

# Kivalliq Alternative Energy

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**July 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Mayor and Council, Hamlet of Naujaat  
Naujaat Hamlet Office

**RE: KAE June Community Visit and Open House in Naujaat**

Dear Mayor Robinson,

We are reaching out today to thank both you and the Council of Naujaat for your hospitality and warmth during our recent visit to the community. We greatly appreciated the opportunity to meet with Council and present our Project, to receive feedback and help answer questions, and to explore new opportunities which may offer mutual benefits to both the community and the Project. We'd like also to acknowledge all of the community members that came out to our open house with their curiosity and interest to learn more. One of the highlights was the number of young people that attended, eager to learn about clean energy technology. We are certain that many children are walking away from this event with a whole new world of clean energy on their minds and new possibilities for the future. The team was greatly encouraged by the turn out and response we received. As a follow up, we would offer that any local residents who have questions can reach out to our general inquiry info box at the below email address:

[contact@kivalliqalternativeenergy.com](mailto:contact@kivalliqalternativeenergy.com)

As planning for the Project advances, we would welcome continued open dialogue with the Hamlet, in particular with regards to the new site you have proposed. We are keen to investigate the viability of a site that could provide additional benefits to the community, and for which we have alignment with the Hamlet. Constructability in general at this site looks very promising, and we have confirmed that the area is large enough to accommodate the size of installation we are planning.

In order to advance the feasibility review, we are investigating the following possible risks before we can commit to proceeding with the site:

1. This site is located close to the end of the airport runway, and therefore we must get the site approved by Nav Canada and Transport Canada, as well as by the Nunavut Airports division of the GN. In particular, we have taken steps to conduct a glare study to ensure that the solar panels will not adversely reflect light in a way that could affect aircraft taking off or landing on the runway. This is one of the bigger risks we have identified, and is thus the first item we are working through. At the time of writing this letter, we have already initiated a glare study at the preferred site you have suggested, and will keep you apprised of our progress.
2. While glare is being investigated, our second line of inquiry will be to engage an environmental consultant regarding the possible impact of contamination at the site. Given the proximity of

this site to the sewer lagoon and the waste oil area, and its status as a decommissioned scrap yard, we must do our due diligence to understand if contamination is present. An environmental consultant can advise on risks that may be present, and help us to understand if and how we may navigate through such risks. As an industrial project, building on a brownfield site is certainly not out of the question, but does require extra caution. I recall from our visit that the Hamlet was interested in helping to clean up the area in order for a Project to proceed, so we would certainly be open working together on navigating this aspect.

In the event that the project was found to not be viable at the site you have suggested, we will notify you and can begin exploring the other alternate site on our shortlist, further south and immediately to the east of the airport (this option was presented in our meeting with Council). We believe this site would still present an opportunity to bring electrical service across the runway to the east side of the community, offering the benefits you spoke of with regards to future development opportunities.

If there is anything further our team can do, or if you have any other questions or comments for the Project, please feel free to reach out directly to the Project Manager, Dana May, at any time. Her contact details are provided below:

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In the meantime, we are looking forward to our continued collaboration on this exciting project!

Sincerely,



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