

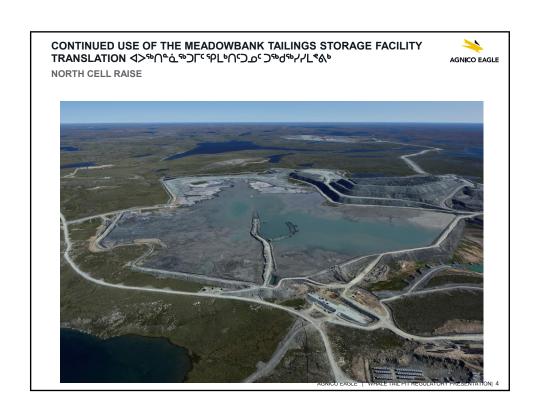
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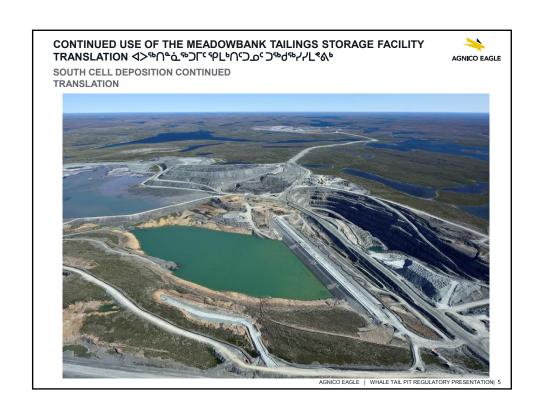


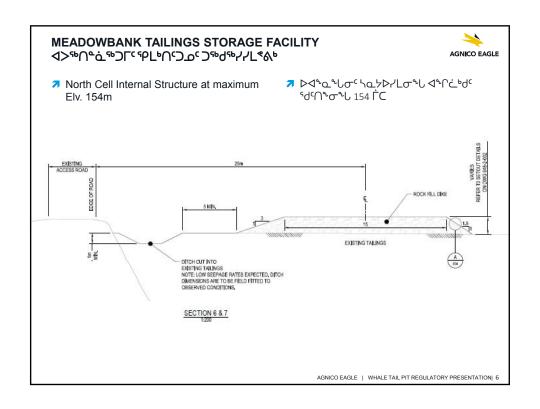
- Linkage to Meadowbank Mine
 - Whale Tail Pit requires continuing use of the Meadowbank Tailings Storage Facility
 - No significant change
- Submitted a stand-alone Tailings Management Plan to NWB on January 25th, 2017.
- As a NWB condition, Tailings Management Plan will be updated prior to operation of the Whale Tail Pit.

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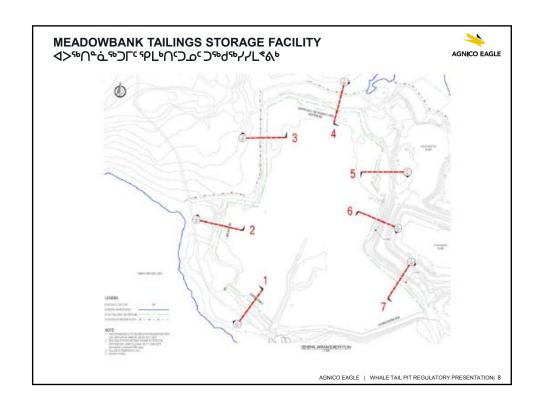












CONTINUED WATER MANAGEMENT AT MEADOWBANK



Surface Water Management

Objective: to minimize the potential impact of the project on the receiving water surrounding the proposed mining activities

Strategies:

- Reduce the amount of contact water requiring management, pumping, monitoring and treatment
- 2. Divert non-contact water away from the mine site
- 3. Limit freshwater quantity requirements

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CONTINUED WATER MANAGEMENT AT MEADOWBANK







PROPOSED WHALE TAIL LICENCE TERMS



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Refer to Whale Tail Pit 2AM WTP ---- Draft Framework

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PROPOSED WHALE TAIL LICENCE TERMS



- Request licence list plans as approved upon Translation issuance:
 - Whale Tail Haul Road Management Plan (KivlA, TC Air 05, KiivlA, TC Terrestrial 05, ECCC 11)
 - Operation and Maintenance Manual: Sewage
 - Treatment Plant

 Whale Tail Landfill Design and Management Plan
 - (November 2016)

 Whale Tail Pit Waste Rock Management Plan
 - Whale fall Pit Waste Rock Management Plan (November 2016)
 - Emergency Response Plan (November 2014)
 - Spill Contingency Plan (March 2016)
 - Aquatic Effects Management Plan (December 2012)
 - Core Receiving Environmental Monitoring Program (November 2015)
 - Whale Tail Water Quality and Flow Monitoring Plan (November 2016)
 - Groundwater Monitoring Plan (September 2016)
 - (NRCan 6, 7)

 Whale Tail Bulk Fuel Storage Facility: Environmental Performance Monitoring Plan (Nov 2016)
 - OA/OC Plan
 - Whale Tail Interim Closure and Reclamation Plan

PROPOSED WHALE TAIL LICENCE TERMS



- Commitments Related to Updated Plans/studies

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- Comprehensive aquatic baseline report prior to construction (ECCC-11)
- Hydrogeological modelling to inform closure and post-closure (ECCC-13)
- Baseline turbidity/Total Suspended Solids, prior to construction, to support dike monitoring triggers (ECCC-20)
- Thermal modelling to support final design of the Waste Rock Storage Facility (WRSF) (NRCan 3)
- Ongoing research for Tailings Storage Facility performance (INAC-TRC#2)
- Update water quality models as new data become available (INAC-TRC#3, INAC-TRC#8)
- Detailed design for the diffuser prior to construction (INAC-TRC#6)

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PROPOSED LICENCE TERMS



- Updated plans to be filed:
- 60 Days Prior to Operation:
 - Whale Tail Waste Rock Management Plan, (NRCAN 3)
- 60 Days After Licence Issue
 - Whale Tail Water Quality and Flow Monitoring Plan (ECCC 10)
 - Whale Tail Water Quality Monitoring and Management Plan for Dike Construction and Dewatering (ECCC 10)
 - Whale Tail Waste Rock Storage Facility Management Plan (INAC TRC 1)
- 90 Days Prior to Construction
 - Core Receiving Environment Monitoring Program (ECCC 1, 10, 14, 15)
 - Whale Tail Interim Closure and Reclamation Plan
- Annual Whale Tail Water Management Report and Plan
- Final Closure and Reclamation Plan (12 months prior to end of mining)

PROPOSED LICENCE TERMS



- Annual Reporting Commitments
 - Continued Annual reporting by March 31
 - Review the thermal behavior of the Waste Rock Storage Facility cover at Meadowbank and perform thermal modelling (INAC-TRC#8)
 - Quality of the water for dust suppression confirmed during monthly monitoring (ECCC-21)
 - Adapt closure monitoring to align with annual Core Receiving Environment Monitoring Plan (ECCC-22)
 - Geotechnical Engineer's Inspection Report, all reports and performance evaluations prepared by Independent Geotechnical Expert Review Panel
 - Generally include existing Meadowbank reporting

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MEADOWBANK LICENCE AMENDMENTS



- Linkage to existing Meadowbank License
 - Type A Water Licence for mining of Whale Tail Pit, construction, and operations of associated infrastructure
- Whale Tail Exploration Licences
 - Incorporate Type B exploration access road licence (8BC-AEA1525) into the Whale Tail Type A Licence
 - Keep Type B) exploration licence (2BE-MEA1318 separate
- Extend term of 2AM-MEA1525 to 2026.
 - Request term of 2AM- WTP---- also to 2026

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