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Re: Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada Review of Issued for Construction Drawings of the Waste Rock Pile for the Madrid North Site as part of the Hope Bay Project, Water Licence 2AM-DOH1335 – Amendment No. 2.

Dear Mr. Dwyer,

Thank you for your June 19, 2019 invitation for Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC) to comment on TMAC Resources Inc. (TMAC) Issued for Construction (IFC) drawings detailing TMAC's plans for the Waste Rock Pile at the Madrid North Site as part of the Hope Bay Project. CIRNAC examined the IFC drawings. The following comment has been provided pursuant to CIRNAC's mandated responsibilities under the *Nunavut Waters and Nunavut Surface Rights Tribunal Act* and the *Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development Act*.

1. Details of Sumps, Sump Locations, and Sump Access Roads

Reference:

- TMAC Resources, Engineering Drawings for the Madrid North Waste Rock Pile, Drawing No. MN-WRP-04, Signed and Stamped June 14, 2019.

Note No. 6 on the indicated drawing states that sump locations, details, and potential sump access roads are "to be finalized by the Engineer once survey information is received to confirm drainage paths." CIRNAC reminds the licensee that these details should be provided in the construction summary report.

Recommendation:

CIRNAC recommends that the licensee provide the locations and details of all the access roads to the indicated sumps, including surface water diversion features, as part of the construction summary report.



If there are any questions or concerns, please contact me at (867) 975-4282 or bridget.campbell@canada.ca.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Bridget Campbell". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Bridget Campbell,
Water Resources Coordinator