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Mr. Patrick Nicol  
Chair  
Regional District of North Okanagan  
9848 Aberdeen Road  
Coldstream, BC V1B 2K9

Dear Chair Nicol:

Thank you for your letter of April 9, 2013, addressed to Honourable Bill Bennett, Minister of Community, Sport and Cultural Development, requesting funding for Silver Star sewer infrastructure. As Deputy Minister, I am pleased to respond on behalf of Minister Bennett.

On behalf of the Province of British Columbia, I am pleased to advise you that, under the *Local Government Grants Act*, an infrastructure planning grant has been approved for the following project:

Grant Description	Amount
Silver Star Sewer Assessment	\$20,000

Details of the terms and conditions attached to this grant will be dealt with in an agreement which will be forwarded to you by Ministry of Community, Sport and Cultural Development staff as soon as possible. This agreement must be signed and returned to the Ministry, indicating your acceptance of the terms and conditions.

The Province welcomes the opportunity to support regional districts in planning projects that encourage the improved delivery of core services in unincorporated areas.

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Thank you again for your letter.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Don Fast". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a large initial "D" and a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Don Fast  
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Ministry of Community, Sport and Cultural Development  
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pc: Honourable Bill Bennett  
Minister of Community, Sport and Cultural Development