

Fw: Fair Hydro Plan Echo - North Bay Hydro

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Good Morning:

See chain.

Also, I had a chat with LDC CEO Todd Wilcox this morning.

Minister Thibeault is in town later this month for a municipal conference and based on our standard operating procedure - we are pulling together an Ontario Fair Hydro Plan echo announcement with the concurrence of the LDC.

Anyway, we are contemplating folding into the event / announcement as a hook this whole story about their innovative, smart-grid "Community Energy Park".

Todd mentioned that it would be lovely if Minister could also come armed with confirmation of the \$1-Million in funding they have applied for from the IESO's Conservation Fund. Don't want to jam anyone here, but wondering if Agency could check into the status of this application / funding request, please?

Many thanks, in advance.

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Sent: Monday, April 24, 2017 1:31 PM
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Subject: FW: Fair Hydro Plan Echo - North Bay Hydro

FYI

From: Marie Coulombe [mailto:MCoulombe@northbayhydro.com]
Sent: April-24-17 1:30 PM
To: McGrath, Jessica (ENERGY)
Subject: RE: Fair Hydro Plan Echo - North Bay Hydro

Hi Jessica,

Please see the below from:

I haven't spoken with the Mayor or the Minister but I was wondering if it would be appropriate to announce the Community Energy Park project as well. As you know this is a state-of-the-art energy project that includes a new microgrid to serve our Memorial Gardens, Aquatic Centre, YMCA and Thompson Park together with solar PV generation, battery storage, Level3 electric vehicle charging with battery and inverter, cogeneration, district heating all controlled by a brand new piece of technology – a microgrid controller. This project is the largest undertaken in Ontario and will showcase to our community how to take control of energy costs, how to integrate new technology and engage them in a customer education process. This project represents the future of the sector. It would be great to have the Minister and Mayor announce this project.

Regards,

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From: McGrath, Jessica (ENERGY) [<mailto:Jessica.McGrath@ontario.ca>]
Sent: Sunday, April 23, 2017 3:56 PM
To: Marie Coulombe
Subject: Fair Hydro Plan Echo - North Bay Hydro

Hi Marie,

I hope you enjoyed your weekend.

As per our conversation on Friday, I am reaching out in regards to Minister Thibeault's visit to North Bay on May 12th.

Since the Fair Hydro Plan was announced on March 2nd we have been touring various communities across Ontario holding local media announcements on the Fair Hydro Plan ensuring rate payers are aware of the changes coming to their electricity bills this coming summer and how those changes will affect businesses and farms.

We have been partnering with the local LDC's to hold these announcements and include the Mayor and of course your president if they are willing. We find the announcements work best held in the control room with the distribution map as a backdrop but have used garages and trucks as a backdrop when the control room could not accommodate more than a few people. The announcement doesn't take more than 45 minutes from start to finish including a media scrum with minimal disruption for your team.

We have tentatively scheduled the announcement for 10am on Friday May 12th depending on your team's availability and interest.

Please don't hesitate to reach out if I have missed anything, I look forward to hearing from you regarding North Bay Hydro's participation in this announcement at your earliest convenience.

All the best,

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