

# Provincial Agricultural Land Commission - Applicant Submission

**Application ID:** 69585

**Application Status:** In Progress

Applicant: 748924 BC LTD., INC.NO. 0748924

**Agent:** Associated Environmental

**Local Government:** Township of Langley

ALC Date of Receipt: 01/11/2024

Proposal Type: Transport, Utility, & Recreation

**Proposal:** As part of the Fraser Valley Highway 1 Corridor Improvement Program, the Ministry of Transportation and Infrastructure (MoTI) is widening Highway 1 between 216th Street and Whatcom Road to six lanes, in addition to introducing bus-on-shoulder and climbing lanes. This project will increase the capacity of the existing four-lane highway by widening the eastbound and westbound roadways and connecting interchanges, intersections, and ramps within the Highway 1 right-of-way (RoW). This widening will be achieved primarily by extending the existing roadways toward the existing open median, requiring limited widening outside the existing RoW. The overarching objective is to improve mobility, safety, and reliability of the mobility of people and goods along Highway 1.

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# **Agent Information**

**Agent :** Associated Environmental

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V1T 9P9 Canada

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#### **Parcel Information**

#### Parcel(s) Under Application

1. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier:** 026-633-094

Legal Description: LOT A SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN

BCP22709

Parcel Area: 1.3 ha

Civic Address: 5789 260 ST. **Date of Purchase:** 03/10/2021 **Farm Classification:** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: 748924 BC LTD., INC.NO. 0748924

Address: 5789 260 ST. Langley, BC V4W 1K9 Canada

**Phone:** (604) 837-0176

2. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 008-898-472

Legal Description: LOT 29 EXCEPT: PART ON PLAN 23059, SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW

**WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2577** 

Parcel Area: 1.2 ha

Civic Address: 5695 264 ST Date of Purchase: 08/02/2016 Farm Classification: Yes

**Owners** 

1. **Name:** David Alvin Thomas

Address:

5695 - 264th Street

Langley, BC V4W 1K7

Canada

**Phone**: (778) 823-5883

2. Name: Amanda Natasha Thomas

Address:

5695 - 264th Street

Langley, BC V4W 1K7 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 823-5883

3. Ownership Type: Fee Simple Parcel Identifier: 001-854-828

Legal Description: LOT 28 EXCEPT: PART ON STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23059

SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2577

Parcel Area: 1.9 ha

Civic Address: 26205 56 Ave Date of Purchase: 02/16/2015 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Pang Liang Chang

Address:

1288 Dunlop Avenue

Burnaby, BC V5B 3X1 Canada

**Phone**: (000) 000-0000

Email: chou\_amy@yahoo.com

2. Name: Shou Mei Chang

Address:

1288 Dunlop Avenue

Burnaby, BC V5B 3X1 Canada

**Phone**: (000) 000-0000

3. Name: James Hung Tsai Chou

Address:

5433 Collingwood Street

Vancouver, BC V6N 1S9

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Canada

**Phone:** (000) 000-0000

4. Name: Amy Huey Mei Huang Chou

Address:

5433 Collingwood Street

Vancouver, BC

V6N 1S9

Canada

**Phone**: (000) 000-0000

4. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier:** 012-817-431

Legal Description: LOT 27 EXCEPT: PART STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23059

SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2577

Parcel Area: 2 ha

Civic Address: 26257 56th Ave Date of Purchase: 04/18/2023 Farm Classification: Yes

**Owners** 

1. Name: Wind Farms LTD., BC0914367

Address:

26257 56TH Avenue

Langley, BC V4W 3M9 Canada

**Phone**: (236) 478-1246

 Ownership Type: Fee Simple Parcel Identifier: 012-817-406

Legal Description: LOT 25 SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

**PLAN 2577** 

Parcel Area: 2 ha

Civic Address: 264 Street
Date of Purchase: 12/18/2021
Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Charlie Yu-Lien Wu

Address:

5938 Fremlin Street

Vancouver, BC

V5Z 3W9

Canada

**Phone**: (778) 668-3434 2. **Name**: Yang-Lin Wu

Address:

5938 Fremlin Street Vancouver, BC V5Z 3W9

Canada

**Phone**: (778) 668-3434

6. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier:** 005-013-488

Legal Description: LOT 26 EXCEPT: PART STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23059

SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2577

Parcel Area: 2 ha

Civic Address: 26335 56 AVE Date of Purchase: 01/16/2017 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Darshan Singh Brar

Address:

3451 Bradner Road Abbotsford, BC V4X 1M9

Canada

**Phone:** (604) 897-4636

2. Name: Bhinder Pal Kaur Brar

Address:

3451 Bradner Road Abbotsford, BC V4X 1M9

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 897-4636

3. Name: Jimmy Jasbir Singh Brar

Address:

3451 Bradner Road Abbotsford, BC V4X 1M9

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 897-4636

4. Name: Ranbir Robby Singh Brar

Address:

3451 Bradner Road Abbotsford, BC V4X 1M9 Canada

**Phone**: (604) 897-4636

#### 7. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple

Parcel Identifier: 003-370-623

Legal Description: LOT 4 EXCEPT PART DEDICATED ROAD ON PLAN 86434; SECTION 7

TOWNSHIP 14 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2492

Parcel Area: 1.8 ha

Civic Address: 56th avenue between 264th and 268th street

**Date of Purchase:** 07/21/2022 **Farm Classification:** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: CONWEST (GLOUCESTER) GP LTD., INC.NO. BC1309525

Address:

401 - 1930 Pandora Street

Vancouver, BC V5L 0C7 Canada

**Phone**: (604) 900-8400

8. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier:** 000-444-545

**Legal Description :** PARCEL "C" (EXPLANATORY PLAN 12503) EXCEPT PART ON HIGHWAY PLAN 23059 NORTH EAST OUARTER SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW

WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

Parcel Area: 2.7 ha

Civic Address: 26220 - 56th Avenue, Langley

**Date of Purchase :** 09/30/2004 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: 0903475 B.C. LTD., INC.NO. BC0903475

**Address:** 

C/O 1180 - 625 Howe Street

Vancouver, BC V6C 2T6

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 533-6090

9. **Ownership Type:** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier:** 010-830-944

Legal Description: LOT 2 EXCEPT: PART ON HIGHWAY PLAN 23059; SECTION 1

TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 3089

Parcel Area: 4 ha

Civic Address: 5297 - 264th Street, Township of Langley

**Date of Purchase :** 08/03/2018 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Kuldeep Singh Thind

Address:

5297 264th Street Aldergrove, BC V4W 1K4

Canada

**Phone:** (604) 309-2559

**Email:** gsthind221@gmail.com 2. **Name:** Rajinder Kaur Thind

Address:

5297 264th Street Aldergrove, BC V4W 1K4

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 309-2559
3. **Name**: Kuldeep Bhullar

Address:

5297 264th Street Aldergrove, BC V4W 1K4

Canada

**Phone:** (604) 309-2559

10. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 010-830-928

Legal Description: LOT 1 SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN

3089

Parcel Area: 4 ha

Civic Address: 5235 264 ST Date of Purchase: 06/30/2016 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Naresh Sharma

Address:

12808 108 Avenue

Surrey, BC V3T 2H5 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 895-1966

2. Name: Janak Sharma

**Address:** 

12808 108 Avenue

Surrey, BC V3T 2H5 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 895-1966 3. **Name**: Harmesh Chand

Address:

12808 108 Avenue

Surrey, BC V3T 2H5 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 895-1966

11. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 006-783-040

Legal Description: LOT 3 SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN

33271

Parcel Area: 9 ha

Civic Address: 5181 - 264th St Langley

**Date of Purchase:** 02/07/2023

Farm Classification: Yes

**Owners** 

1. Name: Mal Singh Kondolay

Address: 5181 264 Street Langley, BC V4W 1K4 Canada

**Phone**: (604) 824-5500

12. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 012-747-408

Legal Description: LOT 6 EXCEPT: PART ON STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23336;

SECTION 6 TOWNSHIP 14 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2553

Parcel Area: 2 ha

Civic Address: 5296-264th langley bc

**Date of Purchase :** 02/01/2012 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Z & R Trucking & Construction Contracting CO. LTD., INC.No. A0026079

**Address:** 

23302 - 70A Ave Langley, BC V2Y 2H9 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 246-4443

13. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 001-868-403

Legal Description: LOT 5 EXCEPT: PART SUBDIVIDED BY PLAN 24044; SECTION 6

TOWNSHIP 14 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 2553

Parcel Area: 2 ha

Civic Address: 26543-52 nd ave Langley BC

**Date of Purchase :** 01/30/2023 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Jaswinder Kaur Kai

Address:

23302 - 70A Avenue

Langley, BC V2Y 2H9 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 246-4443

14. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 009-298-550

Legal Description: LOT "A" SECTION 6 TOWNSHIP 14 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

PLAN 24044

Parcel Area: 0.4 ha

Civic Address: 26431 52 AVE

**Date of Purchase :** 03/09/2018 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: WILL BORN & CO INC., ONC NO. BC0775523

Address: 26590 64 AVE Aldergrove, BC V4W 1P7 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 809-4777

15. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 000-658-618

Legal Description: LOT 1 SECTION 6 TOWNSHIP 14 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN

23510

Parcel Area: 0.4 ha

Civic Address: 5166 264 ST Date of Purchase: 03/20/1996 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: William Edward Bucholtz

Address:

27726 Fraser Highway

Abbotsford, BC

V4X 1M2

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 309-1050 **Email**: bucholtz@shaw.ca

16. **Ownership Type**: Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier**: 013-309-901

**Legal Description:** PART PARCEL "A" (REFERENCE PLAN 5193) SOUTH HALF OF THE SOUTH WEST QUARTER SECTION 5 TOWNSHIP 14 LYING SOUTH AND WEST OF THE TRANS-CANADA HIGHWAY SHOWN ON PLAN 23336 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

Parcel Area: 3.9 ha

Civic Address: 27245 48 AVE Date of Purchase: 07/04/2018 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Daryl Wayne Baron

Address:

27245 48th Avenue Aldergrove, BC V4W 1S1

Canada

**Phone**: (604) 454-7639

Email: wbaron100@gmail.com

17. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 013-343-718

**Legal Description:** WEST HALF OF THE NORTH EAST QUARTER SECTION 32 TOWNSHIP 13 EXCEPT: FIRSTLY: PART SHOWN AS HIGHWAY ON PLAN 23336 SECONDLY: THAT

PORTION LYING TO THE SOUTH WEST OF PART ON PLAN 23336 THIRDLY: PART

SUBDIVIDED BY PLAN 26677, NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

Parcel Area: 2.5 ha

Civic Address: 27694 TOWNSHIPLINE RD

**Date of Purchase :** 02/28/2022 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: Transcorp Holding INC., INC.NO. BC114663

**Address:** 

P.O Box 658, Station A

Abbotsford, BC

V2T 6Z8 Canada

**Phone**: (778) 548-8723

18. **Ownership Type**: Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier**: 010-831-363

Legal Description: LOT 5 SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINISTER DISTRICT PLAN

3089

Parcel Area: 0.4 ha Civic Address: 56 Ave

**Date of Purchase :** 12/18/1956 **Farm Classification :** No

**Owners** 

1. Name: CORPORATION OF THE TOWNSHIP OF LANGLEY

Address: 264 th Street

Township of Langley, BC

V2Y 3J1 Canada

**Phone**: (604) 533-6090

19. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 004-279-760

Legal Description: LOT 1 EXCEPT: PART STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23059,

SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT PLAN 8832

Parcel Area: 7.6 ha

Civic Address: 26148 56th Avenue Date of Purchase: 01/30/1995 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: The Crown in Right of British Columbia

**Address:** 

2889 E 12th Ave #500 Vancouver, BC

V5M 4T5 Canada

**Phone**: (000) 000-0000

20. **Ownership Type :** Fee Simple **Parcel Identifier :** 010-831-347

Legal Description: PARCEL A (REFERENCE PLAN 11916) LOT 3 EXCEPT: PART

STATUTORY RIGHT OF WAY PLAN 23059, SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 11 NEW WESTMINSTER

DISTRICT PLAN 3089 **Parcel Area:** 0.4 ha

Civic Address: 5317 264 ST Date of Purchase: 09/23/2021 Farm Classification: No

**Owners** 

1. Name: PAYLESS TRUCK & TRAILER REPAIR LTD

Address:

5317 264th Street Langley, BC V4W 1J7 Canada

**Phone**: (604) 836-2501

#### **Current Use of Parcels Under Application**

#### 1. Quantify and describe in detail all agriculture that currently takes place on the parcel(s).

Five of the 20 properties that are being submitted for acquisition or statutory right of way are currently used for agriculture production. Activities include grazing, hay, blueberries, cannabis (indoor) and a landscaping company.

# 2. Quantify and describe in detail all agricultural improvements made to the parcel(s).

Of the 20 properties, only two have evident improvements for agricultural production. This includes irrigation, drainage and fencing to their farm. Other agriculture improvements to all other properties include fencing and drainage.

#### 3. Quantify and describe all non-agricultural uses that currently take place on the parcel(s).

Fourteen properties included on the application have land uses of residential, commercial, industrial and undeveloped land.

#### **Adjacent Land Uses**

#### North

Land Use Type: Other

Specify Activity: Combination of road, residential, vacant and farmed

#### **East**

**Land Use Type:** Other

Specify Activity: Combination of road, residential, vacant and farmed

#### South

Land Use Type: Other

Specify Activity: Combination of road, residential, vacant and farmed

#### West

Land Use Type: Other

Specify Activity: Combination of road, residential, vacant and farmed

### **Proposal**

1. What is the purpose of the proposal? Include the length and average width of the proposed project.

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2. Specify any agricultural activities such as livestock operations, greenhouses or horticultural activities in proximity to the proposal. Please include the farm activity's location relative to the proposal.

The agricultural activities in proximity to the proposal are on the properties impacted directly by the Project. They include blueberry production, a landscaping company and a cannabis grow facility. Refer to the agrologist report and the property specific descriptions and land uses.

3. What steps will you take to reduce potential negative impacts on surrounding agricultural lands?

Refer to the agrologist's report for more detail about agriculture specific mitigation measures on the project. To guide the mitigations during construction, a construction environmental management plan (CEMP) will be developed by the design build team and reviewed by the MoTI team, including the Qualified Professional for this agricultural component (M. Piorecky, the authorized agent on this submission). At a minimum, the CEMP will incorporate plans pertaining to the following, which are relevant to agricultural land use:

Air quality and dust control
Clearing and grubbing
Construction and waste management
Environmental incident reporting
Environmental monitoring
Erosion and sediment control
Invasive plant management
Reclamation
Spill contingency

4. Could this proposal be accommodated on lands outside of the ALR? Include all alternative corridor alignment considerations. Alternate alignment maps can be uploaded in the Upload Attachments section.

No. Alternate alignments were reviewed and this option, including the wetland compensation areas in the footprint, has the biggest benefit to transportation and a low impact to ALR.

#### **5. Total area of corridor** 2.20 ha

6. All affected property owners with land in the ALR must be notified as required by Section 7 of the *Agricultural Land Reserve General Regulation*. Please attach the "Transportation, Utility, and Recreational Trail Use Proof of Serving Notice" in the "Upload Attachments" section. I confirm that all affected property owners with land in the ALR have been notified. *Yes* 

# **Applicant Attachments**

- Agent Agreement Associated Environmental
- Proposal Sketch 69585
- Notice of Affected Landowners 69585
- Certificate of Title 026-633-094
- Certificate of Title 008-898-472
- Certificate of Title 001-854-828
- Certificate of Title 012-817-431
- Certificate of Title 012-817-406
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#### **ALC Attachments**

None.

#### **Decisions**

None.