Dear British Columbia Utilities Commission,

As a citizen of BC, I would like to go on record as being opposed to the development of the Site C Dam. I urge you to recommend that the Site C Dam be rejected. The project has serious financial and environmental problems, and runs counter to the goal of seeking reconciliation with Indigenous peoples. In addition, we will lose valuable agricultural land and simultaneously destroy the livelihoods of farm and ranch families who have been stewards of the Peace River for generations.

There are better alternatives that include building retrofits, greater energy efficiency, and investing in renewable energy. The BC NDP’s Power BC plan lays out how we can create more jobs and better value.

The Site C Dam is not in the public interest. Please recommend to the BC Government that this project be cancelled.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,
Karen Thomas