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Dear Chair Ross and directors:

I would like to thank you and your delegation for meeting with myself and the Ministry of Agriculture and Food's executive team during this year's Union of British Columbia Municipalities Annual Convention. I am pleased that our governments had the chance to connect in person.

During our meeting, we discussed the challenges your region faces regarding illegal dumping. The Ministry has convened a table recently and included representatives from the legitimate construction disposal industry. We will continue to work towards improvement, and we need industry to be part of the solution. As we make progress on this challenge, we will ensure Fraser Valley is informed.

Our team is happy to work with the Fraser Valley Regional District on finding ways to continue to support agriculture endeavors and farmers.

Thank you again for the meeting, and I look forward to working with you in the future.

Sincerely,

Honourable Lana Popham
Minister