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To Fisheries and Oceans Canada,


On behalf of the Aqigiq Hunters and Trappers Organization, we support the Arctic Coast project to:

- 1) Conduct winter fieldwork (Feb-Mar 2026) at sites near Chesterfield Inlet (selected by the AHTO) to monitor the coastal habitat. Including angling for fish, ice thickness samples, data from the water and possibly underwater video.
- 2) DFO staff to travel to Chesterfield Inlet in February 2026 to meet with the HTO and provide research updates.
- 3) Host a community meeting to share results from our work with the public

Approve for 2026   X  

Does not Approve \_\_\_\_\_

Sincerely,

  
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Aqigiq Hunters and Trappers Association