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Sent: July 8, 2021 9:02 AM
To: Minnie deJong

**Cc:** Krystal Christopher; Adam Bureau

Subject: RE: Invitation to Attend a Meeting of Cobourg's Sustainability and Climate Emergency Advisory

Committee

Good morning Ms. de Jong,

Thank you for your email and the invitation. I would be happy to attend your meeting on September 1<sup>st</sup> at 2:00pm and share with you the various initiatives Lakefront is involved with as part of our Environmental, Social Governance initiative and how that fits in from both the electricity and water sectors into renewable energy, green house gas reduction, etc..

I've marked the date in my calendar, if you can please provide me the location of the meeting if meeting in person or send the Zoom invite if online, would be greatly appreciated.

Regards, Dereck

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From: Minnie deJong

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## Hello Mr. Paul:

This is an invitation from the Town of Cobourg's Sustainability and Climate Emergency Advisory Committee (SCEAC) to attend one of our regular meetings to talk about the role of Lakefront Utilities in helping to promote sustainability and reduce greenhouse gas emissions in Cobourg. As the provider of both electricity and water services in the Town, Lakefront Utilities has a unique perspective and capability to assist with this.

Some of the topics that we would like to explore with you are the role of Lakefront Utilities in:

- Supporting the installation of additional electric vehicle charging stations,
- Promoting renewable sources of electricity such as
  - solar panels on roofs
  - windmills
  - geothermal heat pumps
- Planning for storage of electricity generated from the above during low demand times
- Ensuring Cobourg's energy supply infrastructure is resilient to heat waves and other climate crisis
  effects
- Educating the public on measures they can take to protect themselves from heat waves; keep their house cooler. This could be included with utility bills.
- Promoting reduction in use of single use bottled water containers

We are also interested in knowing Lakefront's longer term energy demand plan including that from increased use of electric cars. What growth in energy demand does Lakefront anticipate over the next 10 years and what will be the source of the energy supply to meet this demand. Does Lakefront plan to have a downtown source of renewable energy; local sources of energy production. How is Lakefront ensuring sufficient back up during high energy use due to heat waves.

The committee meets on the first Wednesday of every month at 2:00 p.m. It would be great if you were able to attend our September 1, 2021 meeting. If that date doesn't work for you please let us know what date your prefer.

Thank you for considering our request and we hope to have the opportunity to meet with you.

Minnie de Jong Chair Sustainability and Climate Emergency Advisory Committee