



**SAHTU Land & Water Board**  
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December 5, 2017

Ms. Melissa Fraser  
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Our File: S17L8-003 & S17X-004

Your File:

Dear Ms. Fraser,

**RE: Issuance of Type B Water Licence S17L8-003  
Issuance of Type A Land Use Permit S17X-004  
Miscellaneous Use - Landfarm and Monitoring Well Installation – Norman Wells Airport**

Attached is Type A Land Use Permit (Permit) S17L3-003 granted by the Sahtu Land and Water Board (SLWB or the Board) in accordance with the Mackenzie Valley Resource Management Act (MVRMA). This Permit has been approved for a period of 5 (five) years commencing December 5, 2017 and expiring December 4, 2022.

Also attached is Type B Water Licence (Licence) S17L8-003 granted by the Board in accordance with the MVRMA and Waters Act. This Licence has been approved for a period of 5 (five) years commencing December 5, 2017 and expiring December 4, 2022. A copy of the General Procedures for the Administration of Licences in the Northwest Territories. The MVLWB requests that you review these and address any questions to the Board's office.

Please read all conditions carefully. For the purpose of submitting plans in accordance with these authorizations, the date of this letter, December 5, 2017, is the date of commencement.

#### **Management Plans**

The Board requires immediate submission of an **Engagement Plan and Record**; which considers the "life of project" and meets the basic requirements of the Board's [Engagement Guidelines for Applicants and Holders of Water Licences and Land Use Permits](#) (2014) for approval by **February 5, 2018**.

The Board does approve the **Spill Contingency Plan** or **Waste Management Plan** and requires revision to these plans; which meet the basic requirements of the related Guidelines, and considers the scope of activities related to the hydrocarbon contaminated soil treatment facility (Landfarm) to be submitted to the Board for **approval by February 5, 2018**.

The Board requires submission of a **Closure and Reclamation Plan** in accordance with Part I, condition 1, of Water Licence S17L8-003 for Board approval by March 5, 2018. For further clarification, Annex B of S17L8-003 has a Concordance Table of all items requiring submission.

A copy of this Licence has been filed on the Public Registry at the office of the SLWB. Please be advised that this letter, all Inspection Reports, and correspondence related thereto is part of the Public Registry and is intended to keep all interested parties informed of the manner in which the Licence's requirements are being met. All Public Registry material will be considered if an amendment to the Licence is requested.

Your full cooperation is anticipated and appreciated. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact Sabrina Sturman at (867) 598-2413 ex 224 or email at [sabrina.sturman@slwb.com](mailto:sabrina.sturman@slwb.com).

Yours sincerely,

**Sahtu Land and Water Board**



**Larry Wallace**  
Chair

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**Attachments:**

Water Licence S17L8-003 Cover Page and Conditions  
Land Use Permit S17X-004 Cover Page and Conditions  
Board Reasons for Decision