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**Subject:** RE: Invitation to Submit Recommendations for New Type A Land Use Permit  
**Date:** Friday, October 27, 2023 2:42:58 PM  
**Importance:** High

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Good afternoon Tyree Mullaney,

West Point First Nation have been advised to reach out to your office regarding the November 2, 2023, response deadline to provide formal written response to the GNWTs proposed Fort Providence / Kakisa Transmission Line Project.

As your office is aware West Point First Nation has been evacuated twice this year due to forest fire activities and is still dealing with post evacuation issues. West Point First Nation objects to having a short response timeline to respond to this notification as West Point First Nation will need additional time to continue to review the documentation related to this project and provide a proper response.

If you have any questions, please reply to this email or call West Point First Nation at (867) 974-6677.

Thank You | Mahsi

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**Subject:** Invitation to Submit Recommendations for New Type A Land Use Permit

## Invitation to submit recommendations for New Type A Land Use Permit

**Mackenzie Valley Land and Water Board**

**Project Name:** Transmission Line

**Proponent Name:** GNWT-INF (Infrastructure)

**File Number:** MV2023X0029

**Item Description**

Government of the Northwest Territories – Department of Infrastructure (the

Applicant) has submitted a complete application for a type A land use permit (permit). The purpose of this Application is for the construction of a transmission line which will connect the Taltson Hydroelectric grid from Hay River to Enterprise and then along to Kakisa and Dory Point ending outside of Fort Providence.

Using the Online Review System (ORS), reviewers are invited to submit comments and recommendations on the documents linked below by the review comment deadline specified. Reviewers may also wish to consider providing an overarching recommendation regarding whether the Board should approve the Application, to provide context for the comments and recommendations and assist the Board with its decision. If reviewers seek clarification on the Application, they are encouraged to correspond directly with the Applicant prior to submitting comments and recommendations.

Preliminary Screening (Part 5 of the MVRMA): Under the Preliminary Screening Requirement Regulations, the Board must conduct a preliminary screening for a proposed development, unless it is exempt from preliminary screening in accordance with the Exemption List Regulations. Reviewers are encouraged to provide comments and recommendations (e.g., on impacts and mitigation measures) to assist with the Board's preliminary screening determination.

As required under subsection 124(1), the distribution of this Item for Review also serves as notice to the Review Board.

Draft Permit: A draft Permit has been developed by Board staff, using the current LWB Standard Land Use Permit Conditions Template, to allow reviewers and the Applicant to comment on possible conditions. These draft materials are not intended to limit in any way the scope of reviewers' 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 the evidence and arguments filed by all Parties.

Wildlife and Wildlife Habitat: Please be advised that comments made by reviewers regarding impacts of this project to wildlife and wildlife habitat in this preliminary screening will inform the GNWT Minister of Environment and Climate Change's determination regarding whether a Wildlife Management and Monitoring Plan will be required for this Project as per section 95 of the Wildlife Act.

All documents that have been uploaded to this review are also available on our public Registry. If you have any questions or comments about the ORS or this review, please contact Board staff identified below.

**Review Comments Due**

November 2, 2023

**Proponent Responses Due**

November 8, 2023

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