen for funding under the IBA; however, has been identified as a project that meets the current funding focus area. Should additional funding become available, we will move to allocate the funding to other priority projects and you will be contacted by RDC staff.

Pending

Project **not** chosen for funding under the IBA and not identified as a project that meets the current funding focus area.

Ineligible

At this time, your EOI has **not** been chosen for funding under the IBA as the evaluation of your project has indicated that it does not meet the requirements of the Agreement.