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Muneesh Sharma  
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Dear Muneesh Sharma:

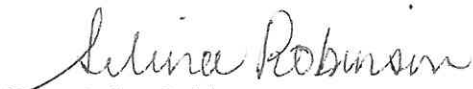
I am writing to thank you for the energy and ideas you generously brought to the Development Approvals Process Review (DAPR) consultation as a member of the Working Group. The working group and technical committee meetings were very respectful, productive and collaborative thanks to your interest and engagement. Your contributions have been invaluable, and we are committed to tackling the challenges and opportunities that you collectively identified.


Please find enclosed a copy of the final report, entitled, "Development Approvals Process Review: Final Report from a Province-Wide Stakeholder Consultation." The report summarizes the ideas we heard from you on addressing topics including application processes, development financing, public hearings and delegation of authority, amongst others. The report is also available online on the Ministry of Municipal Affairs and Housing's website at:  
[www.gov.bc.ca/localgov/development-approvals-process-review](http://www.gov.bc.ca/localgov/development-approvals-process-review).

Although the preliminary engagement phase of DAPR has concluded, there is still much more to do. As we commence work on next steps, I am excited to hear more about your experience and ideas on how to make development approvals processes more efficient and effective. I invite you to contact Ministry staff any time with ideas or questions about DAPR by email at: [DAPR@gov.bc.ca](mailto:DAPR@gov.bc.ca), and I look forward to continuing to work with you on the implementation phases of this work.

Government is committed to providing the housing all British Columbians need and the work of DAPR will help eliminate barriers and accelerate the construction of homes. Your support in this work has been crucial to the success of this initiative to date, and I look forward to our continued collaboration on the work ahead.

Sincerely,

  
Selina Robinson  
Minister

*Thanks for your input!*  


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