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> File No: 2AM-MEL1631 Amendment Application

March 25, 2021

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Subject: Application for Amendment to the Type "A" Water Licence No: 2AM-MEL1631; Meliadine Project; Agnico Eagle Mines Limited; Public Hearing Agenda

Dear Mr. Quesnel:

Please find attached a copy of the Agenda for the Public Hearing (PH), including a Community Session (CS) scheduled to discuss the application for amendment to Water Licence No: 2AM-MEL1631 (the Application) submitted by Agnico Eagle Mines Limited (Agnico Eagle) for the Meliadine Project.

As indicated in the Agendas below, the meetings are scheduled as follows:

- March 30, 2021, 8:30 am CT Public Hearing at the <u>Rankin Inlet Community Hall</u>;
- March 30, 2021, 6:00 pm CT Community Session at the <u>Rankin Inlet Community Hall</u>;
- March 31, 2021, 8:30 am CT Public Hearing at the <u>Rankin Inlet Community Hall</u>.

Please note that the Agendas also include the videoconference links, as well as the call-in information to accommodate those participants who will be joining by phone.

Copies of all presentations received from the respective parties intending to make representation to the Board at the PH, were placed in the Board's Public Registry and made available through the NWB's FTP site using the following link:

ftp://ftp.nwb-oen.ca/registry/2%20MINING%20MILLING/2A/2AM%20-%20Mining/2AM-MEL1631%20Agnico/2%20ADMIN/4%20HEARINGS/2%20HEARING/

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The NWB takes this opportunity to thank all who have participated in the amendment process for the Application thus far and encourages their continued participation in the remaining stages of the process.

If you have any technical questions or require clarification with respect to the above information, please contact Sergey Kuflevskiy, Technical Advisor, by email at <u>sergey.kuflevskiy@nwb-oen.ca</u>. For procedural and administrative inquiries, please contact Richard Dwyer, Manager of Licensing, by e-mail at <u>licensing@nwb-oen.ca</u>.

Sincerely,

Richard Dwyer Manager of Licensing **NUNAVUT WATER BOARD**

Attachment: PH and CS Agenda

Cc: Meliadine Distribution List



AGENDA

APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO WATER LICENCE NO: 2AM-MEL1631 MELIADINE PROJECT

PUBLIC HEARING

March 30, 2021, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. CT, <u>Rankin Inlet Community Hall</u> March 31, 2021, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. CT, <u>Rankin Inlet Community Hall</u>

Teleconference Call-In Information: Phone: +1 587 328 1099; Meeting ID: 943 8901 6715

Zoom link: https://zoom.us/j/94389016715

- 1. Opening Prayer
- 2. Opening Remarks by the Chairperson, which shall include the purpose of the Hearing and the scope of matters which will be considered by the Board
- 3. Introduction of the Board Members and staff
- 4. Identification and introduction of the Parties
- 5. Introduction of the Elders and their role in the Hearing
- 6. Introduction and identification of the persons, associations, agencies, etc., who have not submitted interventions but who have expressed a desire to speak at the Hearing
- 7. Identification of any Motions or any objections
- 8. Presentation by the Applicant
- 9. Questioning of the Applicant by Parties respecting the Applicant's presentation
- 10. Questioning by the Board staff and Panel Members
- 11. Presentation by Interveners
- 12. Questioning of Interveners by Parties

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- 13. Questioning by the Board staff and Panel Members
- 14. Presentation by any other persons, associations, agencies, etc. who have advised the Chairperson that they wish to speak
- 15. Questioning of other persons, associations, agencies, etc. by Parties
- 16. Questions by the Board staff and Panel Members
- 17. Upon completion of presentations by all Parties, the Board will give the Applicant the opportunity to reply. Then all Parties will have the opportunity to make final closing statements taking into account matters raised at the Hearing
- 18. Closing remarks by the Chairperson; and
- 19. Closing Prayer



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APPLICATION FOR AMENDMENT TO WATER LICENCE NO: 2AM-MEL1631 MELIADINE PROJECT

COMMUNITY SESSION

March 30, 2021, 6:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. CT, Rankin Inlet Community Hall

Teleconference Call-In Information: Phone: +1 587 328 1099; Meeting ID: 943 8901 6715

Zoom link: https://zoom.us/j/94389016715

- 1. Opening Prayer
- 2. Opening Remarks by the Chair
- 3. Introductions of the Board Members and Staff
- 4. Purpose and Scope of the Evening Session
- 5. Presentation by the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) Type "A" water licensing process for the Application (15 minutes)
- 6. Questions and/or comments from community members and other participants
- 7. Presentation by the Applicant on the Application before the Board for the Amendment to Type "A" Water Licence 2AM-MEL1631 (20 Minutes)
- 8. Question and/or comments from community members and other participants
- 9. Presentation from each intervening party pertaining to its mandate and role(s) in the water licensing process as well as an overview of their findings during their technical review (15 Minutes/Intervener).
- 10. Questions and/or comments from community members and other participants
- 11. Closing Remarks
- 12. Closing Prayer