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Subject: Fw: BCFFF - Roberts Bank Terminal 2 Project

Hi folks,

Below is a message from the ORC regarding the expansion of Roberts Bank in the lower mainland. The clubs in region 2 may want to follow this one.

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From: Outdoor Recreation Council of BC [mailto:outdoorrec@orcbc.ca]

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Subject: Public Comment Period - Roberts Bank Terminal 2 Project

To ORC's Member Organizations

You could not ask for a better example of the extent to which the 2012 changes to the Environmental Assessment Act have weakened environmental protection in Canada. In this request for public comments the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency is <u>seriously</u> asking whether the public considers an environmental assessment will be necessary for the construction of three new container berths at Deltaport on Roberts Bank. Since this is likely to be one of the most massive construction projects in the Lower Mainland, with impacts on road and rail traffic, loss of farmland, fish and waterfowl habitat, noise and light pollution, it would seem to be a rather unnecessary question. Nevertheless it has to be answered, apparently, so it is to be hoped that the question will be responded to very firmly by the public and ourr members. Here is part of what has been asked.

September 23, 2013 - As part of the strengthened and modernized *Canadian Environmental Assessment Act*, 2012 (CEAA 2012) put in place to support the government's Responsible Resource Development Initiative, the Canadian Environmental Assessment Agency must decide whether a federal environmental assessment is required for the proposed Roberts Bank Terminal 2 Project located in British Columbia. To assist in making its decision, the Agency is seeking comments from the public on the project and its potential effects on the environment.

Written comments must be submitted by October 15, 2013

For further details please follow the link in the message below.

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