

Dear Sirs/Madams

I grew up on Sea Island BC and spent many days exploring the shoreline of the North & Middle Arms of the Fraser River in the late 1950s and early 60s. My school friends and neighbourhood chums enjoyed fishing along the banks too.

When I reached the legal age to hunt I joined my older brothers duck hunting in the tidal marshes of Sturgeon Banks where allowed in season back then.
The Fraser River was our PLAYGROUND.

I want the same opportunity for my grandson and his grandchildren and ALL children to continue sport fishing on the lower Fraser River or if they choose, go into commercial fishing.

I am very concerned about the current state of the fishery in the lower Fraser River and the estuary. I implore you to please ensure that Vancouver Fraser Port Authority completes long-promised and prompt cleanup of existing degraded sites along the river and the estuary. This is an ISSUE of great importance to ALL CANADIANS

I received the following email from friend and commercial and sports fisher, Terry Slack of Vancouver BC. I support and completely agree with Terry's comments and concerns!

Thank you.

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