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Dear Sir or Madam,

Our organization represents forty members from this area. The membership is made up of a variety of people, both First Nations and non First Nations, among them teachers, trappers, game guide and outfitters, biologists, geologists and business owners. We represent a good cross-section of the local population and are united in our concern for what may happen in a part of the Yukon that is particularly beautiful as well as being environmentally significant.

Of the many concerns that will likely be brought to your attention, we would like to recommend that there be a completion of land use planning BEFORE there are industrial development allocations in the Peel River watershed. It seems it may be premature to the extreme to be doing any sort of development in an area that provides so many opportunities for environmental studies. There is yet a great deal to learn and understand about the flora and fauna of the Yukon, for instance. Such knowledge is necessary for future planning that will conserve and protect an environment whose economic value is very likely to be of more value intact than it could prove to be if developed.

Thank you for your time and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,



Reiner Rembe, President  
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