



**ADDITIONAL AGENDA ITEM  
FOR THE MEETING HELD  
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 2022**

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New Business

Additional Agenda Item -  
Notice of Motion

Comment regarding Coastal GasLink  
Application to the B.C. Oil and Gas  
Commission to authorize the discharge of  
air emissions from six burn piles under  
the provisions of the *Environmental  
Management Act*

# NOTICE OF MOTION

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Date: 23 September 2022  
File No: 1.4.2.18  
To: Mayor and Council  
From: Councillor Gibson  
Re: **Comment regarding Coastal GasLink Application to the B.C. Oil and Gas Commission to authorize the discharge of air emissions from six burn piles under the provisions of the *Environmental Management Act***



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Moved by \_\_\_\_\_ Councillor Gibson

Seconded by \_\_\_\_\_

**Motion:**

*“THAT the District provide comment on the Coastal GasLink Application to the B.C. Oil and Gas Commission to authorize the discharge of air emissions from six burn piles under the provisions of the Environmental Management Act as follows:*

*The legislation governing open burning in British Columbia requires that every reasonable alternative for reducing, reusing or recycling debris be pursued to minimize the amount of debris to be open burned.*

*The applicant has not provided details of those reasonable efforts and should be required to do so. Efforts should include, at a minimum, all reasonable efforts to recycle the cardboard, and to provide scavenging permits to members of the public or local businesses willing to sign a waiver and follow a safety protocol for the clean wood. If re-use of the wood is not possible, then chipping, burying or composting the wood should be pursued prior to the issuance of a burning permit.”*

**Background:**

The attached Notice and map provides background on the Coastal GasLink application for burning “blasting boxes (cardboard boxes originating from blasting product) and clean (untreated) wood waste (unusable/damaged rig mats, skids, wooden bridge material, etc.) generated by the construction of Section 8 west along the project route.”

The volumes to be burnt are over 48,000 kg of cardboard and 5,000 large dimension planks of mainly Douglas Fir.

**ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION NOTICE**

Application for a(n) **Approval** Under the Provisions of the *Environmental Management Act*

We, Coastal GasLink Pipeline Ltd. (Coastal GasLink), 450 1 St SW, Calgary, AB T2P 5H1 have applied to the B.C. Oil and Gas Commission to authorize the discharge of air emissions from six burn piles. The proposed are to be operated to burn blasting boxes (cardboard boxes originating from blasting product) and clean (untreated) wood waste (unusable/damaged rig mats, skids, wooden bridge material, etc.) generated by the construction of Section 8 west along the project route.

The land upon which the burn piles will be situated, and the discharge will occur, is located within the regional district of Kitimat-Stikine from KP 613+550 to Shoofly 3 at KM 2.8. The burn piles will be in areas where burning can be executed in alignment with the open burning smoke control regulation within the Coastal GasLink Pipeline right-of-way. The potential discharge locations are subject to change dependent upon the volumes of waste in the piles and the potential presence of sensitive receptors.

<b>Burn Pile</b>	<b>KP Location</b>	<b>UTM</b>	<b>Lat./Long.</b>
<b>BP1</b>	KP 613+550	09U 564588 5989496	54.05N 128.01W
<b>BP2</b>	KP 616+700	09U 562167 5988368	54.04N 128.05W
<b>BP3</b>	KP 618+100	09U 561009 5987974	54.04N 128.07W
<b>BP4</b>	KP 619+800	09U 559327 5988212	54.04N 128.09W
<b>BP5</b>	KP 631+750	09U 549857 5991730	54.07N 128.24W
<b>BP6</b>	Shoofly 3 KM 2.8	09U 538849 5991124	54.07N 128.41W

The operating period for the burn piles will be 10 – 25 days total burning per pile, 24 hours of burning per day. Burning will occur in the 15-month permit authorization period (September 2022 – December 2023), in winter, outside of the fire season window as conditions allow. These central locations will be utilized on multiple occasions through the balance of the construction and clean-up operations, including final clean-up.

Members of the public can provide comments within 30 days from the date the notification is published to Coastal GasLink, with a copy to the Regional Manager, Environmental Protection at BC Oil and Gas Commission 6534 Airport Rd, Fort St. John, BC, V1J 4M6. The identity of any respondents and the contents of anything submitted in relation to this application will become part of the public record.

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