



**ATHA**  
ENERGY CORP.

# 2025 NUNAVUT COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

SUMMARY REPORT

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## INTRODUCTION

In March of 2024, ATHA Energy Corp. (ATHA) acquired Latitude Uranium Inc. (LUR) and the Angilak Deposit located in Nunavut. ATHA is committed to engaging and communicating with local communities throughout all stages of exploration. ATHA hired the Indigenous owned consulting company Mokwateh in May 2024 to build a community engagement strategy and support engagement within the communities.

ATHA joined meetings held with the communities beginning in February 2024. ATHA makes a consistent effort to engage with the local communities to build trust and create a strong working relationship. As ATHA continues exploring within Nunavut, its commitment to ongoing engagement and communication with the local communities remains strong. As part of this commitment, ATHA aims to formally meet with community groups a minimum of two times per year, in the spring before the field program begins and in the fall to follow up and communicate any results of the exploration programs.

In addition to meeting with community groups before and after the summer field program, ATHA hosted nine Baker Lake community members at the Angilak Project site in July and August 2025 to tour the camp and core yard. ATHA employees attended both the 2025 Nunavut Mining Symposium in Iqaluit as well as the 2025 Kivalliq Trade Show in Rankin Inlet to continue to improve the understanding of both resource development in the Arctic, and Inuit heritage and culture. ATHA is proud to have sponsored a women’s spiritual retreat in Baker Lake in August as well as the annual Christmas hampers.

## JUNE MEETINGS

As part of ATHA’s commitment to community engagement, meetings were arranged with the Baker Lake Hamlet Mayor and Council, KIA-CLARC, and HTO, as well as the Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Council, and HTO. ATHA also tried to arrange a meeting with the Arviat KIA-CLARC but received no response. The meetings were centered around the proposed summer activities to take place at the Angilak Project, and the continuation of early exploration happening on the Thelon Project.

Meetings
Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Council
Arviat HTO
Baker Lake HTO
Baker Lake CLARC
Baker Lake Hamlet Mayor and Council

## **Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Council Meeting**

Tuesday June 3, 2025 – 6:00PM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>Hamlet</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Joe Savikataaq Jr.	Mayor
Gordy Kidlapik	Deputy Mayor
John Hussey	Senior Administrative Officer
Vikki Gibbons	Councilor
Doreen Hannak	Councilor
Nathan Caskey	Councilor
Darren Price	Councilor
Bridgette Aulatjut	Councilor
Savia Okatsiak	Council Clerk
Roxy Illnik	Lands Officer

Not in attendance:

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piché	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Cliff Revering	VP, Exploration (ATHA)
Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Philo Schoeman	Consultant (APEX)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation, Year in Review Bulletin

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Town council meeting was opened by the Mayor followed by a prayer.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-05\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
- Review of planned work for the summer 2025 field programs at Angilak and Thelon Projects, and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
- Confirmed preference for meeting two times per year, before and after field program.
- Group shared about an old diamond drill and helper training program that could possibly be used again.
- Opportunities for employment for Arviat community members will be shared when available.

## **Arviat Hunter's and Trapper's Organization (HTO) Meeting**

Wednesday June 4, 2025 – 10:00AM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>Hamlet</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Nicole Issakariuk	HTO Manager
Peter Shamee	Member
Gabe Alagalak	Member
Mikitok Alagalak	Member

Not in attendance:

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piché	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Cliff Revering	VP, Exploration (ATHA)
Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Philo Schoeman	Consultant (APEX)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation, Year in Review Bulletin

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by a prayer from the HTO.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-05\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Review of planned work for the summer 2025 field programs at Angilak and Thelon Projects, and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
  - Confirmed preference for meeting two times per year, before and after field program.
- Reviewed the history of Angilak as an exploration project and the differences between exploration and mining.
- Discussion about the risks associated with uranium and the regulations that companies are required to follow.
- Reviewed wildlife protection measures that ATHA follows to prevent disruption to caribou herds.
- Recommendation from the HTO to engage with all the coastal communities.

## **Baker Lake Community Hunter and Trappers' Organization Meeting**

Wednesday June 4, 2025 – 7:00PM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>HTO</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Angel Aksawnee	Manager
Pricilla Joedee	Assistant Manager
Tommy Marice	Chairperson
Hosea Iksiraq	Secretary
Solomon Mariq	Board Member
Basil Quimangimak	Board Member
Silas Kenaloqak	Board Member
Timothy Evviet	Board Member
Daniel Piryuaq	Translator

Not in attendance: Eva Elytook, Joedee Joedee

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piché	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Cliff Revering	VP, Exploration (ATHA)
Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Philo Schoeman	Consultant (APEX)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation, Year in Review Bulletin

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by the HTO Chair and a prayer from the Elder.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-05\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Review of planned work for the summer 2025 field programs at Angilak and Thelon Projects, and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
  - Confirmed preference for meeting two times per year, before and after field program.
- Review of the stages of exploration and steps before a mine (and a road) could be considered.
- Discussion of the logistics of aerial surveys and mitigations for caribou migration.
- Discussion of predator controls and sightings to date.
- Explanation about how artesian water is controlled during drilling.

## **Baker Lake Community Lands and Resource Committee (CLARC) Meeting**

Thursday June 5, 2025 – 9:30AM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>CLARC</b>	
Valerie Niego	KIA CLO
David Owingayak	Elder Representative
Siobhan Iksiktaaryuk	Hamlet Representative
Basil Quinangnaq	HTO Representative
Judy Mannik	Youth Representative
Daniel Piryuaq	Interpreter

Not in attendance: Joan Scottie

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piché	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
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Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Philo Schoeman	Consultant (APEX)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation, Year in Review Bulletin

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by the HTO Chair and a prayer from the Elder.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-05\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Review of planned work for the summer 2025 field programs at Angilak and Thelon Projects, and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
  - Confirmed preference for meeting two times per year, before and after field program.
- Member shared support for the project to keep young people working.
- Members shared about grave sites in the project areas and discussions about preserving archeological sites.
- Recommendation by the HTO to hold a public meeting.

## **Baker Lake Hamlet Mayor and Council Meeting**

Thursday June 5, 2025 – 7:00PM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>Hamlet</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
James Taipana	Mayor
Sheldon Dorey	Senior Administrative Officer
Siobhan Iksiktaaryuk	Councilor
Becky Tootoo	Councilor
Eric John Tapatai	Councilor
Aquilla Amaruq	Councilor
Grace Tagoona	Councilor

Not in attendance: Eva Elytook, Trevor Attangala

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piche	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Cliff Revering	VP, Exploration (ATHA)
Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Philo Schoeman	Consultant (APEX)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation, Year in Review Bulletin

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by the mayor and a prayer from Grace.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-05\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Review of planned work for the summer 2025 field programs at Angilak and Thelon Projects, and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
  - Confirmed preference for meeting two times per year, before and after field program.
- Noted that a few moose have been spotted near Angilak as it is near the tree line.
- Councilor requested that the community be made aware of progress with the projects via bulletins or something similar.
- Review of the Thelon Project activities for 2025 and plans for the community site tour.
- Discussion of a community advocate for ATHA within Baker Lake.
- Discussion about the lack of information around Uranium mining and nuclear energy, and the need to educate the local community members about the safety regulations in place to keep workers and communities safe.

## ANGILAK PROJECT COMMUNITY SITE TOUR

Members of the Baker Lake HTO, CLARC, and Town Council were invited, along with a local interpreter, to visit the Nutaaq Camp at the Angilak Project in July 2025. Originally, three members from each group were scheduled to fly to Nutaaq Camp on July 10, 2025 in 2 separate groups. Due to circumstances and weather only the first group, which included 3 council members and 2 CLARC representatives, was able to fly on July 10. The other group, with the remaining participants was rescheduled for August 21, 2025, when three HTO members visited the site along with the interpreter. Other participants were unable to join due to illness.



Figure 1: Community Site Tour Participants on July 10, 2025

## SEPTEMBER MEETINGS

Presentations were sent in advance of the September 2025 meetings to the Baker Lake KIA-CLARC, HTO, and Hamlet SAO.

The presentation was intended to share updated information from the summer field program at Angilak, and to give a progress report on the Thelon NIRB submission that was received in July 2025.

Meetings
Baker Lake HTO
Baker Lake CLARC
Baker Lake Hamlet SAO

## **Baker Lake Community Hunter and Trappers' Organization Meeting**

Thursday September 25, 2025 – 9:30AM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>HTO</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Eva Elytook	HTO Deputy Chair
Hosea Iksiraq	Secretary
Silas Kenaloqak	Director
Timothy Evviet	Member
Joedee Joedee	Member
Priscilla Joedee	HTO Asst. Manager

Not in attendance: Tommy Marice – HTO Chairperson, Solomon Mariq, Basil Quimangimak, Angel Aksawnee

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piche	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Andrew Sinclair	Senior Geologist (ATHA)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by the deputy chair and a prayer.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-09\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Presentation of results from the 2025 field programs at Angilak Project and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
    - Explanation of change from drum to bladders for fuel storage and addition of ATV trail to Lac 50 drilling area to be added in permit renewals.
    - Concern about workers' health due to radiation risks. ATHA explained the use of OSLD badges from Health Canada and other measures used to mitigate exposure risk. Suggestion that all workers on site could wear them for reassurance.
    - Concerns raised by multiple members that PEL does not offer equal opportunities to all community members.
  - Update on the Thelon Project and explanation of the NIRB decision to modify or abandon. ATHA clarified that the intention is to resubmit a modified project proposal after further desktop studies and engagement.
  - Comment from HTO that in future it would be appreciated if the HTO could be prioritized and have their own site visit. Concerns were raised about discussing concerns in front of other group representatives or community members.
  - Member shared an understanding of present higher safety standards in mining and strict environmental regulations.
  - Many members expressed support for the projects as the community needs employment for young people.

## **Baker Lake Community Lands and Resource Committee (CLARC) Meeting**

Thursday September 25, 2025 – 1:00PM

### **ATTENDEES:**

<b>CLARC</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Valerie Niego –	KIA CLO
Siobhan Iksiktaaryuk	Hamlet Rep
David Owingayak	Elder Rep

Not in attendance: Jamie Kataluk, Joan Scottie, Basil Quinangnaq, Judy Mannik, Solomon Mariq

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piche	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Andrew Sinclair	Senior Geologist (ATHA)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation

### **Meeting Overview:**

- Meeting was opened by ATHA, followed by a prayer from the Elder.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-09\_ATHA\_Update\_FINAL.pdf).
  - Presentation of results from the 2025 field programs at Angilak Project and ATHA’s environmental and archeological processes.
    - Explanation of change from drum to bladders for fuel storage and addition of ATV trail to Lac 50 drilling area to be added in permit renewals.
    - Question raised about PEL’s methods of advertising job openings to community members.
  - Update on the Thelon Project and explanation of the NIRB decision to modify or abandon. ATHA clarified that the intention is to resubmit a modified project proposal after further desktop studies and engagement.
  - Comment from CLARC member to add in more information regarding ATHA’s support and actions in the community (ie. sponsoring the women’s weekend).

**Baker Lake Hamlet SAO**

Thursday September 25, 2025 – 4:00PM

**ATTENDEES:**

<b>CLARC</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Sheldon Dorey	Senior Administrative Officer

<b>ATHA Energy Corp.</b>	
<b>Name</b>	<b>Role</b>
Claudia Piche	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Andrew Sinclair	Senior Geologist (ATHA)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation

**Meeting Overview:**

- Informal presentation of the 2025 exploration results.
- Discussion of planned permit application submission for the Angilak Project, including change from fuel drums to fuel bladders and addition of an ATV trail to the Lac 50 drilling area.
- Review of the NIRB decision to modify or abandon for the Thelon Project. ATHA clarified that the intention is to resubmit a modified project proposal after further desktop studies and engagement.
- Discussion of community events and request to SAO to share future sponsorship opportunities.

## NOVEMBER MEETINGS

Presentations were sent in advance of the November 2025 virtual meeting with the Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Town Council.

The presentation was intended to share updated information from the summer field program at Angilak, and to give a progress report on the Thelon NIRB submission that was received in July 2025.

Meetings
Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Council - Virtual

### **Arviat Hamlet Mayor and Council Meeting**

Tuesday November 25, 2025 – 6:00PM

#### ATTENDEES:

Hamlet	
Name	Role
Joe Savikataaq Jr.	Mayor
Gordy Kidlapik	Deputy Mayor
John Hussey	Senior Administrative Officer
Nathan Caskey	Councilor
Darren Price	Councilor
Vikki Gibbons	Councilor
Amber Tattuinee	COSAO
Naomi Muckpah	Council Clerk
Daniel Kablutsiak	Public Works Foreman
Jolene Curley	DCD
Jamie Kablutsiak	MLA, Arviat South
Kevin Li	RCMP acting Cst.
Social services instructor and students	

ATHA Energy Corp.	
Name	Role
Claudia Piché	Regulatory Lead (ATHA)
Doug Adams	Director, Exploration (ATHA)
Paul Burry	Senior Geologist (ATHA)

Materials Provided: Translated PowerPoint Presentation

## Meeting Overview:

- Meeting was opened by the mayor and a prayer.
- Following introductions, ATHA provided a presentation (2025-11\_ATHA\_Fall-Update.pdf).
  - Presentation of results from the 2025 field programs at Angilak Project and ATHA's environmental and archeological processes.
    - Explanation of change from drum to bladders for fuel storage and addition of ATV trail to Lac 50 drilling area to be added in permit renewals.
    - Clarification that the change to fuel bladders is a planned future project that will not be implemented without permit approval.
  - Update on the Thelon Project and explanation of the NIRB decision to modify or abandon. ATHA clarified that the intention is to resubmit a modified project proposal after further desktop studies and engagement.

## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

ATHA understands the importance of supporting community events and objectives, and is committed to building a strong relationship with the communities impacted by the Project activities. In 2025, ATHA had the pleasure of being able to sponsor “Arnaq – A Woman’s Story”. This women’s spiritual retreat was the first of its kind in Baker Lake and was a highly successful endeavor. ATHA also had the pleasure of donating to the Baker Lake Christmas hamper drive.

ATHA successfully applied for the Community Engagement Support Program (CESP) grant from the Nunavut Government in 2025 and used the funds to support engagement meetings within Nunavut and the Angilak Project Community Site Tour.