

Hi Dan,

I have spoken to many of the residents at Jewel Lake and so far have found no one who is against fuel mitigation, though they are concerned about ensuring that after the treatment the forest still looks “natural”. I anticipate that the aesthetics of the forest after treatment is going to be one of the most important issues. I am the secretary of the Jewel Lake Environmental Protection Society and we will be discussing fuel mitigation at our AGM on August 11. After that meeting I expect to have a better sense of the concerns of the society.

All the best, Randy Trerise
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Sent: July 25, 2018 8:53 AM
Subject: RE: Jewel Lake Fire risk and fuel mitigation meeting - September 29

Sounds good, one of us will be happy to speak to the highlighted items below.

What might be helpful in the interim is to begin to gather informal input from the community and stakeholders. A lot of the options moving forward will depend on the level of community and/or local government involvement as well as tolerance for disruption if/when a treatment takes place in the Intermix Zone. I know this has already started but I really can't overstate the influence of local partnerships, social licence from the public and engagement with stakeholders in the Prevention portfolio these days. As such, a rough idea on the level of support would be very helpful in exploring points 3 & 5, even in preliminary stages.

Give me a call if you have any questions or want to discuss a point or two.



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Thanks Randy that is super. We should be able to put an agenda for discussion from the points Vicki and I have in the previous emails. Just need to nail down who will lead the discussion on each topic.

Agenda

1. Introduction and reason for the meeting: R. Trerise/Dan Macmaster

2. History of fires in the area, fuel loading and fire risk. - Wildfire BC to lead)
3. What can be done- Fire smart - techniques for Individual land owners and on a larger community basis - and larger perimeter treatments on adjacent crown land- WBCF could mitigate on a larger scale
 - . Wild Fire BC and WBCF
5. Treatments and funding
6. Formation of a Mitigation Plan- Dan Macmaster