

We are grateful to the editor for the prompt acceptance of our revised submission. The only changes in this final document are the following

- 1) Added middle initials to the names of two co-authors (Krassovski and Callendar).
- 2) Changed the colour and style of the cyan regression line in Fig 2 (now it is dashed black) to make the figure colour-blind safe, as promised in the previous submission.
- 3) Updated the Data Availability section to reflect the Zenodo dataset and added the reference to the dataset in the reference list. Note: the datasets will be also stored within the Canadian Open Government Portal, but that repository does not provide DOIs.