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Attn Steve Rhodes
Manager Intergovernmental Relations & Strategic Initiatives

Dear Mr. Rhodes,

Anmore Renewable Energy Project

I am writing to you as Project Coordinator on behalf of the Village of Anmore.

The Mayor and Council of the Village of Anmore would like to develop a renewable energy facility which will showcase how small communities can undertake and use renewable energy to make green Hydrogen.

Many experts feel that small-scale renewable distributed generation is the most sustainable way of electricity production. Other municipalities and small towns can benefit from the knowledge gained at the Anmore facility for both the renewable energy portion and green Hydrogen portion.

The Village of Anmore will form a foundation for the renewable energy project in order to delineate it from regular village business. The foundation will be called "Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation", or similar. The Council of the Village of Anmore will control the foundation. Council will choose the trustees, and they in turn, control the foundation.

The knowledge regarding the production and storing of Hydrogen is essential when considering generating power from renewables. The power output of any renewable energy source is not constant but varies with the amount of available water, sunlight or wind. Hydrogen can be used to smooth out this variability in output by generating electrical power when the creek is dry, or the sun is hidden or the wind is not blowing. Hydrogen in this case is used as the fuel for a modified internal combustion engine, which would turn an electric generator. Hydrogen also can be used for cooking and heating by burning it directly. Hydrogen is the primary fuel for all fuel cells. It is the intent of this proposed facility to initiate research into practical equipment and methods to make it possible for other towns and villages to embrace renewable energy sources and green Hydrogen. This will help them on their way to energy independence.

The renewable energy centre will consist of a building designed to accommodate research by the various Universities as well as other agencies such as BC Hydro's Powertech Labs. The building will be able to accommodate a class of school children so they can see how renewable energy is produced from water, sun and wind. The renewable energy will be used to make green Hydrogen along with powering the building. Any surplus renewable energy, can be used by the Village of Anmore for streetlights and public buildings.

**PARTIAL RELEASE OF IN-CAMERA COUNCIL MEETING
HELD ON SEPTEMBER 10TH, 2009**

At the In-Camera Council Meeting held on September 10th, 2009, the Council of the Village of Anmore adopted a resolution dissolving the "Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation".

At that Meeting, Mayor Hal Weinberg resigned his position as Chair of the Foundation and Councillors McEwen and Palmer-Isaak resigned as Trustees.

During this In-Camera Meeting, Council received a presentation from Mr. Guy Heywood, Renaissance Power Corporation. Mr. Heywood advised that the Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation effort is now concluded and the Foundation will have an outstanding payable balance of \$20,000.00 once all business transactions have been completed.

Council adopted a resolution requesting the assistance of James Moore, MP Port Moody – Westwood - Port Coquitlam to contact the Western Diversification on behalf of the Village of Anmore to request Western Diversification to assume any outstanding balances of the Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation.

From: Howard Carley [mailto:howard.carley@anmore.com]

Sent: Monday, September 14, 2009 12:26 PM

To: Barb Steele

Subject: Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation

Dear Ms. Steele

This email is to advise that the Chair and the other two Council appointees to the Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation resigned their seats on September 10, 2009 and that the terms of all the other members of the Foundation have expired.

Howard Carley

Michael Fisher

From: Hal Weinberg [hweinber@sfu.ca]
Sent: Friday, July 02, 2010 1:18 PM
To: Michael Fisher
Subject: Re: Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation

Hi Michael,

I really appreciate your looking into this and I hope it can be resolved since it has been a thorn in my side for some time.

When we meet I can show you the way the Foundation was formed and the role of the Council, and of course what happened that led to WD deciding they overpaid. Currently the Council has not appointed any members to the Foundation and all of the previous members terms were up, or they are no longer on Council.

If you are in Vancouver after the 12 we could get together for coffee up here at SFU, or somewhere convenient to you, and discuss the current status of the Foundation and its possible future. If I can make it to Victoria I will give you a call to see if you are around - I might combine it with a visit to UVic. I am currently on a board that is trying to harmonize research ethics in B.C., and UVic is involved.

Anyway, looking forward to meeting you and attempting to resolve this thing.

Cheers and all the best
Hal

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On Jul 2, 2010, at 08:11 , Michael Fisher wrote:

- > Hello Hal:
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- > Thank you very much for contacting me. We have a number of subjects
- > that I would be interested in chatting to you about that have nothing
- > to do with Anmore.
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- > I would certainly enjoy meeting with you, but in terms of the business
- > at hand with the Foundation, I think the most valuable thing is if you
- > could tell me who is on the Board of Trustees of the Foundation. To
- > date the Village is denying any knowledge of the Foundation so you are
- > currently our only "registered" contact as per the contract.
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- > My role in WD is to sort out situations that have gone sideways in the
- > most effective and fair manner. As such, the history of why the
- > overpayment appears to have happened is only really useful if it can
- > reasonably be construed that an overpayment did not happen. To date,

> the Foundation has declined to provide any information that would
> allow that assessment.
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> In any case, the history is past and we would like to move forward to
> resolve this. As I am in Victoria, I would be grateful, but not
> expecting you to make the journey down here. May I contact you after
> July 12 with a view to meeting in Vancouver. I have not visited SFU
> since 1966 so it is probably time for another visit...
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> Thanks again for the contact.
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> Michael Fisher
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> -----Original Message-----
> From: Hal Weinberg [mailto:hweinber@sfu.ca]
> Sent: Wednesday, June 30, 2010 9:48 PM
> To: Michael Fisher
> Subject: Anmore Renewable Energy Foundation
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> Hello Micahel,
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> I would be glad to meet with you but I just got your letter dated
> June 24th in the mail today on the 30th - and that was the last day
> you said you would be in Vancouver on the
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> I will be on the Island next week for about 5 days, leaving here
> Saturday morning, and we could meet there if necessary, though I
> will be about an hour north of Nanaimo. I will be back to
> Vancouver on the 12th (July).
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> I should say that I am no longer on the Board of the Foundation and
> I am no longer Mayor, but I would be glad to give you the history of
> why WD decided that they overpaid.
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> Let me know.
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