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Dear Ms. Lee:

**Land Use Permit Application – Incomplete
Mineral Exploration - Glowworm Lake Area**

The Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board (MVLWB or the Board) received your Application dated May 12, 2017 for a Land Use Permit on May 12, 2017. Your Application has been reviewed and found to be lacking sufficient information to conduct a preliminary screening as per paragraph 22(1)(a) of the Mackenzie Valley Land Use Regulations (MVLUR). In order for this Application to be considered complete and forwarded for review, the following information must be submitted to our office:

1. Reference to Permit MV2012C0009 is inconsistent with the location of the property, please clarify.
2. Additional information is need regarding the bulk sample, for example
 - a. Size of sample;
 - b. How will the sample be removed from site; and
 - c. Additional equipment needed.

Please provide all relevant information including but not limited to the above points.

3. A summary of any proposed camps, including a map or drawing of its layout.
4. Identify the fluids needed for drilling and methods of disposal of the drill cuttings.
5. If there is only the possibility of a temporary camp, will there be a need for an incinerator? Please provide clarification.
6. A Waste Management Plan. The guideline for a Waste Management Plan can be found on our website at:
[MVLWB's Guidelines for Developing a Waste Management Plan](#)

7. A Spill Contingency Plan. The guideline for a Spill Contingency Plan can be found on our website at:
<http://www.ainc-inac.gc.ca/ai/scr/nt/ntr/pubs/SCP-eng.asp>
8. An Engagement Plan, including an Engagement Log, which includes copies of all correspondence and minutes of all meetings held between yourselves and communities and Aboriginal groups and First Nations organizations.

Additional information can be found on our website: [Engagement Guidelines for Applicants and Holders of Water Licences and Land Use Permits](#);

9. In the Engagement Log it identifies that various organizations requested additional information and/or a meeting. Is there additional information to include in the Engagement Log?
10. A summary of plans for closure, reclamation, and restoration relating to the trenching/bulk sampling.
11. A breakdown by water source, any amounts of water to be used for the proposed camp and any other proposed activities.
12. Board staff encourage you to use the attached worksheet to calculate and provide a closure and reclamation cost estimate for the activities described in your application.

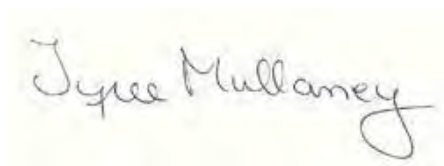
Board staff would like to extend an offer to you to further discuss the information requirements at your convenience.

Upon receipt of this information, the Application will be reviewed in accordance with the *Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act*. For further assistance, please refer to "Guide To Completing Land Use Permit Applications to the Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board" available on our website at www.mvlwb.com under "Apply for Permit/Licence" and "Forms and Guides".

If this supplementary information is not provided within ninety (90) days, then it shall be assumed that you do not wish to continue with the processing of this Application, and the Application will be returned to you as per Section 25 of the MVLUR. Any land use fees that have been paid with submission of the Application will be refunded to you by the Department of Aboriginal Affairs and Northern Development Canada.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact me at (867) 766-7464 or email tyree@mvlwb.com.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Tyree Mullaney". The signature is written in black ink on a light yellow rectangular background.

Tyree Mullaney
Regulatory Specialist

Attached: Security worksheet template