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Mr James Buisman, Director
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Dear Mr Buisman:

The enclosed report, "A Human Rights Assessment of Lincoln County's Proposed Herbicide Sprays on Seal Rock and Cross Streets," was commissioned by Concerned Citizens for Clean Air and prepared by Environment and Human Rights Advisory for the Lincoln County Public Works Department.

The Report provides the Department and CCCA a list of human rights norms of concern associated with the proposed herbicide application on Seal Rock and Cross Streets, finds some potential liabilities and describes practical measures the Department could take to mitigate those liabilities.

Information in this report may assist Lincoln County Public Works Department in its efforts to reduce the risk of abridging human rights norms.

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