

To The Clean Environment Commission (CEC),

RE: To the Proposed Keeyask Dam

I am a student attending Otter Nelson River School. I am currently in grade 11. I am really concerned with what this new dam would do to our future. I think this whole project is horrible, and it's a big waste of time. I know for a fact it won't help us because I've already experienced what a dam can do to a community. In the year of 2011, our roads were flooded and we've had to struggle with all the water on the roads and our vehicles. It has also ruined many ways of hunting and fishing for our people. The animals and species are endangered all because of these dams.

I think the only reason these dams are being made is because of money. There are ways to preserve energy in a clean and more environmental way. The world could be free and beautiful, but greed has poisoned men's souls. Why does Manitoba Hydro need the dams? I'd like to know, and I'm pretty sure many other people would like to know too. All it is doing is ruining our land.

I hope Manitoba Hydro is happy with what they will do to our future and the next generation after us, and the next generation after them. They will give them a life that no one would look forward to and they should really just stop building dams. I really think the amount of dams we have now is good enough, and if not, having no dams would be even better.

Sincerely,

A really concerned student