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Natural Resources Conservation Board  
19th Floor, 250 5th Street SW  
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**Attention: William Kennedy, General Counsel  
Laura Friend, Manager, Board Reviews**

Dear Mr. Kennedy and Ms. Friend:

**Re: Alberta Transportation - Springbank Off-stream Reservoir Project  
(SR1) - NRCB Application No. 1701**

This letter is in response to Mr. Feltmate's letter of March 4, 2021, requesting an extension to file written submissions and evidence in advance of the hearing on behalf of the Blood Tribe/Kainai.

We are hopeful that we can resolve an outstanding matter with the Blood Tribe/Kainai and would consent to the requested extension on the basis that Alberta Transportation could file a response to that submission, should it be necessary, by 4:30 pm on Wednesday, March 17, 2021.

We appreciate the Board's consideration of these requests.

Yours truly,

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