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CANADIAN WILDLIFE SERVICE – NORTHERN REGION

APPLICATION FOR A NATIONAL WILDLIFE AREA PERMIT OR A MIGRATORY BIRD SANCTUARY PERMIT

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IMPORTANT: Please consult the document “**Instruction Sheet: Applying for a National Wildlife Area Permit or Migratory Bird Sanctuary Permit in Nunavut, Northwest Territories, or Yukon**” when filling out this application. Incomplete, illegible, or unsigned application forms will be returned and will result in a delay in the review of a permit application. If a section is not applicable, please write or select N/A. Attach additional pages if necessary.

PART 1: APPLICANT INFORMATION

SECTION 1.1: Permit Request Information

1.1.1 Type of request

- ☒ New project/activity
☐ Continuing project/activity for which a permit has expired
Expired NWA and/or MBS Permit number(s):
☐ Amendment to an existing permit
Existing NWA and/or MBS Permit number(s):
☐ Extension (contact CWS office prior to filling out application)
Existing NWA and/or MBS Permit number(s):

1.1.2 Type of permit

- ☐ National Wildlife Area Permit
☒ Migratory Bird Sanctuary Permit

1.1.3 Territory

- ☐ Northwest Territories
☒ Nunavut
☐ Yukon

1.1.4 Period of Permit Requested

- ☒ 1 year
☐ 2 year
☐ 3 year
☐ N/A (amendment)

SECTION 1.2: Applicant contact information

Applicant surname:

Riley

Applicant given name:

Adam

Position/title:

NA

Name of the organization that the applicant is from :

NA

Authorized secondary contact:

Matthew Clarke

Mailing address of applicant

Street or P.O. Box:

16178 Apple Lane

City: Fayetteville	Province/Territory, Country: Arkansas, USA	Postal Code: 72704
Telephone: 4798562084	Email: adamgeorgeriley@gmail.com	Fax:
Mailing address of organization (if different from above)		
Street or P.O. Box: NA		
City:	Province/Territory, Country:	Postal Code:

PART 2: PROJECT SCOPE AND DESCRIPTION

SECTION 2.1: Project Information

2.1.1 Project title

Over the Top: Northwest Passage Expedition

2.1.2 Project duration (anticipated)

Start (yyyy/mm/dd): 07/01/2023

End (yyyy/mm/dd): 09/30/2023

2.1.3 Project description

Boat journey from Tuktoyaktuk, NT to Pond Inlet, NU (documentary film)

2.1.4 Methods

3-month duration. traveling with two, 19' rowboats. Approx. 1-2 weeks along the southern coast of Bylot Island. 2 people. Primitive camping with a tent. All impact will be minimized by packing out all waste and leaving sites as we found them.

2.1.5 Activities within the protected area related to project proposal:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Scientific research | <input type="checkbox"/> Ground surveys | <input type="checkbox"/> Storage of fuel |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tourism, non-commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Aerial surveys | <input type="checkbox"/> Camp construction |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tourism, commercial | <input type="checkbox"/> Winter road | <input type="checkbox"/> Use of firearms |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Use of boats | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial harvest | <input type="checkbox"/> Use of explosives |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use of aircraft | <input type="checkbox"/> Cruise ship | <input type="checkbox"/> Seismic exploration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Use of off-road vehicles | <input type="checkbox"/> Drilling activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Mining activities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Specimen collection | <input type="checkbox"/> Research equipment installation | <input type="checkbox"/> Other (please specify): |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agricultural activities | | |

2.1.6 Are you applying to take, kill, capture or disturb migratory birds, their parts, nests or eggs?

☒ No ☐ Yes

If yes, you also have to complete and submit an *Application for a Migratory Bird Scientific Permit*. Refer to the Instruction Sheet for further information.

SECTION 2.2: Project Location and Duration

2.2.1 Protected areas visited

Protected Area Name	Geographic Coordinates	Proposed Visitation Dates (start date - end date)
Bylot Island MBS	73°13' N, 78°34' W	Approximately 9/01-9/15/2023

2.2.2. Status of land
☒ Federal Crown
☐ Territorial Crown
☒ Inuit Owned Lands
☐ Other Indigenous Private Lands

RIA/Indigenous Organization authorization attached?
☐ No ☒ Yes ☐ N/A
 If required but not attached, please provide an explanation.

SECTION 2.3: Operational and Environmental Considerations

2.3.1 Environmental impacts and mitigation measures
 The impact to the land will be minimal. Campsites will be returned to their original state, all trash will be packed out or burned. Human waste will be disposed of appropriately. The boats themselves are human-powered and are noiseless, without the possibility of fuel spillage. A safe distance will be kept from all wildlife to avoid disturbance.

2.3.2 Will you be storing fuel in the NWA or MBS?
☒ No ☐ Yes
Details on fuel storage:

2.3.3 List of equipment to be used

Equipment	Size/Amount	Proposed Use
NA		

2.3.4 Waste Disposal

Type of Waste	Approximate amount produced	Proposed Disposal Method
human waste	two people	Buried at 6-8 inches and paper burned
Food waste	two people	Burned or packed out

2.3.5 Do you plan to carry firearms? <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes Explanation: One 12 GA shotgun for bear protection. The shotgun will be carried in accordance with local regulations and all permits will be acquired from Parks Canada prior to the expedition launch.		
SECTION 2.4: Potential Adverse Effects on Wildlife		
2.4.1 Species at risk <div style="text-align: center;">None</div>		
2.4.2 Disturbance and/or potential adverse effects on wildlife <div style="text-align: center;">None</div>		
2.4.3 Mitigation measures and risk management		
2.4.4 Measures to avoid encounters with dangerous wildlife Proper storage of food. We will be sleeping on the boats in areas of high bear activity. When camping, we have a perimeter bear fence as a deterrent.		
SECTION 2.5: Nominees		
List individuals covered by the application to be included as permit nominees (individuals who will carry out the activities authorized under the permit).		
Name	Organization	Position/Title
Adam Riley	NA	NA
Matthew Clarke	NA	NA

PART 3: CONSULTATION AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Representative name: Tannis Bolt
Name of group represented: Kitikmeot Inuit Association
Address:
Phone/Fax: 867-982-3310 ext 225
How contacted, and date: Email. Jan. 30th, 2023
Response received? ☒ Yes ☐ No (If yes, attach response letter or email)
Participating? ☐ Yes ☒ No
If yes, how?

List relevant attachments (please include all mailed out consultation packages and responses):

Representative name: **Catriona Popoff**

Name of group represented: **Qikiqtani Inuit Association**

Address:

Phone/Fax: **1.800.667.2742**

How contacted, and date: **Email. Jan. 21st, 2023**

Response received? ☒ Yes ☐ No (If yes, attach response letter or email)

Participating? ☐ Yes ☒ No

If yes, how?

List relevant attachments (please include all mailed out consultation packages and responses):

Representative name: **David Stockley**

Name of group represented: **Pond Inlet Hamlet**

Address:

Phone/Fax: **867.899.8934**

How contacted, and date: **Email. Feb 9th, 2023**

Response received? ☐ Yes ☒ No (If yes, attach response letter or email)

Participating? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how?

List relevant attachments (please include all mailed out consultation packages and responses):

Representative name:

Name of group represented:

Address:

Phone/Fax:

How contacted, and date:

Response received? ☐ Yes ☐ No (If yes, attach response letter or email)

Participating? ☐ Yes ☐ No

If yes, how?

List relevant attachments (please include all mailed out consultation packages and responses):

IMPORTATION NOTE

Incomplete applications will not be considered. Attach with the duly completed form any documents deemed relevant to the application (screening decision reports from territorial review boards, site maps, photographs, copy of other relevant permits issued by another authority, consultation records and materials, detailed description of the project methods, etc.).

Environment and Climate Change Canada may request additional information or seek clarification before issuing or denying a permit.

PART 4: ATTESTATION AND SIGNATURE

Adam Riley

I, ____ (print name) attest that I have the ability and knowledge to conduct the permitted activities and certify that:

- I am 18 years of age or older;
- all information submitted in this application is accurate and has been completed to the best of my knowledge;
- I may not commence any activities that are the subject matter of this application before a valid permit is in my possession;
- I, and the nominees, have the ability and knowledge to safely conduct the permitted activities and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the permit; and
- I understand that, in order to legally conduct the activities authorized by my permit, I may need to obtain in advance additional federal, provincial, territorial, municipal, or Indigenous permits or authorizations.

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT:



DATE: 2023/02/08

(yyyy/mm/dd)

Submit complete application form to:

Canadian Wildlife Service – Northern Region

Email: CWSPermitNorth-PermisNordSCF@ec.gc.ca

Fax 1-867-975-4645

Mailing Address :

Canadian Wildlife Service

P.O. Box 1870

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