



4923-52nd Street, P.O. Box 1500
Yellowknife, NT X1A 2R3

September 1, 2017

Ms. Sabrina Sturman
Regulatory Specialist
Sahtu Land and Water Board
P. O. Box 1, Fort Good Hope, NT X0E 0H0

Re: Submission Extension Request: Water Quality Monitoring Plan – S17L8-002

Dear Ms. Sturman,

Thank you for taking the time to meet with us this month to discuss the Water Quality Monitoring Plan as required by the new water licence for the Great Bear Lake Sites Remediation Project. Indigenous and Northern Affairs Canada (INAC) – Contaminants and Remediation Division (CARD) is requesting an extension for the submission of the Great Bear Lake Site Remediation Project Water Quality Monitoring Plan as outlined in the new water licence, as the requirements are more robust than the previous water licence required. INAC would like to request the following approach:

- Submit a memo by Sept 11, 2017, outlining the requirements for monitoring for 2017 and 2018 which includes:
 - Sampling locations
 - Sampling parameters
 - Sampling methodology
 - Section on reporting requirements
- Submit a Water Quality Monitoring Plan by May 31, 2018, to fulfill the condition of the water licence that includes pre-remediation, Construction and post-Construction monitoring and meets the requirements of Schedule 2 Part D Section 3 of the licence.

If you have any questions or concerns, please contact myself at (867) 669-2461 or Candace.DeCoste@aandc-aadnc.gc.ca.

Sincerely,

C. DeCoste

Candace DeCoste
Project Manager, INAC-CARD

cc: Carey Ogilvie, Senior Manager - INAC-CARD