

Hello everyone,

Thank-you for your interest in signing and collecting signatures for the petition written by the Climate Action Team at Hampton High School in New Brunswick. Please note that everyone who signs must be a resident in the province.

I have attached the petition. In New Brunswick, online signatures are not accepted in the Legislature, so if you are interested in adding your name and collecting signatures, you would have to print out the petition, collect signatures and then send the hard copy of the signatures to MLA Megan Mitton to the address below. She has indicated that she would like to receive all signatures by May 5th so the timeline is tight.

Megan Mitton
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Sackville, New Brunswick
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Please email me at laura.myers@nbed.nb.ca if you have any questions and thank-you for supporting the students of Hampton High School as they express their concerns to the political leaders of New Brunswick.

Laura Myers

PETITION TO THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NEW BRUNSWICK

TO THE HONOURABLE THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF NEW BRUNSWICK,
ASSEMBLED:

WHEREAS the government of New Brunswick has invested more than \$20 million in the development of Small Modular Nuclear Reactors (SMRs), and these reactors may require more than 10 years to begin to produce electricity;

WHEREAS the investment on SMRs will not help New Brunswick meet its 2030 climate action goals;

WHEREAS renewable energy such as solar, wind and hydro are demonstrated and affordable;

WHEREAS the NB Climate Action Plan Progress Report states that “the provincial government continues an on-going dialogue with First Nations representatives to develop a path forward in addressing priority action items as they relate to climate change”;

WHEREAS the proposed location of the SMRs is on the shared traditional and unceded territories of the Wolastoq and Peskotomuhkati Nations, currently without the consent of or in collaboration with the Wolastoq Grand Council;

THE PETITION OF THE UNDERSIGNED REQUESTS:

That the NB government respect the Wolastoq Grand Council resolution to immediately halt all public funding of Small Modular Nuclear Reactor development, and pivot to investments in energy efficiency, renewable energy, and energy storage technologies.

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