

Review Comment Table

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| Board: | GLWB |
| Review Item: | GNWT MACA - LUP Application for Drilling Monitoring Wells - Ft McPherson and Tsiigehtchic (G17X011) |
| File(s): | G17X011 |
| Proponent: | GNWT - MACA |
| Document(s): | LAP Application Form (644 kB) Appendix A (Maps) (6.1 MB) Appendix B (Waste Management Plan) (504 kB) Appendix C (Spill Contingency Plan) (2.3 MB) Appendices DEF (Engagement) (3.0 MB) Draft Land Use Permit G17X011 (1.0 MB) |
| Item For Review Distributed On: | |
| Reviewer Comments Due By: | Jan 19, 2018 |
| Proponent Responses Due By: | Jan 26, 2018 |
| Item Description: | <p>The Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT), Department of Municipal and Community Affairs (MACA) has submitted an application for a Type “A” Land Use Permit, for the purpose of groundwater monitoring well installation at Fort McPherson and Tsiigehtchic. The applicant requests a term of less than one year, with work to begin in early 2018. The Gwich’in Land and Water Board is considering this application, and appreciates any comments or recommendations from reviewers.</p> <p>Please note that a draft Permit has been developed. The purpose of this draft is to allow parties to comment on Board staff’s suggested conditions. These draft materials are not intended to limit in any way the scope of parties’ comments. The Board is not bound by the contents of the draft Permit and will make its decision at the close of the proceeding on the basis of all evidence filed by all parties.</p> |
| General Reviewer Information: | The Board encourages reviewers to submit questions and/or recommendations on the application and Draft Land Use Permit through the Online Review System, no later than Friday January 19, 2018. Note that all documents that have been uploaded to this review are also available on our public registry. If you have questions or require assistance with the ORS, please contact Board staff identified below. |

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Comment Summary

| GNWT - ENR: Central Email GNWT | | | | |
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| ID | Topic | Reviewer Comment/Recommendation | Proponent Response | Board Staff Response |
| 1 | General File | Comment (doc) ENR Letter - No Comments or Recommendations at this time Recommendation | | |
| GTC Department of Cultural Heritage : Sharon Snowshoe | | | | |
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| 1 | GTC DCH Comments | Comment (doc) We have reviewed the above application, and have the following issues or concerns. The OCH requests that if the noise, dust, traffic, or other disturbances associated with the drilling will possibly affect or be of concern to the communities, the development should not happen during times when the disturbances would be inappropriate (for example , during events, funerals, etc.). To ensure there are no conflicts, the drillers should check with the Band Office beforehand. In addition, as the ground surfaces will be disturbed, there is a chance for archaeological materials to be inadvertently disturbed as well. The OCH requests that a monitor who is familiar with archaeological remains check the backdirt piles to identify archaeological artifacts, after the drilling is completed. Recommendation As with any application, if archaeological or heritage | Jan 25: MACA and Dillon have been in contact with the communities and will continue to be in contact throughout the project to ensure that the fieldwork schedule takes into account any community activities or events that may be affected by the work. MACA is currently in contact with the PWNHC to determine the proper procedures for archaeological monitoring in this situation and will coordinate with the GTC OCH as needed. All personnel will comply with legal requirements in the event that any archaeological or heritage materials are encountered. | |

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| | | materials are encountered during the development within the Gwich'in Settlement Area, all work must cease immediately as required by law, and the DCH and the Prince of Wales Northern Heritage Centre in Yellowknife; must then be contacted. | | |
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