

**Nikki Bradshaw**

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**From:** Rick Allen  
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**To:** Nikki Bradshaw <nbradshaw@rdek.bc.ca>  
**Subject:** RE: Presentation

Good Day Ms Bradshaw,

I would like to appear before the Board or Committee on May 9, if possible to provide information about GREP

GREP is the acronym for the Grassland Rangeland Enhancement Program which is delivered by the Kootenay Livestock Association. Funding for this program is provided by Columbia Basin Trust. It focuses on providing funding support for range infrastructure on public land where Crown Grazing tenure exists. Range infrastructure includes fences, cattleguards, watering systems, refurbishing old grassland seedings, invasive species mitigation work and working with other users of the grasslands & rangelands for the benefit of all. Proponents can be almost anyone but it should be noted that work on private land or that is the obligation of any level of government is not eligible for GREP funds.

Rick Allen is the GREP Coordinator and will be the speaker on this subject.

No specific action is being requested of the Board but rather an opportunity for the Board to understand how GREP can work with the RDEK.

I will be attending in person and at this time intend to bring a PowerPoint presentation.

Thank you for your time.

**Rick Allen**  
Grassland and Rangeland Enhancement Program Coordinator

