

## Fwd: Open letter to Kivalliq Inuit Association-Upcoming NWB community session scheduled for January 19, 2021-Rankin Inlet

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## Hello Barbara,

Thank you for copying the Nunavut Water Board on your open letter to the Kivallig Inuit Association. However, as Inuit Impact Benefit Agreement negotiations are not an issue directly considered by the Nunavut Water Board during the licensing process, the Board would not suspend the licensing process while these discussions take place amongst the parties or at the community level. However, as it appears the community may have questions about Agnico Eagle's proposed changes to the Licence, the Nunavut Water Board encourages all community members to join us on Tuesday to take the opportunity to ask questions and share their comments and concerns with the Board. Please find attached the NWB Correspondence, including the Agenda for the Tuesday Community Session meeting.

We look forward to the participation of interested community members in the Board's licensing process.

## Regards,



## Karén Kharatyan, Ph. D- bへ bらつと

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Good morning,

I'm writing to ask that the session scheduled for tomorrow be postponed until KIA has held community session regarding the Meladine gold project water license No: 2AM-MEL1631.

Within the last year, residents of Rankin Inlet have been asked to attend a number of sessions with various involved organizations, regulatory bodies and groups. Throughout all this more questions and concerns are being raised by community members including where does this stand as far as the IIBA is concerned? Where are you all at now concerning the application process? What are next steps? What about the input that was provided by our elders?

KIA passed a number of motions regarding his matter and we would like to hear from them. Q&A session should be held with KIA. We would like clarification on where KIA, Hamlet of Rankin Inlet, KWB and other concerned groups stand on this.

With respect,
Barbara Tartak
Rankin Inlet community member