

Collaborative Assessment of Impacts on Rights Part 1:

Approximate Locations of Exercise of Rights –

Purpose: The Impact Assessment Agency of Canada (the Agency) created this worksheet as a tool to support early discussions and understanding of your Aboriginal and/or treaty rights in relation to the proposed road projects either currently undergoing or expected to begin the federal impact assessment process: Marten Falls Community Access Road (MFCAR) Project and Northern Road Link (NRL) Project (the Projects). This worksheet is an evolving document and will be updated based on information provided by your community and the proponents throughout the impact assessment process for each project. For more information on the Agency's approach to the assessment of potential impacts on the exercise of Aboriginal and treaty rights, please see the Agency's interim Guidance: <https://www.canada.ca/en/impact-assessment-agency/services/policy-guidance/practitioners-guide-impact-assessment-act/interim-guidance-assessment-potential-impacts-rights-indigenous-peoples.html>.

The Agency invites you to review and validate the information that is currently available to the Agency regarding your Aboriginal and/or treaty rights, as summarized in the table below. Please provide any additional detail where you feel further clarification is required or where you feel the Agency's current understanding may be incorrect. Please add as many new rows to the table as necessary.

Where possible, and respecting confidentiality, the Agency also invites you to provide further information on the locations of each identified valued component (such as an aspect of the environmental, health, social, and economic conditions that may be important to your community). This additional detail will support the Agency's understanding of how your community may be impacted by the Projects. The Agency has provided a map that includes major project components and the surrounding areas to assist your community's identification of areas of importance. Please do not provide confidential information. If your community has any concern in sharing a specific location, an approximate location within a buffer zone will suffice.

Important Note: The Agency's intent is to work with your community collaboratively to understand the potential impacts of the Projects to your Aboriginal and/or treaty rights. If you do not agree with the approach taken in this document, or if you wish to propose an alternative methodology to supplement our collaborative assessment of impacts on rights process, the Agency will consider and incorporate your preferences to the greatest extent.

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	<i>Please specify the Project(s) that may impact the valued component</i>	<i>For each valued component (e.g. things that are important to your community), consider the right(s) practiced by your community that may be impacted by the specified Project(s)</i>	<i>Using the map, please provide the grid numbers of areas of importance. If confidentiality is a concern, please provide an approximate location within a buffer zone if you prefer</i>	<i>The information below is what we have previous heard from your community. Please provide any additional information you feel is necessary to support the Agency's understanding of how you practice your rights</i>	<i>The Agency has included questions for your consideration to support the Agency's understanding of your valued components and rights</i>
Ex	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WSR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL	<i>Hunting</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moose • • 	<i>Moose:</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Community members hunt Moose through grids #14178, 14368, 14367 • Known Moose mating area is adjacent to road at grids #13798, 13988. • Moose typically migrate to grids #14178, 13989, 14367 which is near a well-known community trail. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hunting moose is important for teaching and knowledge sharing with younger generations. • Potential noise disturbance may result in avoidance of the area and limit availability in preferred hunting locations. 	
1	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
2	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
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4	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
5	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
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9	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
10	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				
11	<input type="checkbox"/> MFCAR <input type="checkbox"/> NRL <input type="checkbox"/> WSR				

IMPORTANT NOTE: Any information submitted to the Agency to inform a project assessment process will be made publicly available, and may be posted online via the Canadian Impact Assessment Registry subject to certain exceptions related to privacy, security or confidentiality. The Agency's Submission Policy (<https://iaac.aeic.gc.ca/050/evaluations/participation/conditions>) describes what submitted information can be shared publicly, and what should remain private. For further information on how we protect your privacy, please refer to the Privacy Notice (<https://www.iaac-aeic.gc.ca/050/evaluations/protection?culture=en-CA>).

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natural justice. Should you wish to provide any comments or documents that contain confidential or sensitive information that should be protected from release to the public, please contact Heather Nelson at 416-200-9174 or at martenfalls@iaac-aeic.gc.ca **before** submitting the information. This will ensure that your submission is handled appropriately. Note, that the Agency will consult with you prior to disclosing Indigenous knowledge shared in confidence under an exception.