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NEW ECO-DEPOT LOCATION COMING TO CACHE CREEK AREA

Kamloops, BC - February 6, 2020 - the Thompson-Nicola Regional District has taken the next steps to build a new Eco-Depot that will serve residents of Cache Creek, Ashcroft and the surrounding area. Following an extensive public consultation process that was undertaken in 2019, the TNRD has purchased property for the new Eco-Depot located on Campbell Hill Drive East (the location commonly known as the old chip reload plant).

The new Eco-Depot will replace the current transfer station and will offer new services in a safer location that's more easily accessible to the public. Construction is anticipated to begin this summer, with plans for the new facility to be open by the end of 2020.

"This project has been in the works since the TNRD took over operations of the (existing) transfer station in 2016 when the landfill closed. We've always planned on replacing the current facility with a full service Eco-Depot so we can provide the same recycling and disposal services to Cache Creek and Ashcroft area residents that we do in other communities. We're very excited to see this project moving forward" says Jamie Vieira, Manager of Environmental Services for the TNRD. "This location strikes a good balance

between providing a convenient location for residents of both communities and respecting the concerns of residents who opposed a new Eco-Depot being built in Boston Flats.”

An on-site recycling depot building will be staffed to assist customers. New services will include recycling options for electronics, paint, and used oil. The site will also include a weigh scale for more accurate and equitable disposal fees for waste destined for landfill.

For more information, contact Jamie Vieira, Manager of Environmental Services by phone at 250-377-8673 or email jvieira@tnrd.ca.

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Artist Rendering of New Eco-Depot



70 Mile House Eco-Depot



South Thompson Eco-Depot



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