



17 June 2015

Mr. Scott Paszkiewicz  
Executive Director  
Sahtu Land Use Planning Board  
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Dear Mr. Paszkiewicz:

**RE: SLUPB Background Report – Amending the Sahtu Land Use Plan following the creation of the Naats’ihch’oh National Park Reserve**

The Government of the Northwest Territories (GNWT) is pleased to see the SLUPB has commenced the process to amend the Sahtu Land Use Plan following the creation of the Naats’ihch’oh National Park Reserve. Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the Sahtu Land Use Planning Board’s (SLUPB) Background Report to the amendment process.

The Department of Lands has completed a coordinated GNWT review of the Background Report. Please find attached the GNWT’s comments in Appendix A.

Should you or Sahtu Land Use Planning Board staff have further questions, please feel free to contact Paulina Csicsai, A/Manager Land Use Planning Unit ([Paulina\\_Csicsai@gov.nt.ca](mailto:Paulina_Csicsai@gov.nt.ca) or 867.765.6632).

Sincerely,

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