



Lesser Slave River

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Honourable Ric McIver
Minister of Transportation, Deputy House Leader
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Re: **HWY 88 IMPROVEMENTS**

Dear Minister McIver,

The MD of Lesser Slave River No. 124 wishes to affirm our position regarding the condition of Hwy 88. In its current state, we view this highway as not only dangerous and costly to users, but it is also a shameful representation of the value placed by the Ministry of Transportation, on our region's current and future contributions to Alberta's economic recovery, and its dependency on our highway system.

As a Council, we fully support the ongoing efforts made by Town of Slave Lake Council to lobby for much needed rehabilitation of Hwy 88 for the safety and betterment of all those who rely on this infrastructure, our industry partners, ratepayers, and visitors to the MD of Lesser Slave River region.

We look forward to hearing of a favorable outcome to your meeting with Mayor Warman following more detailed discussion on plans for future work.

Kind regards,

Murray Kerik
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Cc: Pat Rehn, MLA Lesser Slave Lake
Dan Williams, MLA Peace River
Tyler Warman, Mayor, Town of Slave Lake