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To Fisheries and Oceans Canada,

The Aiviq Hunters and Trappers Association would like to thank the Arctic Coast program for providing an update and meeting with us on January 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2025.

On behalf of the Aiviq Hunters and Trappers Association, we support the Arctic Coast projects:

- 1) Conduct summer fieldwork at previous sites, and include Amittuja to monitor the coastal habitat and develop tools to detect salmon in the area (eDNA and temperature monitoring).
- 2) Complete in-person interviews with knowledge holders discussing fish biodiversity change near Kinngait, with a focus on salmon (e.g., timing of appearances, locations).

Approve for 2024

Does not Approve

The Aiviq HTA are interested and happy to continue this work here in Kinngait Nunavut.

Sincerely,

Taqialuk NunA  


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