



NOTICE OF SCREENING OPPORTUNITY FOR PUBLIC COMMENT

NIRB File No.: 20AN020

Project Name: The “Access Trail Project Chesterfield Inlet” project
Proponent Name: Hamlet of Chesterfield Inlet
Project Type: Access Region: Kivalliq
Public Registry: www.nirb.ca Application No.: 125842
Comment Deadline: **November 24, 2023**

PROJECT SCOPE:

The proposed “Access Trail Project Chesterfield Inlet” project is located within the Kivalliq region, approximately 30 kilometres (km) from Chesterfield Inlet. The Proponent intends to build road infrastructure to support the development of a series of gravel sites in order to support community maintenance activities such as road and airport runway maintenance, and development of housing pads/commercial lots. The program is proposed to take place from June 2024 to June 2034. The scope of this proposed project as identified by the NIRB includes the following undertakings, works or activities:

- Use of heavy equipment such as front-end loader, excavator and dump truck for construction activities
- Use of 100,000 litres of diesel supplied by the PPD for mobile equipment, generators and heaters
- Combustible waste to be removed and disposed to the landfill
- Hazardous waste generated will be returned to south in sealed drums transported in shipping containers

Please visit the NIRB’s public registry online at the link above and look up NIRB File No.: **20AN020** to access all project information, maps, and public comment forms.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

You are invited to provide the NIRB with your comments regarding whether the proposed project is:

- likely to arouse significant public concern and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse ecosystemic or socio-economic effects and, if so, why;
- likely to cause significant adverse impacts on wildlife habitat or Inuit harvest activities and, if so, why;
- a type where the potential adverse effects are highly predictable and can be prevented/managed appropriately with known technology.

Parties are also invited to recommend any specific mitigation measures they feel would be appropriate, and to bring any other matter of importance related to this project proposal to the NIRB’s attention.

CONTACT INFORMATION

The NIRB has recently launched an updated online public registry, and parties can access project information as well as submit comments directly to the NIRB via www.nirb.ca. Comments can still be submitted directly to the NIRB via email at info@nirb.ca or via fax to **(867) 983-2594**.

If you have any questions or require clarification regarding the proposed project or the NIRB’s screening process, please contact Francis Emingak, Technical Advisor I toll-free at (867) 983-4616 or femingak@nirb.ca.