



October 14, 2021

James Chester
Regional District of Central Okanagan
1450 KLO Road
Kelowna BC V1W 3Z4

Dear Mr. Chester:

I am pleased to inform you of the approval of funding for your organization's project "Protecting Central Okanagan Species at Risk Through Land Acquisition" at Goats Peak Regional Park. This funding has been approved for a total value of up to \$200,000, payable up until March 31, 2022.

Environment and Climate Change Canada seeks the highest level of environmental quality in order to enhance the well-being of Canadians. In this regard, one of our priorities is to advance conservation of biodiversity and sustainable development.

Please note that this offer of funding is conditional on the successful negotiation of the project details and the signature of a contribution agreement by your organization and Environment and Climate Change Canada. My officials will contact you to advise on the next steps and to work out the agreement details.

Specific administrative information associated with this contribution is enclosed.

I wish you every success in carrying out this important initiative for a healthy environment.

Sincerely,

Tara Shannon
Assistant Deputy Minister, Canadian Wildlife Service

Enclosure