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## Fwd: Projected Water Use at Milne in 2014 if Early Revenue Construction is approved

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From: Sean Joseph <sean.joseph@nwb-oen.ca>

Date: Fri, Feb 28, 2014 at 1:21 PM

Subject: Re: Projected Water Use at Milne in 2014 if Early Revenue Construction is approved

To: Oliver Curran <oliver.curran@baffinland.com>

Cc: Sean Joseph <sjooseph@nwb-oen.ca>, Erik Madsen <erik.madsen@baffinland.com>, Jim Millard <jim.millard@baffinland.com>, "Phyllis Beaulieu (phyllis.beaulieu@nwb-oen.ca)"

Hi Oliver,

Thank you for the additional information provided in your email.

Although you have indicated that the information is preliminary, it finitely added to the overall context and understanding of what BIMC might be proposing in the coming weeks.

Subsequent to our discussions yesterday, I rechecked the relevant terms and conditions in both the Type "A" Licence, 2AM-MRY1325, and Type "B" Licence, 8BC-MRY1314. I also consult Part E, Item 3 is written in the Type "A" licence, any short-term or long-term increases in daily water use for any of the sites associated with the project, even if the yearly quantity allowed to exceeded, would constitute an amendment. Therefore, the best way to proceed in the short-term, without having to amend the Type "A" Licence, would be to renew and amend Licence 8BC water quantities will be required.

If you would like to discuss this matter further, please let me know at your earliest convenience.

Regards,

Sean

On Fri, Feb 28, 2014 at 11:09 AM, Oliver Curran <oliver.curran@baffinland.com> wrote:

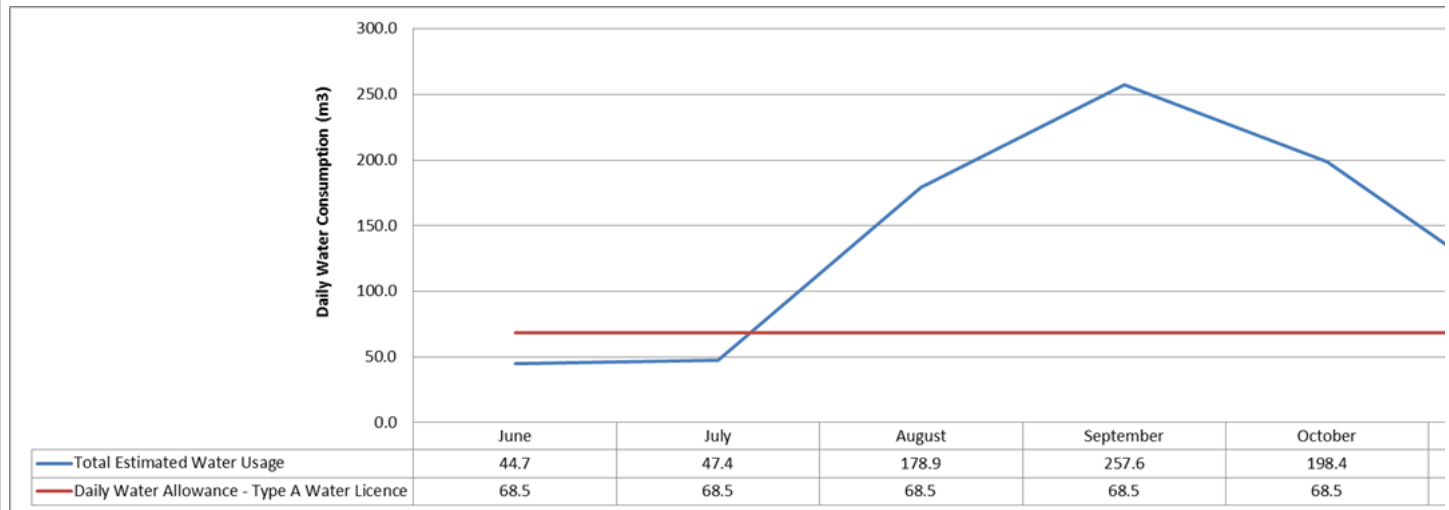
Hi Sean,

To follow up with our conversation yesterday, I am providing you with a graph showing a projected conservative estimate on our water use this year at Milne Port (see below in body of this email). As discussed, we are only submitting these preliminary numbers to you for your information and context. Once the NWB determines what the best permitting path is, Baffinland will provide the revised water consumption numbers with applicable back up information. There are several assumptions and estimations that have been used to arrive at this conservative estimate, and B once the ERP is approved.

Of note is the fact that this is a projected temporary use that would be above the Type A allowance for only a 4 month period. Also, please note that these are monthly averages of daily use

this average. Also of note is the fact that this conservative estimate would still have Baffinland well below the daily allowance in the Type A of approx. 1600m<sup>3</sup> per day due to the fact that c occurring as yet and that the Mine Site is below what was anticipated during construction of the rail project. At Milne, we estimate that we will be below the daily maximum for the remainir activities, the daily maximum in the Type A will likely not be adequate, even though we are well below what is allowed over all in the Type A.

Please let me know if you have any questions on this Sean. I can speak with you today or on Monday if required.



Regards,

Oliver



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