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The Honorable Greg Rickford
Minister of Energy, Northern Development & Mines
300 McClellan Avenue
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December 5th, 2019

Dear Mr. Minister,

Re; Turtle Portage

Further to our letter of September 5th, 2019, we understand that, to date, no decision has been made with respect to the Marine Railway System on the Lake of the Woods, known as Turtle Portage. We have heard from the local Ministry of Natural Resources and Forestry Kenora District's office that they are still waiting for instructions from their Minister, the Honorable John Yakabuski.

As we explained to you in our September 5th letter, the Turtle Portage facility is an important asset to the area, one which we hope the Provincial Government will be able to continue to fund.

Yes, we understand this system may not be the direct responsibility of your Ministry, however as it is located within the area you represent, we trust you will take what ever steps you can to make sure it is improved and continues to support the boating community of the area.

Looking forward to hearing from you on this matter, and thanking you in advance for your anticipated support, we remain,

Yours truly,

District of Kenora Unincorporated Areas
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Jack McKenzie, President

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