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November 21, 2024

Dear Mr. Heron,

Subject: DDMI Operational Notification Re: Construction of Airport Emergency Vehicle Storage Building

Diavik Diamond Mine (2012) Inc. (DDMI) wishes to notify you of its intention to construct a steel frame quonset at the airport (Figure 1). The quonset will house Diavik's new Aircraft Rescue and Fire Fighting (ARFF) airport emergency response fire truck. The ARFF must be located at the airport to successfully meet aviation emergency response times.

The quonset is approximately 20 ft wide x 30 ft long x 21 ft high and will be constructed over existing ground, on a wood foundation, and construction will take approximately 2-3 weeks. Fuel storage is not required as it will be heated with electrical power.

DDMI notes that this work does not trigger an update to Diavik's management plans approved by the Wek' èezhì Land and Water Board.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned or Kyla Gray (kyla.gray@riotinto.com) should you have any questions related to this Operational Notification.

Yours sincerely,

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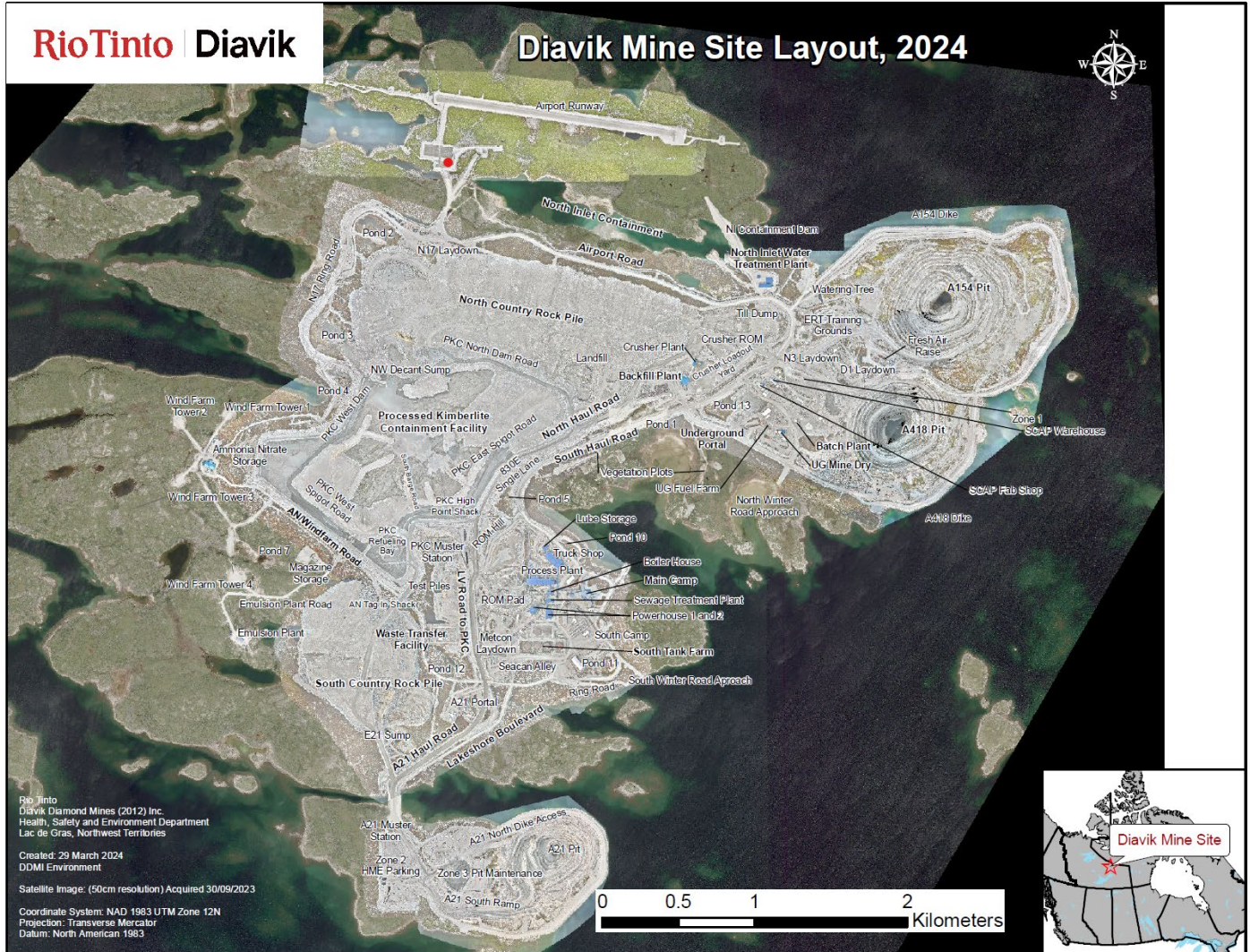


Figure 1 Location of storage building at the Diavik airport (red dot).