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## Coal Policy Engagement Survey Now Available

*Share your thoughts on Alberta's approach to coal development*

The Government of Alberta (GOA) has announced the establishment of a Coal Policy Committee, an independent group to lead the coal policy engagement process. To ensure that the views of all Albertans are represented during the process, the GOA has created a [survey](#) to help inform Alberta's approach to the responsible development of coal resources. The deadline to complete the survey is **April 19, 2021**.

There are five members on the coal policy committee and they represent a range of perspectives on coal development:

- ◆ Ron Wallace (Chair), former permanent member of the National Energy Board
- ◆ Fred Bradley, former Minister of Environment under Premier Peter Lougheed and MLA for Pincher Creek-Crowsnest
- ◆ Natalie Charlton, Executive Director at Hinton and District Chamber of Commerce
- ◆ Bill Trafford, President of Livingstone Landowners' Group
- ◆ Eric North Peigan, member of Piikani Nation

The [coal policy engagement announcement](#) has further details on each committee member. The committee is expected to finish their final report, which will provide advice and recommendation to the Minister of Energy by **November 15, 2021**.

RMA staff will continue to update members on the coal policy engagement process through the Contact newsletter.

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