

Attachment 4

Summary of Information Available to the Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (the Agency) about:

- a) The nature and extent of Weenusk First Nation's Aboriginal and Treaty rights;
- b) The potential impacts of the Project to the exercise of Weenusk First Nation's rights; and
- c) Other potential impacts of the Project on health, social, or economic conditions of Weenusk First Nation.

a) Summary of the information available to the Agency related to the nature and extent of Weenusk First Nation's Aboriginal and Treaty rights

- Members of Weenusk First Nation have rights that are recognized and affirmed under section 35 of the *Constitution Act*, 1982.
- Weenusk First Nation is a signatory to Treaty 9, which provides rights to hunting, trapping and fishing throughout the treaty area.
- Weenusk First Nation's reserve (Winisk No. 90) is about 140 kilometres north from the Project's western terminus.
- Weenusk First Nation is not affiliated with a Tribal Council, but is a member of Chiefs of Ontario and Nishnawbe Aski Nation.

b) Summary of the information available to the Agency on the potential impacts to the exercise of Weenusk First Nation's rights resulting from any change to the environment due to the Project are identified below

Potential impacts to physical and cultural heritage

- Potential changes to access, experience or abundance of lands and resources for teaching, spiritual, cultural or ceremonial purposes.

Potential impacts to the current use of lands and resources for traditional purposes

- Potential changes to access, experience or abundance of lands and resources used for fishing, hunting, trapping, and plant gathering.

Potential impacts to any structure, site, or thing that is of historical, archeological, paleontological, or architectural significance

- Potential changes to cultural heritage sites.

c) Summary of the information available to the Agency on any changes to the health, social, or economic conditions of Weenusk First Nation due to the Project

- Potential changes to social conditions or well-being.
- Potential changes to employment, income, and/or economic well-being.

FOR ACTION: If you have additional information about the potential impacts of the Project on Weenusk First Nation or on the exercise of rights of Weenusk First Nation, please provide this information to the Agency. Additional details about the nature and extent of potential impacts to Weenusk First Nation or the exercise of rights of Weenusk First Nation may refine our understanding of the potential impacts of the Project and allow the Agency to adjust its consultation approach, where necessary. The Agency requests that you provide any additional information by March 24, 2020.