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## Meliadine AEMP Design Plan

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Good morning,

As part of the 2020 Water Licence 2AM-MEL 1631 Emergency Amendment, Agnico Eagle was asked to update its AEMP design and to submit it within the Meliadine 2020 Annual Report (Insert Item 24).

While Agnico Eagle remains committed to updating the AEMP design, we would like to propose an alternate timeline for submission of the revised AEMP Design Plan.

As you know, Agnico Eagle recently submitted its Cycle 2 EEM Study Design, and we will also be submitting its 2020 AEMP report in the upcoming days. Comments received on both the Cycle 2 EEM Study Design and 2020 AEMP report could benefit from consideration and/or inclusion in the revised AEMP Design Plan.

Furthermore, community consultations are currently ongoing in Rankin Inlet, in which the community could emit relevant recommendations on aquatic ecosystem monitoring. Given the importance of incorporating IQ in the AEMP Design Plan, being able to incorporate feedback from the community in the AEMP Design Plan would also prove valuable.

For these reasons, Agnico Eagle believes it would be more efficient and advantageous to submit the revised AEMP Design Plan after the Cycle 2 EEM Study Design and the 2020 AEMP Report have been reviewed by Parties and feedback from community consultations in Rankin has been gathered.

We remain available to further discuss this proposal with you at your convenience.

Kind regards,

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