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Attention: Ms. Sheila A. Murray, Chair of the Board  
Mr. Jonathan Price, Chief Executive Officer and Director

**RE: An Open Letter to Teck Shareholders from Elk Valley Mayors**

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I am writing to offer our support of Teck's proposed plan to separate into two world-class independent companies, Elk Valley Resources and Teck Metals. This separation will create two strong, sustainable companies, both committed to responsibly providing essential resources the world needs while providing important support for local communities.

Our communities have a long and shared history with Teck, a company that delivers substantial economic and social benefits for our residents, all while working hard to care for the environment. Their large employee base understands our shared priorities for the Elk Valley and is an important part of the fabric of our communities, in turn supporting small and medium-sized enterprises, non-profit organizations, and community events.

I have followed recent media reports and disagree with Glencore's attempt to interrupt Teck's own shareholder vote taking place on Wednesday, April 26. I agree with Teck that their proposed separation will generate significant value, which in turn ensures the ongoing support of our communities through Elk Valley Resources. I believe it is essential that these mining operations remains under Canadian control.

I am encouraging all shareholders to vote in favour of Teck's proposed separation on Wednesday, April 26, 2023.

Sincerely,

Mayor David Wilks  
District of Sparwood

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CC Hon. Minister Josie Osborne, Minister, Energy Mines and Low Carbon Innovation.  
Rebecca Sullivan, Director Indigenous and Government Affairs, Teck  
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