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RE: *2AM-MEL1631 Design Report – Jetty A6*

Dear Mr. Dwyer,

Agnico Eagle Mines Limited (Agnico Eagle) thanks the Nunavut Water Board (NWB) for the opportunity to address comments received for Meliadine Mine Jetty A6 Design Report.

The following information and comments are intended to address comments outlined in the below referenced letters.

260910 2AM-MEL1631 Design Report for Jetty A6 CIRNA Comments-IMLE.pdf
260921 2AM-MEL1631 Design Report for Jetty A6 DFO Comments-IMLE.pdf

Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

With my best regards,

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Crown-Indigenous Relations and Northern Affairs Canada (CIRNAC)

CIRNAC-1: Non-acid generating and non-metal leaching construction materials

Comment

Two types of construction materials are required for the proposed jetty: run-of-mine 0- 600mm and granular fill 0-50mm. The geochemical properties of the run-of mine are specified: "The run of mine material will be sourced from Non-Acid Generating (NAG) and Non-Metal Leaching (NML) run-of-mine waste (mine) rock." Geochemical properties of the granular fill are not specified. It should have the same properties to prevent acid rock drainage or metal leaching which could degrade water quality.

Recommendations

(R-01) CIRNAC recommends that Agnico Eagle source granular fill from NAG and NML rock.

Agnico Eagle Answer

Agnico Eagle thanks CIRNAC for their comment and confirms that granular fill used for construction will consist of NAG and NML material. Material testing will be conducted in accordance with the Mine Waste Management Plan.

Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO)

Comment

Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO), Fish and Fish Habitat Protection Program (FFHPP) has reviewed the Design Report for Jetty A6, for water licence 2AM-MEL1631 in accordance with DFO's mandate and has no comments or recommendations at this time.

It remains the proponent's responsibility to review and follow DFO's protective measures for fish and fish habitat and standard codes of practice which can be found on DFO's website (Measures to avoid and mitigate risks to fish and fish habitat and https://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/pnw-ppe/practice-practique-eng.html).

It is also the proponent's Duty to Notify DFO if they have caused, or are about to cause, the death of fish by means other than fishing and/or the harmful alteration, disruption, or the destruction of fish habitat. Such notification should be directed to DFO.ARCEMTriage-TriageGEARC.MPO@dfo-mpo.gc.ca.

Agnico Eagle Answer

Agnico Eagle thanks DFO for their review of the Design Report. Agnico Eagle acknowledges the information provided and will follow DFO protective measures, standard codes of practice, and notification requirements, as applicable.