



NUNAVUT PLANNING COMMISSION NOTICE OF NEXT STEPS FOR THE UPCOMING REGIONAL PUBLIC HEARINGS ON 2021 DRAFT NUNAVUT LAND USE PLAN

Date: December 17, 2021

On October 21, 2021, the Nunavut Planning Commission (Commission) postponed Regional Public Hearings in respect of the 2021 Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan (DNLUP) that were originally scheduled for November 2021 to March 2022 to provide all participants additional time to ensure adequate opportunity to review materials in Inuktitut, English or French.

IMPORTANT DATES

Next steps in the planning process discussed in this notice are summarized in Appendix A.

As previously communicated, the Commission would like to confirm the following revised dates and time for the upcoming public meetings:

Location	Venue	Meeting Date	TIME
Thompson, MB	Royal Canadian Legion	March 10-11, 2022	9:00AM-5:00PM (with potential for evening sessions)
Rankin Inlet, NU	Singiituuq Complex	March 14-18, 2022	
Cambridge Bay, NU	Luke Novoligak Community Hall	March 28-31, 2022	

* **NOTE:** Additional hearings to be held in Pond Inlet and Iqaluit subject to the **availability of funding.**

AVAILABILITY OF DOCUMENTS AND SUPPORTING MATERIALS

Copies of the 2021 DNLUP and Options and Recommendations document and all submissions filed in the NPC's public record in association with the DNLUP are available online at: <http://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/registry.php>. Hardcopies of the DNLUP and supporting material have been mailed to affected communities.

PARTICIPANTS AND WRITTEN SUBMISSIONS

As of December 2021, the parties listed in Appendix B of this notice are registered as participants and the Commission has received written comments and submissions from the following participants:

Written Submissions Received from Participants

Agnico Eagle	Nordgold Limited
Apex Geosciences	North Arrow Mineral Inc
Athabasca Densuline Communities of Black Lake, Fond Du Lac, and Hatchet Lake Denesuline First Nations	Nunavut Impact Review Board
Baffinland Iron Mines	Nunavut Tunngavik Inc.
Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board	Nunavut Water Board
Blue Star Gold Corp	North Arrow Mineral Inc
Canada's Oil and Natural Gas Producers	Nunavut Impact Review Board
De Beers Group	Nunavut Tunngavik Inc.
Deborah Jenkins, Trent University	Nunavut Water Board
Friends of Land Use Planning	NWT & Nunavut Chamber of Mines
Flood Consulting	Orano
Fury Gold Mines	Paula Kigjugalik Hughson
GGL Resources Corp	Qikiqtaaluk Wildlife Board
Ghotelnene K'odintineh Dene (Sayisi Dene First Nation & Northlands Denesuline First Nation)	Sabina Gold and Silver Corp
Government of Canada	Seal River Watershed
Government of Nunavut	Solstice Gold
Government of Northwest Territories	Suncor Energy Services Inc
Kivalliq Hydro-Fibre Link	World Wildlife Fund (WWF)
Kivalliq Inuit Association	
Mittimatalik Hunters and Trappers Organization	
MMG Resources	

Participants who have already provided written comments are able to provide additional comments, and other participants are now requested to provide any written submissions by February 18, 2022.

Parties not yet registered as participants are able to do so by completing the registration form in Appendix C.

NPC staff are available to meet with participants to provide an overview of the DNLUP or to respond to any clarifying questions to assist with the preparation of written submissions. Staff will be meeting with community representatives between January 24 and February 4, 2022, and other participants are encouraged to contact NPC staff to schedule a meeting between January 10-21, 2022.

REGIONAL PUBLIC HEARINGS

Participation

Participants can attend any of the regional hearings in person and will be able to observe the hearings online through live streaming. Note that virtual participation in the hearings will not be available.

Covid 19 Protocol

Please note that in-person meeting sites will be managed in accordance with Public Health Orders in place for each location. In addition to public health requirements, all participants attending in person should be aware that **double vaccination and non-medical face masks** will be **mandatory** for attendance.

Community Input and Engagement

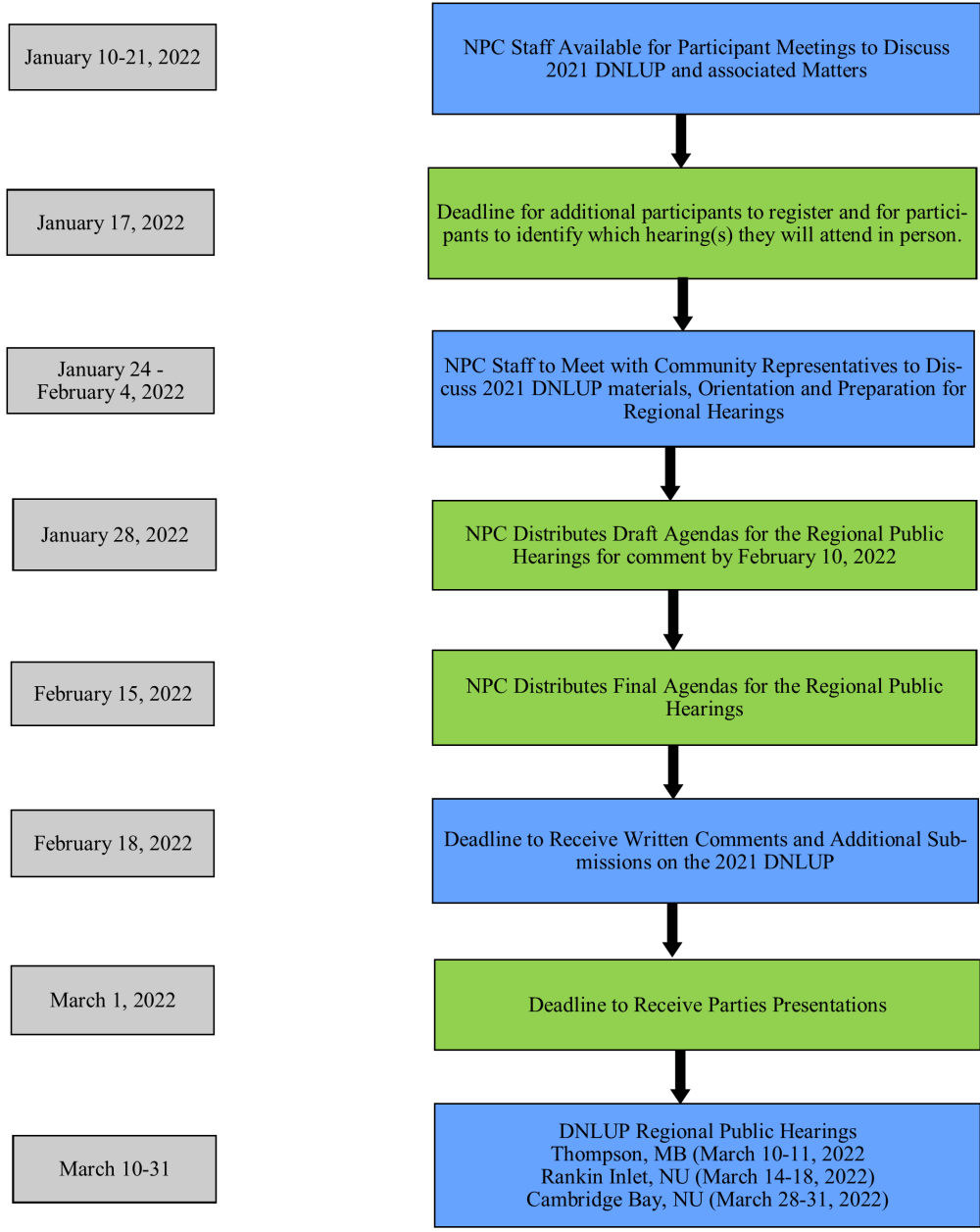
Public input and feedback are essential to the Commission's planning processes for the development of a Nunavut-wide Land Use Plan. As you are aware, the Commission has requested the nomination of community representatives from Hamlet Councils, Hunters & Trappers Organizations, and other community groups from the Kivalliq and Kitikmeot regions including affected Dēnesuᑭīnē communities in northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan to participate directly in the Public Hearings. The Commission will cover the cost of travel, accommodations and

provide standard per-diem rates for meals and incidentals for these community representatives to allow for their attendance and participation at the Regional Public Hearings. A significant portion of time will be made available to community representatives to ask questions and provide comments for the Commission's consideration.

ACCESS TO INFORMATION AND CONTACT

Copies of the 2021 DNLUP and Options and Recommendations document and all submissions filed in the NPC's public record in association with the DNLUP are available online at: <http://lupit.nunavut.ca/portal/registry.php>. For more information on the upcoming Public Hearings or assistance locating specific documentation, please contact Goump Djalogue at: gdjalogue@nunavut.ca.

Appendix A: Summary of Next Steps for the 2021 Draft Nunavut Land Use Plan



LEGEND		
Major Events	Key activities	

* **NOTE:** Additional hearings to be held in Pond Inlet and Iqaluit subject to the availability of funding. Participants will be able to provide responses to submissions, additional comments, or further responses to questions within 40 days following the last hearing.

Appendix B: List of Participants

List of Participants	
Agnico Eagle Mines Limited	Kurairojuark (Kugaaruk) Hunters & Trappers Organization
Aiviit (Coral Harbour) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Makivik
Aqiggiag (Rankin Inlet) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Meliadine Gold Ltd
Aqigiq (Chesterfield Inlet) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Akulivik
Arctic Bay Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Arctic Bay
AREVA Resources Canada Inc.	Municipality of Arviat
Apex Geosciences	Municipality of Baker Lake
Arviat Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Cambridge Bay
Arviq (Naujaat) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Cape Dorset
Athabasca Denesuline Né Né Land Corporation	Municipality of Chesterfield Inlet
Baffinland Iron Mines	Municipality of Clyde River
Baker Lake Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Coral Harbour
Beverly and Qamanirjuaq Caribou Management Board	Municipality of Gjoa Haven
Blue Star Gold Corp	Municipality of Grise Fiord
Canadian Arctic Resources Committee	Municipality of Hall Beach
Cape Dorset Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Igloolik
Colville Lake Renewable Resources Council	Municipality of Inukjuak
Debeers Group	Municipality of Iqaluit
Denis Patterson	Municipality of Ivujivik
Eeyou Marine Region Planning Commission	Municipality of Kimmirut
Ekaluktutiak (Cambridge Bay) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Kugaaruk
Fury Goldmines	Municipality of Kugluktuk
Friends of LandUse Planning	Municipality of Naujaat
Ghotlenene K'odtineh Dene	Municipality of Pangnirtung
GGL Resources Corp	Municipality of Pond Inlet
Gjoa Haven Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Puvirnituq
GNWT Department of Lands	Municipality of Qikiqtarjuaq
GNWT Environment and Natural Resources	Municipality of Rankin Inlet
Government of Canada	Municipality of Resolute
Government of Nunavut	Municipality of Salluit
Hall Beach Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Sanikiluaq
Hilu Tagoona – Nunavummiut Makitaganarningit	Municipality of Taloyoak
Igloolik Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Whale Cove
Iqaluit Hunters & Trappers Organization	MMG
Issatik (Whale Cove) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Pond Inlet
Iviq (Grise Fiord) Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Puvirnituq
Kimmirut Hunters & Trappers Organization	Municipality of Qikiqtarjuaq
Kitikmeot Inuit Association	Municipality of Rankin Inlet
Kitikmeot Regional Wildlife Board	Mittimatalik Hunters and Trappers Organization
Kivalliq Inuit Association	Nangmoutaq (Clyde River) Hunters & Trappers Organization
Kivalliq Wildlife Board	Nattivak (Qikiqtarjuaq) Hunters & Trappers Organization
Kivalliq Hydro-Fibre Link	Nordgold (Northquest Ltd)
Kugluktuk Hunters & Trappers Organization	North Arrow Minerals Inc.

List of Participants-Cont'd	
North Slave Metis Alliance	Resolute Bay Hunters & Trappers Organization
Northquest Ltd.	Sabina Gold & Silver Corp.
Nunavik Marine Region Planning Commission	Seal River Watershed Alliance
Nunavut Association of Municipalities (NAM)	Sanikiluaq Hunters & Trappers Organization
Nunavut Impact Review Board	Spence Bay (Taloyoak) Hunters & Trappers Organization
Nunavut Tunngavik Inc.	Solstice Gold
Nunavut Water Board	Suncor Energy Services Inc
Nunavut Wildlife Management Board	Tłı̄chǫ Government
NWT & Nunavut Chamber of Mines	TMAC Resources
Oceans North Canada	Van Horne Institute
Orano	Wek'èezhiı̄ Renewable Resources Board
Pangnirtung Hunters & Trappers Organization	WWF-Canada
Paula Kigjugalik Hughson	Yellowknife Dene First Nations
Qikiqtaaluk Wildlife Board	5530 Nunavut Inc (Western Atlas Resources Inc)
Qikiqtani Inuit Association	

Appendix C – Registration Form

FORM 1 - REGISTRATION AS PARTICIPANT

NPC FILE NO. _____

SUBJECT MATTER: _____

(name or description)

REGISTRATION AS PARTICIPANT

DATE OF PUBLIC NOTICE _____

1. I, *(please print name)*: _____ completing this form to register as a Participant in the above-noted Proceeding:
- a. for myself
 - b. as a representative of a single Person; or
 - c. on behalf of a group, association, or coalition of Persons.

If acting as a representative for another Person, or for a group, association, or coalition, please identify the Person (or Persons) you are representing:

2. I intend to participate in the above-noted Proceeding *(check any that apply)*
- a. In writing;
 - b. Orally if a Hearing is held.

3. I request an opportunity to make oral comments

- a. Yes
- b. No

4. I intend to participate in the following language (*check any that apply*)

- a. Inuktitut (please specify dialect): _____
- b. English
- c. French

5. My contact information, or the contact information of my representative is (*note this information will be made public*):

- a. Address for electronic delivery of Notices to Participants and other materials (e.g. via electronic mail, fax):

_____ *(By providing this address you consent to receive all communications electronically.)*

- b. Address for physical delivery of Notices to Participants and other materials (e.g. via mail or courier):

_____ *(By providing this address you consent to receive all communications physically and agree to pay the Commission reasonable fees for providing physical copies.)*

6. I have information, knowledge, or a view on the following issues:

(attach additional pages if required)

Signed: _____
[Print Name & Name of Participant if different from person completing form]

Date: _____