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To: All Municipalities/Local Service Districts (Baie Verte Area)
Re: Waste Management Committee Meeting
Date: March 4, 2014

As you are aware, the Provincial Solid Waste Management Strategy requires the closure of all unlined landfills in the province. As a follow-up to our meeting of February 18, 2014, in Springdale, a meeting is scheduled for 6:00pm, March 10 at the Community Center in Baie Verte. Given the potential impacts of this development on your community, it is requested that you send two councilors/LSD members to attend this meeting. Representatives from the Department of Municipal and Intergovernmental Affairs will be in attendance.

This regional committee will provide guidance in the development of a Request for Proposals to obtain a consultant to carry out a study of the requirements for the Baie Verte-Green Bay waste management system. It will also oversee the ultimate implementation of the consultant's recommendations. The study will investigate infrastructure needs, such as, transfer stations, waste recovery facilities and collection/transportation models, and will provide projected operational costs for the system as well as the governance structure for the Regional Service Board.

If you have any questions please feel free to call me at 729-5334.

We look forward to seeing you on March 10.



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