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Dear Board Commissioners of Newfoundland and Labrador's Public Utilities,

As preparations continue to be finalized for the upcoming public hearings, I would encourage the board to consider part of the hearings to take place in multiple locations throughout Labrador.

In my experiences with public consultations and public hearings, I found it much more worthwhile to have the sessions in or near the affected communities. This shows an open and transparent process is taking place and will also give the people living closest to the affected area, an opportunity to witness or hear first-hand what is taking place during the hearings.

I understand that this may cause some inconvenience for travel and scheduling, however I would like to remind the board, the General Rate Application made by NL Hydro is affecting the people of Labrador much more significantly than citizens of the island portion of the province.

Thank you for taking my request into consideration.

Sincerely,

Yvonne Jones, MP
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