

BC Hydro - Seton Bypass Project
Notification of Upcoming Drilling and Helicopter Work

November 7, 2024

Dear neighbour,

We wanted to let you know about some upcoming drilling work for the Seton Bypass Project. Due to the steep terrain, a helicopter will be needed to access the area. Two drill holes are planned at the start of the proposed bypass tunnel (tunnel portal) to determine the depth to bedrock. All materials and equipment will be longlined from the BC Hydro Boat Ramp. The following steps will be required to complete the drilling work:

- 1) Timber will be longlined into the site and a drill pad will be constructed on the slope.
- 2) Drill will be longlined onto the pad, assembled, and the first drill hole will be completed.
- 3) Drill will be longlined to the second location, assembled, and the second drill hole will be completed.
- 4) Drill will be longlined out of the site.

Dates of Work: November 13 to 23, 2024

Time: Helicopter work restricted to 8AM and 5PM; all work will be in accordance with District of Lillooet Noise Bylaws

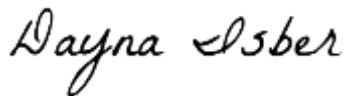
Area: BC Hydro Property located East of Roshard Road and South of the Seton Powerhouse

For your safety, please stay back at least 500 ft (150 m) back from the helicopter operations. Signage will be placed along Roshard Road and no stopping will be allowed in the area adjacent to the work (see map below). Brief closure of the road may be required when the helicopter is overhead, based on final flight permit requirements.

Foundex Explorations Ltd. will be the Prime Contractor for the work and Blackcomb Helicopters will be providing the helicopter services for the work.

For more information, please contact 1-866-647-3334 or projects@bchydro.com.

Thank you for your patience and understanding as we proceed with this essential work.



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Figure 1 – Map Showing Drilling Locations, Staging Area, and No Stopping Zone