



MAYOR KEN SIM

September 19, 2025

The Honourable Mélanie Joly
Minister of Industry

BY EMAIL

Dear Minister Joly,

On behalf of the City of Vancouver, I am writing to express strong support for the proposed \$70 billion merger of Teck Resources and Anglo American. We are incredibly proud that the newly combined global critical minerals leader, Anglo Teck, has chosen Vancouver as the location of its global headquarters.

Vancouver has long been recognized as a hub for mining, critical minerals, and global resource innovation. This announcement reinforces our city's position as the preferred destination where global leaders want to invest, innovate, and grow. It is also a testament to the collaborative work over the last three years to ensure that Vancouver is an increasingly welcoming, competitive, and business-friendly environment.

Anglo Teck's decision to anchor its international operations here not only strengthens our city's longstanding legacy in mining and resource development but also signals confidence in Canada's role as a trusted partner in advancing secure, sustainable, and responsible global critical mineral supply chains.

We encourage the Government of Canada to support this merger and recognize the significant opportunity it represents: creating a world-leading company headquartered in Vancouver that will drive innovation, attract global investment, and support Canada's broader economic and geopolitical interests in the critical minerals sector.

Thank you for your leadership in advancing Canada's economic priorities. I look forward to working together to ensure Vancouver continues to thrive as a global centre of excellence for critical minerals and resource innovation.

Sincerely,

A blue ink handwritten signature, appearing to be "Ken Sim", written in a cursive style.

Ken Sim
Mayor | City of Vancouver

